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Naples, September 19.

ON the 13th Instant Prince Gonzaga, Envoy from the Elector of Bavaria at this Court, had an Audience of Leave of the King, being on his Return to Munich, to whom his Majesty presented a Diamond Ring, valued at 3000 Ducats. The Duke of Medina Celi is soon expected here, as Proxy for the King of Spain, who is to stand Godfather to the young Prince; and the said Duke is to invest him with the Order of the Golden Fleece. This Day the Princes of Francavilla, Calveruso and Centola; the Marquisses of St. Mark, Fogliani, and Count Makony, were invested, with the usual Formalities, with the Order of St. Gennaro, lately conferr'd upon them by the King who was present at the Ceremony, attended by the Knights of that Order in their Robes.

Florence, Sept. 26. The News we had here a few Days since of the French retaking the Town of Bastia in Corsica, and that Count Rivarola had been obliged to escape to St. Firenzo, and that most of his Adherents had been dispersed, is now confirmed. We have also learnt that Count Rivarola, and many of the chief Malecontents, were actually besieg'd in St. Firenzo; and that M. Mari, the Governor of Corsica, went in Person with the French and other Troops, and encamped at a Place called Santa Maria, from whence a French Officer had been sent to St. Firenzo to demand the Surrender of that Castle; to whom Count Rivarola had answer'd, That if he would receive it in the Name of the French King, he would surrender immediately; the French Officer replied, That he demanded the Place for the Republick of Genoa; to which Count Rivarola answer'd, That he and all his Friends

were determined in that Case to sacrifice their Lives; upon which the Parley ended.

Whitehall, October 10.

The King has been pleased to make the following Promotions in his Army, viz.

Lieutenants General.

George Read
 Archibald Hamilton.
 John Earl of Rothes.
 Richard Onslow.
 Henry Pulteney.
 Charles Howard:
 Philip Bragg.
 John Huske.
 Charles Frampton.
 Alexander Irwin.
 Richard Saint George.
 John Campbell.
 William Blakeney:
 Humphry Bland.
 James Oglethorpe.
 John Lord De la War.
 Charles Duke of Marlborough:
 John Earl of Craufurd.
 George Churchill.
 Henry Skelton.
 John Johnson.
 Edward Wolfe.
 John Wynyard.

Majors General.

Thomas Bligh.
 Sir William Gooch, Bart.

[Price Two-pence.]

Charles



Charles Armand Powlett.
 Thomas Fowkes.
 George Lord Viscount Torrington.
 James Fleming.
 John Price.
 John Mordaunt.
 James Cholmondeley.
 Henry de Draugues.

His Majesty has been pleased to constitute and appoint John Laforey, Esq; to be first Major to the First Regiment of Foot Guards, and Alexander Dury, Esq; to be second Major to the said Regiment. And

Richard Field, Esq; to be Major to Lieutenant General Philip Bragg's Regiment of Foot.

Whitehall, September 26, 1747.

It having been represented to the King by the General Committee for transacting the Affairs of the Hospital for the Maintenance and Education of Exposed and Deserted Young Children, in Lamb's Conduit Fields, That on Tuesday Night last some Rogues broke into the said Hospital, and cut one of the Charity Boxes to Pieces, and took thereout what Charity Money had been put in since the last Opening thereof, likewise broke open a Cupboard and Drawer in the Steward's Office, and took thereout about fifteen Guineas of the Money belonging to the Hospital in his Care, for the Household Expences, and about Five Pounds and Ten Shillings he had received for Things sold out of the Garden, and also took away a Gun without a Lock belonging to the Steward, with the Name of Goodbee on the Barrel, with a Walnut Tree Stock which had been broke in the Grasp towards the Butt End, and mended with a Plate of Iron on each Side, and a Watch of his, middle fixed, the Maker's Name George Tyler, London, in a Gilt Metal Box and Case in one, covered with Shagreen.

His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Robbery, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any one of them who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as he, she or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

CHESTERFIELD.

And as a further Encouragement, the General Committee of the said Hospital have agreed to give a Reward of Twenty Guineas to any Person or Persons making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of the Offender or Offenders, by the Treasurer of the said Hospital.

By Order of the said Committee,
 Hartman Verelst, Sec.

The Trustees for the Sardinian Loan do hereby give Notice, that Six Months Interest, and 20 l. per Cent. of the Principal, will be paid upon Monday the 19th Instant, at the Bank of England.

Mercers Hall, London, October 9, 1747.

The Annuitants and Bond Creditors of the Mercers Company are desired to meet the Committee of the said Company at Mercers Hall in Cheapside, London, on Thursday next, the 15th Instant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon on special Affairs relating to the Company's Estate in Ireland.

