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Naples, December 26, N. S.

ON the 11th Instant, the Duke of Medina Celi arrived here from Spain; he comes as Ambassador Extraordinary and Proxy from his Catholick Majesty, to the Christening of the young Prince of Calabria; and on the 19th he was introduced to the Queen of Naples, to whom he delivered several Things of Value, which he had brought with him as Presents from the Queen of Spain. The Nobility of Sicily have petitioned the King to dispense with their serving in the young Prince of Calabria's Life Guards without Pay. By a Representation from the Magistrates of Health of Palermo, in relation to the Leghorn Vessel which arrived at Melazzo from Patras, and was suspected of having the Plague on Board, the said Vessel was admitted to unload on the 11th at Malta; it appearing, on the strictest Examination, that all their Suspicions were entirely groundless, and that the five Persons, who were said to have been indisposed with the Plague, were only sick of Fevers, and were since all recovered. On the 18th, the Queen of Spain's Name-day was celebrated at Court with the usual Solemnity; on this Occasion their Majesties received

the Compliments of the Nobility and Foreign Ministers; and the Prince of Medina Celi made his first publick Appearance, and afterwards gave a grand Entertainment to the Nobility and Officers of the Court.

Rome, December 30, N. S. On the 18th Instant died here the Prince of Santa Croce, formerly the Emperor's Ambassador to the Pope. The Pope has sent circular Letters to the different Orders of Fryars, recommending the Collection for Building a Roman Catholick Church at Berlin; in Consequence of which the Jesuits have contributed very largely.

Turin, January 6. We have received Accounts that the Duke de Richelieu had marched with Four Thousand Men into the Dutchy of Massa, and had there possessed himself of Lavenza, the Castle of which he had garrisoned, and provided for a Defence, before he returned to Genoa.

Hague, January 16. By an Express arrived last Saturday from Arnheim, we are informed, that the States of Guelderland, after they had made void the Obligation of the Oath taken by the Prince of Orange, to observe the Instructions that were given him in the Year 1722, when he

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he was declared Stadtholder of that Province, had resolved that his Highness's new Commission should be in every Respect the same as that of King William. In Consequence of which, they give up to the Prince of Orange, not only the Nomination of the Magistrates in all their Towns, but likewise the Disposal of all Civil and Military Employments, and the Nomination of the Deputies both from the Nobility and Towns to all the Colleges belonging either to their Province, or to the Union. And these Prerogatives, with the Dignity of Stadtholder, are made hereditary in his Highness's Family, according to the Settlement made in the Province of Holland. The States of Guelderland have likewise taken the Resolution of raising the Tax of Two per Cent. in their Province.

Extract of a Letter from Captain Arbutnot, of His Majesty's Ship the Tryon in Portland Road, dated the 16th of January 1747.

On the 11th Instant, in the Latitude of 47° 53' N° 14 Leagues to the Westward of the Lizard, we espied a Sail, to which we gave Chace, came up with and took her: She proved the Tyger of Bayonne, had been out fourteen Days, and taken two Dutch Ships, and one English Sloop from Cork to Georgia; she mounts fourteen Guns six Pounds; she brought, but with her One hundred and fifty six Men, but when taken she had only One hundred and thirty six Men on board.

Whitehall, January 16, 1747.

Whereas it has been represented to the King, that Mrs. Elizabeth Barham, of Great Grosvenor-Street, and her two Daughters, were stopp'd on Monday the 4th Instant, in South Audley Street, by two Highwaymen on Horseback, and robbed by one of them of Money, and of a Watch set with Diamonds, and other Things of considerable Value; and on Saturday the 9th they were again stopp'd by the same Persons, and robbed by the same Man; His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Person or Persons who were concerned in the said Robberies, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon, so any one of the Offenders who shall discover his or their Accomplice or Accomplices (except the Person who actually committed the said Robberies) so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

CHESTERFIELD.

I do hereby promise a Reward of Twenty Guineas, over and above the Reward allowed by Act of Parlia-

ment, to any one of the Accomplices, or any other Person, (except him who committed the Robbery) who shall discover the Person or Persons that were concerned in the above Robbery, so that he or they may be convicted thereof; to be paid upon such Conviction by me

Great Grosvenor Street.

Eliz. Barham.

Navy Office, January 8, 1747.

The Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that there is in the Hands of the Treasurer of the Navy, Money to pay the Interest due on the 31st Day of December 1747, on Navy and Transport Bills registered between the 1st of October 1746, and the 30th of June 1747, that all Persons possessed of such Bills may at any Time carry them to the Treasurer's Office in Broad-Street, and receive the Interest due thereon, and have the same wrote off upon the Bills.

Bristol, December 22, 1747.

This is to give Notice, that the Prize Money due to the several Persons who were on board the Blandford Privateer at her taking the French and Spanish Ships, viz. Mignonett, Lewrier, Rosillion, Priape, and St. Phillip, will be paid on Friday the 22d of January next, at the Sign of the Unicorn on the New Back, and continue every Friday until the whole is paid.

London, Jan. 18, 1747.

A General Court of the Company of Proprietors for Recovering and Preserving the Navigation of the River DEE, will be held at their Office in St. Swithin's Lane on Thursday the 4th of February next, at Eleven a-Clock in the Forenoon, being an Half Yearly Court; of which all concerned are desired to take Notice.

Advertisements.

Monday the 11th Day of January, in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the Second, 1747, between Roffer Philip, Plaintiff; Barbarah Thomas David otherwise Barbarah Thomas George, Defendant.

UPON the humble Petition of the Plaintiff this Day preferred unto the Right Honourable the Master of the Rolls, for the Reasons therein and in the Affidavit therein mentioned, contained, it is ordered, That the Defendant do appear to the Plaintiff's Bill on or before the 20th Day of February next.

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Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert Glas, of Sandy-lane in the County of Wilts, Vintner, 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 8th and 9th of February next, and on the 1st of March following, at Ten in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Mess. Freeman and Wimpenny, Vintners, situate in Corn-street in the City of Bristol, called the Three Tons Tavern, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate, and Effects, when and where the

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, but give Notice to Mr. Charles Hawkins, Attorney, in Bristol.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Cofsley, of the City of Bristol, Bookseller and Stationer, 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 27th and 28th of February next, and on the 1st of March following, (and not on the 22d and 23d of January Instant, and the 25th of February, as by Mistake inserted in last Tuesday's Gazette) at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Mathew Meace, Vintner, called or known by the Sign of the Nag's Head in Wine-street in the City of Bristol, 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Henry Bostock, now or late of the Parish of St. Paul Covent Garden in the County of Middlesex, Mercer, intend to meet on the 17th Day of February next, at Three of the 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 Francis Woodmafs, of Morpeth in the County of Northumberland, Mercer, intend to meet on the 20th Day of February next, 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 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 John Hinde, of Holborne in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, intend to meet on the 10th Day of February next, at Three of the 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 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 William Smith, of the Parish of St. Alban Wood-street, London, Grocer, intend to meet on the 6th Day of February next, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to do the same; and the Persons, who have made any Claims, are to come prepared to perfect the same into a Proof.

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