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St. James's, October 30.

THIS being the Anniversary of the King's Birth-day, at Noon the Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired, and in the Evening there were Bonfires, Illuminations, and other publick Demonstrations of Joy throughout London and Westminster.

Naples, Oct. 13. The Court is still at Portici, where the King, Queen, and all the Royal Family continue in perfect Health. On Wednesday last we received Advice, that one of our armed Chebecks, named the St. Anthony, had taken a Tunefine Corsair on the 2d Instant, off Cape Spartivento, after a smart Engagement, which lasted four Hours; and that the Crew, consisting of 84 Men, were made Prisoners, except 11, who had found Means to escape in their Boat. The same Advices inform us, that those Corsairs have lately made themselves Masters of two of our Tartanes. A few Days ago, a young Nobleman, Son of the Prince of Arragon, who is an Ensign in the Italian Guards, being on Duty at the Palace, had some very high Words with a Swiss Officer who was then on Duty with him; and as soon as the Guards were relieved, they withdrew to a Plain a little Distance from this City, where a Duel ensued, in which the Swiss Officer was wounded. The King having been informed of this Affair, and of all the Circumstances attending it, has ordered both the young Prince and the Swiss Officer into Custody. His Majesty has obtained Leave of the Pope to oblige the Clergy to raise a sufficient Sum of Money to enable him to fit out several Frigats, Gallies, Chebecks and Tartanes, in order to cruize upon the Corsairs of Barbary, who are continually interrupting the Commerce of this Country. The Duke de Girifalto, who retired some Time ago to his Estate in Calabria, has been arrested and sent Prisoner to the Castle of Cotron, for having greatly abused the King's Officers who were sent thither to settle the Taxes. Don Colonna, Brother to the Prince of Stigliano, who has been for some Time past in Exile in the Island of Ischia, on Occasion of his clandestine Marriage, has obtained Leave to return hither.

Rome, Oct. 17. On the 15th Instant Cardinal Bardi, who was lately appointed Legate of Ferrara, took Leave of the Pope, and will set out To-morrow for his Legation. On Thursday last, being the Feast of St. Theresa, whose Name the Empress Queen of Hungary bears,

Cardinal Mellini, her Imperial-Majesty's Minister Plenipotentiary, received on that Occasion the Compliments of divers Cardinals and other Persons of the first Distinction in this City, to whom he gave a magnificent Entertainment. M. Solari, Ambassador from the Grand Master of Malta to this Court, who has been for some Time at Turin, has desired Leave to be recalled, on Account of his ill State of Health; and as 'tis not doubted but that his Request will be granted, he has already sent Orders hither to have Part of his Effects disposed of, and the rest sent to Turin, except his magnificent Coaches in which he intended to make his publick Entry into this City, which he has ordered to be left here for the Use of the Ambassador who shall be appointed in his Room by the Grand Master. A few Days ago Cardinal Rezzonico had a private Audience of the Pope; since which he has had several long Conferences with the Secretary of State, in order to find out Means for amicably adjusting the Affair of the Patriarchate of Aquileja; the Result of which he has sent by two Expresses to Venice. M. Lescari, who has been here some Time from Poland, is set out on his Return to that Kingdom; at his Departure the Pope presented him with a magnificent Gold Snuff-Box, and 200 Sequins.

Genoa, Oct. 17. The Master of a Venetian Pink, just arrived, says, that on the 7th Instant he met a Barbary Corsair, with two Neapolitan Tartanes which she had taken on the Coast of Sicily; but that the Crews of both had made their Escape on Shore. The four Galliot's of this Republick are returned into Port from a Cruize of two Months in the Sardinian and Corsican Seas, without having met with any Corsair; though, by the Master of a French Tartane arrived here from Tunis we learn, that they were fitting out there no less than four Chebecks and five Galliot's to cruize on the Vessels of the Christian Powers, which he says were almost ready to put to Sea.

Turin, Oct. 20. The Court continues at the Venerie, from whence we learn, that the Duke of Chablais, and the Princess Mary, their Majesties second Son and Daughter, have both been extremely ill of Fevers, but that their Highnesses were much better, and thought to be out of Danger.

Vienna, Oct. 24. On Wednesday last, the Count de Hautefort, Ambassador from France, had his first private Audience of her Imperial Majesty, and the Archduke Joseph; and on Friday he was introduced to all the young Imperial Family. The Regiment of Diemar, Cuirassiers,

ralliers, in Garrison in this City, is ordered to march into Hungary, and is to be replaced by the Regiment of Birkenfeld, which is expected here by the 30th Instant. The Departure of Count Esterhazy, in Quality of Ambassador from their Imperial Majesties to the Court of Spain, is fixed for the 4th of next Month.

