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*Whitehall, April 7.*

**T**HIS Morning Richard Lucas, one of His Majesty's Messengers, arrived at the Right Honourable the Earl of Holderness's Office, with an Account, that the Yachts, with His Majesty, sailed from Harwich Yesterday, about Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, with a fair Wind, for Holland.

*Naples, March 21.* Within these few Days several Vessels, laden with Corn and other Provisions for this Capital, which have been detained for some Time past by high and contrary Winds, arrived safe in this Port. We are assured, that in Consequence of the strong Sollicitations made by Prince Esterhazy, Ambassador from their Imperial Majesties to this Court, Orders have been sent to the Commandant of Messina to release the Ship which carried his Imperial Majesty's Flag, and which was detained there under Pretence that the Captain was one of his Neapolitan Majesty's Subjects, and as such forbid by the Laws of his Country from serving at Sea under any Foreign Power. The Eruptions of Mount Vesuvius have entirely ceased, so that at present we are delivered from the dreadful Apprehensions we have been under for some Time past. 'Tis said the Queen is again with Child, and that the same will soon be declared at Court. Upon a Rumour that some of the Persons who lately robbed and murdered the King's Treasurer at Barletta, were come hither in order to dispose of some of the Effects they stole from thence, Orders are given for a strict Search to be made in order to discover them. A great Number of Sailors arrived here last Week from Lipari, in order to serve on board the Squadron that is going on a Cruize against the Barbary Pyrates. Last Saturday a Maltese Man of War arrived here from Spain, having on board 500,000 Piastres, being a Remittance from his Catholick Majesty to this Court. Some Days ago a Felucca, with 35 Persons on board, was lost in a violent Storm in the Gulph of Policastro, and every Soul perished.

*Rome, March 22.* 'Tis said the Elector of Treves hath at length obtained Leave of the Pope to name a Coadjutor for himself to his Arch-

bishoprick, which he has been a long Time soliciting. They have begun to work with great Diligence at the repairing and enlarging the Port of Anzio; and there is now on the Tapis a Project for cutting a new Canal from Tevero to the Sea, which will be of infinite Service to Commerce.

*Petersbourg, March 22.* Her Imperial Majesty has appointed Captain James Kennedy, an Irish Gentleman, and Captain Ywan Tscherewin, to be Rear Admirals of her Fleet. We learn by different Accounts from Persia, that Prince Heraclius of Georgia has lately obtained such considerable Advantages, that 'twas imagined he would in the End supplant Schach Doub, and procure himself to be acknowledged Sovereign. They likewise add, that most of the Russian Merchants were retiring with their Effects to Derbent, in order to prevent their being involved in the general Confusion the Troubles in that Kingdom were like to bring on the Inhabitants; and at the same Time to be ready on all Occasions to retire into the Russian Dominions.

*Turin, March 24.* We now feel the good Effects of the Precautions used by the King in sending for all the Corn from Sardinia that could be spared, and in filling Magazines therewith, in order to supply his Subjects with it in case of Need; for, notwithstanding the Shortness of the Crops last Year in Piemont, and other Provinces, we have now Corn at a reasonable Price, when all the neighbouring Provinces are in the greatest Want of it. The Officers appointed to review the Troops in the different Garrisons of these States, have already acquainted his Majesty with the good Condition in which they found those Regiments that have passed in Review before them. We have received Advice from Vienna, that Count Seilern is appointed by their Imperial Majesties to be Envoy Extraordinary to this Court.

*Copenhagen, March 30.* The Celebration of the King's Birth-Day is deferred till Easter Monday. Count Linar, late Envoy Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary from this Court to that of Russia, and who lately returned from thence, had a private Audience of his Majesty on the 19th Instant. The King enjoys a pretty good State of Health, and often diverts himself

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with Hunting in the Neighbourhood of Jagerf-bourg. On Saturday last M. Paludan, lately nominated by his Majesty to the Bishoprick of Christianfand in Norway, was consecrated by the Bishop of Zeelande.

*Vienna, April 1.* On Thursday last, being Maunday Thursday, their Imperial Majesties, the Archduke Joseph, the Archdutchess Maria Anne, and the Princess Charlotte of Lorrain, received the Holy Sacrament from the Hands of the Pope's Nuncio. After which his Imperial Majesty, according to ancient Custom, washed the Feet of twelve poor old Men; whilst her Imperial Majesty did the same to twelve poor old Women, in her own Apartment. The Affair of the Investitures goes now on entirely to the Emperor's Satisfaction, for besides the several Princes of Germany, who are preparing to send Ministers here with the necessary full Powers for that Purpose, we are assured that the King of Sardinia, and the Duke of Modena, intend to receive the like Investitures of the Estates they hold in Italy by the Title of Fiefs of the Empire. The Court has sent into Upper Austria a Person they can confide in, who is to examine strictly into the Cause of the Tumults that have lately happened there on Account of Religious Grievances, which he has full Power to redress in such Manner as he shall judge proper.

*Lyons, April 2.* We have already retaken most of the Prisoners who escaped lately out of the Archbishop's Prison, several of whom are to be executed next Week. The Price of Bread, which has been excessive dear for some Time past in this Country, begins to diminish. They write from Avignon, that M. Folard, Knight of the Royal and Military Order of St. Louis, died there the 23d of last Month, in the 84th Year of his Age.

