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AT the Court at *St. James's*, the 26th Day of November 1751.

P R E S E N T,

The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty having been pleased to appoint his Grace George Duke of St. Albans to be Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks—His Grace this Day took the Oaths appointed to be taken thereupon, instead of the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy.

Whitehall, November 2, 1751.

Walter Titley, Esq; His Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary to the Court of Denmark, has transmitted to his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, His Majesty's Principal Secretary of State, the following Account from Copenhagen, dated the 30th of October N. S. It having been found necessary to change the Situation of the Fire kept hitherto upon a Sand-Bank, at the Point of Jutland, called Schagen, for the Use of Mariners; His Danish Majesty has ordered Notice thereof to be given to the Publick, and, in Pursuance of that Order, the proper Officers sent an Advertisement, accompanied with a Memorial, to Mr. Titley, desiring him to transmit the said Advertisement to England, for the Information of the British Traders to the Baltick; of which Advertisement the following is a Translation.

Advertisement.

Whereas the Sand-Hill at Schagen, upon which a Fire has been kept hitherto in the Night Time for the Direction of Ships sailing through the Cattegat, is almost washed away by the Sea; and there is now erected, instead of the said washing Sand-Hill, a Tower of Sixty Four Feet high, standing further within the Land at the Distance of Eight Hundred Feet from the Sand-Hill, and Four Hundred Feet more towards the North; upon which Tower the Fire is to be kept for the Future, and to commence on the ^{21st of January, O. S.} 1st of February, N. S. in the ensuing Year 1752: Therefore, by Order of the King of Denmark, Norway, &c. this Notice is given to the Publick, to the End that Mariners, being duly apprized of the Alteration beforehand, may regulate their Course through the Cattegat accordingly.

Should the foresaid Sand-Hill happen to be destroyed and carried quite away, by any violent Storm, before the Time abovementioned, in that Case a Fire will immediately be lighted up upon the Tower, instead of that which has hitherto burnt upon the Sand-Hill.

Copenhagen, from the Office of his Majesty's Privy-Purse, the 25th October 1751.

(L. S.)

G. Linde.

S. G. Hilderman.

Constantinople, Oct. 12. Although the Plague which raged so violently for some Months in this City and its Neighbourhood, is now almost entirely ceased, yet, as some few Persons still continue to die of it, the Inhabitants are very cautious with whom they deal, for fear of its breaking out again; this necessary Precaution, and their having had scarcely any Communication with each other for some Time past, has greatly injured the Commerce of this City. The Foreign Ministers, who, in order to avoid the Infection, retired into the Country bordering upon the Black Sea, have not as yet ventured to come to Town; which occasions an almost Stagnation of publick Affairs. Sath-Savar-Oglow-Mustapha, heretofore Captain Bashaw, who, after his Disgrace was banished to Smyrna, has lately received Orders to change the Place of his Exile to that of Sivas.

Barcelona, Nov. 14. Yesterday an Edict was published here, by which all his Majesty's Subjects whatsoever are empowered to fit out armed Vessels to cruize against the Barbary Corsairs, and all the Prizes they take are to be entirely their own Property.

Petersbourg, Nov. 15. The Time of the Court's Departure for Moscow is not as yet fixed, and, to all Appearance, will not take Place till after the Separation of the Diet of Sweden. The Great Princess has been confined to her Apartment for some Days past with a violent Cold, but her Highness is now so well recovered, as to appear again in Publick. On the 28th of last Month Count Lynar, Envoy Extraordinary from the Court of Denmark, had his Audience of Leave of her Imperial Majesty, and proposes setting out shortly for Copenhagen. M. Funch, who since the Departure of General Arhim, has taken upon him the Character of Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Poland to this Court, has not as yet had his first publick Audience. Most of the Regiments that were posted in this Neighbourhood, are marched from hence in order to take up their Winter Quarters in the interior Parts of the Empire, and are replacing by other Regiments from Livonia and Easthonia. The Empress has sent Orders to Lieutenant-General Count Soltikoff, who at present commands the Troops in the Duchy of Courland, to take upon him the Command of those in the Ukraine; and Major General Verthern, who some Time since left the Bavarian Service to come into that of this Court has a Command given him in Livonia, under the Orders of Lieutenant Field Marshal Baron de Lieveh.

Genoa, Nov. 18. According to our last Letters from Corsica, the Marquis de Curfay was still at Ajaccio the Beginning of this Month, but was preparing to return to Bastia. A Detachment of 120 Men embarked here a few Days ago.