Paris, Oct. 30. On the 24th Instant, the Dauphin took his Seat, for the first Time, in the Council of Dispatches. A few Days ago died the young Princess, of whom the Dauphiness was delivered the 26th of August last; and her Corps has since been deposited in the Tomb of the Royal Family in the Abby of St. Denis.

Berlin, Oct. 31. On Wednesday last the King arrived here from Potzdam, when the Baron de Rosencrantz, Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Denmark, had his Audience of Leave, at which he was presented with a Diamond Ring of great Value; and the Baron de Thienen, who succeeds him, had his first private Audience, and delivered his Credential Letters to his Majesty; after which the King dined with the Queen Mother, who then appeared in public for the first Time since her late Illness; and on Friday his Majesty returned to Potzdam. The King having given his Consent to the Marriage of the Chevalier Keith, Nephew to the Field Marshal of that Name, with Mademoiselle de Suhm, the same will be celebrated in a short Time. The Count de Daneschold, Captain General of the Naval Forces of the King of Denmark, arrived here on Thursday last from Wilbaden, accompanied by the Vice-Admiral his Brother. The next Day they went to Potzdam, and had the Honour of being presented to his Majesty, and were graciously received; and having taken Leave of the King, the two Queens, and the rest of the Royal Family, set out on Sunday Morning for Copenhagen. His Majesty has appointed M. Heusingen to be his Counsellor of War and Domains at Konigsberg in Prussia.

Hague, Nov. 6. The Detachments of Horse and Dragoon Guards, which are to escort his Britannick Majesty through the Territories of the Republick, set out this Day for their several Stations. The States of Holland are to assemble on Tuesday next, and the Summons have been already issued for that Purpose. Count Bentinck is returned to the Hague from Loo, as is likewise M. De Larrey. And we hear from thence, that their Royal and Serene Highnesses continue there in perfect Health. M. Domis has taken the usual Oaths before the Council of State, in Quality of Lieutenant Colonel of the Regiment of Du Verge.

London, October 29.

Yesterday Francis Cokayne, Esq; Lord Mayor Elect for the Year ensuing, was sworn at Guildhall; when the Chair and other Ensigns of Mayoralty, were surrendered to him in the accustomed Manner.

This Day the new Lord Mayor, accompanied by the late Lord Mayor, the Aldermen, Recorder, and Sheriffs, in their Scarlet Gowns, went in their Coaches to the Water-side, the Sword and Mace being carried before them, and the City Officers attending, and from

thence proceeded in the City Barge, attended by the several Companies in their respective Barges adorned with Streamers and Pendants to Westminster; and having walked round the Hall, and solemnly saluted all the Courts, they went to the Exchequer Bar, and the Lord Mayor did there take the Oaths appointed, and having recorded Warrants of Attorney in the proper Courts, returned by Water to Black Fryers, and from thence in Coaches with the usual Solemnity to Guildhall, where a magnificent Entertainment was provided; at which were present the Great Officers of State, divers of the Nobility, Lords of his Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council, the Judges, and other Persons of Quality and Distinction.

Whitehall, October 23, 1750.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to their Excellencies the Lords Justices, That on Saturday the 29th of September last, in the Night, some malicious Person or Persons, stabbed and killed, in a Pasture near the Town Street of Stebbing, near Dunmow in Essex, two Geldings of the Value of 30 l. the Property of David Starn, a Farmer at Stebbing aforesaid; Their Excellencies for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in stabbing and killing the said two Geldings, are pleased to promise his Majesty's most gracious Pardon to any of them who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Ri. Nev. Aldworth.

And as a farther Encouragement, the said David Starn doth hereby promise a Reward of 50 l. to any Person or Persons who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so that he or they be convicted thereof as aforesaid.

D^a. Starn.

Whitehall, October 27, 1750.

Whereas it has been humbly represented to their Excellencies the Lords Justices, that the House of Mr. Charles Howard, in the Close of Litchfield, was, on Friday the 19th Instant, about Three o'Clock in the Morning, broke open and robbed of a Sum of Money; Their Excellencies for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Robbery, are pleased to promise his Majesty's most gracious Pardon to any of them who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so as he or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

Rd. Leveson Gower.