Charles Crumpe, Clerk.

Notice is given to the Officers and Company of his Majesty's Ship *Lys*, and Otter Sloop, who were at the taking the Princess Louisa, that the last Distribution for the said Prize will be paid as follows: The *Lys* at the King's Arms on Tower-Hill on Wednesday the 21st Instant; and the Otter on board, at her next Arrival in Plymouth after the 17th Instant. The *Lys* will be recalled at the above Place the second Wednesday, and the Otter at the Mitre in Duke's Place, London, the first Tuesday in every Month for three Years.

Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Prince George, Namur, Prince Frederick and Pembroke, who were on board them at the taking of the French Men of War on the 3d of May last, that they will be paid their respective Shares of the Bullion taken in those Prizes, as follows, viz.

Namure and Pembroke,	{ On Monday the 19th Instant.
Prince George,	{ On board that Ship at Spithead, on Tuesday the 20th Instant.
Prince Frederick,	{ On her coming out to Spithead from the Harbour.

The Officers and Companies of the other Ships concerned in this Capture, will likewise be paid on their Returns from their respective Cruizes; Of which further Notice will be given, as well as of the Time and Place of the Recall, of the Whole.

Advertisements.

Dr. ANDERSON'S, or,
 The Famous SCOT'S PILLS;

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn, over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the true Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Mules Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. I. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inghish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

THE Creditors of Augustine Curtis, late of St. Catherine's near the Tower of London, Victualler and Chapman, against whom a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded, and who have proved their Debts under the said Commission, are desired to meet the Assignees of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects, on Friday the 14th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon,

Afternoon, at the Crown Tavern, Ludgate-hill, in order to assent to or dissent from the said Assignees commencing or defending one or more Suit or Suits in Equity or Actions at Law, or to compound, agree, or submit to Arbitration, any Debt or Debts due and owing to the said Bankrupt's Estate.

WHEREAS John Hurst, Gentleman, and the Rev. Mr. Thomas Hurst, of Retford in the County of Nottingham, have sold unto Mr. Anthony Wadd, of Melton Mowbray in the County of Leicester, one Close of Pasture Ground called the Barn Close, in Holwell, in the said County of Leicester, late the Estate of the Reverend Mr. Samuel Hurst, of Clayworth in the County of Nottingham; and whereas some Part of the Title Deeds are wanting; This is to give Notice, that if any Person or Persons has any Claim, Pretence, or Demand, by Mortgage or otherwise on the said Close, or any Judgment or Security granted to him or them by the said Mr. Samuel Hurst, deceased, which does or may affect the same, they are desired to repair or give Notice thereof unto the said Anthony Wadd, at Melton Mowbray aforesaid, or unto Mr. John Mason, Mercer, in Retford aforesaid, in whose Hands the Purchase Money is lodged, on or before the 11th of November next, and they will be paid their legal Demand; but if no Person makes any Claim at or before that Time, the Purchase Money will then immediately be paid unto the Bond Creditors of the said Samuel Hurst and others.

WHEREAS Miss Mary Genew, the only Daughter, and one of the Legatees named in the last Will and Testament of William Genew, late of Ham in the County of Surry, Esq; her late Father, deceased, died a few Days ago, and no Will of hers has as yet been found; Therefore if any Person has in his Possession, or knows of any Will made by the said Mary Genew, such Person is desired to give Notice thereof to Mr. Edward Emily, of New Inn near Temple Bar, and Mr. Thomas Letchmere, in Curstors-street Chancery-lane, London. And any Persons, who are any Ways related to the said Mary Genew, are desired forthwith to apply to the abovementioned Persons, for Information concerning her Estate.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Bury, late of the City of New Sarum in the County of Wilts, Innholder, Vintner and Chapman, intend to meet on the 5th Day of November next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Elizabeth Johnson, Widow, being the Cross Keys in the said City, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Thomas Bingham the Younger, of the City of Gloucester, Maltster, intend to meet on

the 4th of November next, at Three in the Afternoon, at the House of Abraham Clark, Innholder, being the Sign of the Swan, in the said City of Gloucester, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Richard Glover, late of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 14th Day of November next, at Three o'Clock 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Shurmer, of the City of Bath, Mealman and Chapman, intend to meet on the 31st of October Instant, at Three o'Clock 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Orlibar, of Harwich in the County of Essex, Tallow Chandler, intend to meet on the 31st of October Instant, 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, are to come prepared to prove the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against William Trotter and James Trotter, late of London, Merchants and Partners, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Trotter and James Trotter have in all Things conformed themselves 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, their Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 31st of October Instant.