And as a farther Encouragement, the said Charles Howard doth hereby promise a Reward of Ten Guineas to any Person or Persons who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so that he or they be convicted thereof as aforesaid.

Cha. Howard.

Advertisements.

TO be peremptorily sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, on Monday the 26th Day of November next, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Afternoon, A Farm and Lands in the Parish of Collintree, otherwise Collingtrough and Milton, otherwise Middleton Malfor, in the County of Northampton, now in the Occupation of Thomas Stirman, at the yearly Rent of 45 l. Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against George Drake, of Halifax, in the County of York, Grocer and Druggist, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioner in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, on the 20th and 21st of November next, at the House of Francis Benton, being the Sign of the Wool Pack and Crown in Halifax aforesaid, and on the 11th of December next, at the House of James Lambert, being the Sign of the Sawers

and Punch Bowl in Horsforth in the said County, by Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, 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, but give Notice to Mr. John Baldwin, Attorney, in Halifax aforesaid.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Francis Horton, late of Wolverhampton in the County of Stafford, Ironmonger 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 15th and 16th Days of November next, and on the 11th Day of December following, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of John Haynes, Innholder, in Wolverhampton aforesaid, known by the Sign of the George, 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, but give Notice to Mr. William Horton, of Mosely in the County of Stafford, Gentleman, to whom the Estate and Effects have been assigned by the said Commissioners; or Mr. Brown, Attorney, in Featherstone Buildings, London.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against James Fish, of Blackburn in the County of Lancaster, Chapman, intend to meet on the 28th Day of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of William Dawson, being the Sign of the Red Lyon in Preston in the said County of Lancaster, 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.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Philip Carver the Younger, late of Wymondham, in the County of Norfolk, Draper, Grocer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 29th of November next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Mr. Thomas Allday, being the Sign of the King's Head in the Market Place of the City of Norwich, in order to make a final 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.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Skinner, of Spalding in the County of Lincoln, Distiller, intend to meet on the 15th of November next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Mr. Stephen Bell, called the Old White Hart in Spalding aforesaid, 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.

W Hereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against David Sharp, of the City of Bristol, Mercer, Linnen Draper and Chapman, have certified to the Right Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said David Sharp 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 20th of November next.

T HE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and are herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

Pursuant to a late Act of Parliament for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, I hereby give Notice, that I do compel Charles Brent, late of the Parish of St. Martin in the Fields in the County of Middlesex, Gentleman, who, on the first Day of January, One thousand seven hundred and forty seven, was and still is a Prisoner in his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet,

London, at my Suit, to subscribe and deliver in a Schedule of his Estate and Effects, at the Sessions of the Peace to be held at Guildhall for the City of London, next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof.

Joseph Ashforth.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1747, and having surrendered themselves to the Warden of the Prison of the Fleet, London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at Guildhall in and for the City of London, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Jane Chadborne, late of Tottenham Court Road in the County of Middlesex, Mantua-maker. Roger Hayte, late of Chedingon in the County of Dorset, Woolcomber. Benjamin Long, late of Skinner's Street in the Parish of St. Leonard Shoreditch, Mariner. Thomas Killingbeck, late of Coventry in the County of Warwick, Printer. Peter Lewis, formerly of Wells in the County of Norfolk, Mariner, but late of Stepney, Victualler. Ann Lewis, formerly of Wells in the County of Norfolk, but late of Stepney, Victualler.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1747, and having surrendered himself to the Keeper of Wood-street Compter in the City of London, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Samuel Postle, junior, late of Great Yarmouth in the County of Norfolk, Gentleman.

The following Persons being Fugitives for Debt, and beyond the Seas on or before the first of January 1747, and having surrendered themselves to the Keeper of the Poultry Compter, London, hereby give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty-first Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the City of London, which shall happen next after thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Jonathan Benton, late of Newington in the County of Surrey, Mariner. John Foster, late of New-street, Fetter-lane, London, Gentleman. Roger Williams, late of Little Carter-Lane, London, Mariner and Chapman. Jonathan Benton, late of the Parish of Newington in the County of Surry, Mariner and Chapman.

The following Person being a Prisoner for Debt, in his Majesty's Prison of the Fleet, hereby gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament made in the Twenty First Year of the Reign of his present Majesty King George the Second, intituled, An Act for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held at the Guildhall of the City of London, which shall happen next after Thirty Days from the Publication hereof, viz. Edward Watson, late of the Old Bailey, Joyner.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find, on the Perusal of this Gazette, that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette, Gratis.