*Dresden, April 3.* Prince Charles having been seized at Elsterwerda with the Symptoms of the Small Pox on Monday last, the King immediately gave Orders for his being conveyed to the Palace in this City, where he was no sooner arrived than they began to appear. All the Court were greatly alarmed on this Occasion; and as neither the Prince Royal, nor the two youngest Princes, have had that Distemper, they are all ordered into distant Apartments.

*Munich, April 5.* On Monday last being the Elector of Bavaria's Birth Day, who then entered into the 26th Year of his Age, the same was celebrated at Court with great Magnificence. The Departure of the Elector of Cologne is fixed for Friday next; and the Elector Palatin's Arrival is soon expected.

*Mayence, April 8.* The Elector our Sovereign, who was seized some Days ago with a Fever, is now perfectly recovered. We learn by private Letters from Alsace and the three Bishopricks, that they continue to make the necessary Preparations in those Provinces for the Camps that are to be formed during the Summer.

*Hague, April 13.* Yesterday the States of Holland and Westfrizeland opened their Assembly, and this Morning continued their Delibe-

rations. A Deputation from the States of the Province of Guelderland, consisting of Count Byland, and the Barons Hekeren and Tork, are arrived here to execute a private Commission, and have already had a private Audience of her Royal Highness the Princess Governante.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, April 7.*

Orders for the Court's going out of Mourning on Sunday next, the 12th Instant, for the late Queen of Denmark.

*Whitehall, March 28.*

The King has been pleased to issue his Letter under his Majesty's Royal Sign Manuel, to the Earl Marshal of England, that the Honourable Dame Mary Sherard (Relict of Sir Brownlow Sherard, Bart. deceased, and eldest of the two Grand Daughters and Coheirs of the Right Honourable Robert Sydney, late Earl of Leicester, deceased) and her Issue, shall use and enjoy the Name of Sydney, and bear and use the Coat Armour of the said late Earl of Leicester, deceased.

March 24, 1752.

*This is to give Notice, That the Gentlemen of the County of Nottingham (over and above the Reward of Fifty Pounds, already promised by John Lister of Barwtry, Esq;) do hereby promise to pay the further Reward of Fifty Pounds, to any Person or Persons, who shall discover the Persons, or any of them, who lately wrote two threatening Letters to the said Mr. Lister, or who stoop Mr. Henry Ward upon the Highway, supposing him to have been the said Mr. Lister, so as he, she, or they be apprehended and convicted thereof. And that the Money is lodged in the Hands of Mr. Smith, a Banker in Nottingham for that Purpose.*

Navy-Office, March 11, 1752.

*The Principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Wednesday the 8th of next Month, at Eleven o'Clock in the Morning precisely, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to serve his Majesty with English Canvas, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.*

Navy Office, April 2, 1752.

*The principal Officers and Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy give Notice, that there is in the Hands of the Treasurer of the Navy, Money to pay off all Navy and Transport Bills, register'd in the Months of April, May, June, July, August and September 1750, with the Interest due on such as carry the same, in order that those Persons who are possessed of such Bills may bring them to this Office to be assigned for Payment accordingly.*

Navy Office, April 2, 1752.

*As the passing the Accounts of Sir John Rushout and George Dodington, Esq; late Treasurers of his Majesty's Navy, are carrying on with all the Expedition that may be, it is recommended to such Persons as have had Bills assigned upon them by the Navy Board, and have not receiv'd their Money for the said Bills, forthwith to call for the same; and all Persons who have any Imprests standing out against them, and have not any Bills or Accounts in this Office to clear the said Imprests, are desired forthwith to bring in their Bills or Accounts to discharge them, that so the said Imprests may not be brought to account and return'd into the Exchequer, as otherwise they will be; and such Persons as have passed their Accounts, and have not taken up their Imprests, are required to carry their perfect Bills to the late Treasurers Office, and to take up their Imprests.*

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Stamp-Office, Lincoln's Inn, April 6, 1752.

The Commissioners for managing his Majesty's Stamp-Duties do hereby give Notice, That there is in their Office a Quantity of damaged and uselefs Parchment, and Paper and printed Blanks to be disposed of to the best Advantage of the Revenue under their Care, which are intended to be sold by Weight; wherefore any Person who is willing to purchase and pay ready Money for the same, is desired to send his Proposal in Writing, sealed up and directed to the said Commissioners, on or before the 20th Instant. And every such Person may, in the mean Time, by applying to the Warehouse-keeper, have Liberty during Office Hours, to view the said Parchment, Paper and printed Blanks.

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**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Dickenson, of the Parish of Clifton Dikes in the County of Westmoreland, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 15th of this Instant April, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the same, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Edward Burrows, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaster, Merchant and Stockener, deceased, intend to meet on the 11th of May next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Thomas Benham, being the Sign of the Pontack in Water-street in Liverpool aforesaid, in order to make a second 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. And all Persons who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the same, otherwise they will be disallowed.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Norrison Coverdale, late of Whitby in the County of York, Merchant, 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 21st and 22d of April instant, and on the 19th of May next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon on each of the said Days, at the House of Mr. Joseph Boyes, being the Angel in Whitby in the County of York aforesaid, 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 Hancock, Attorney at Law, in Whitby aforesaid.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Michael Bridges, late of Leeds in the County of York, Merchant, deceased, intend to meet on the 23d Day of May next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of Thomas Moxon, the Sign of the King's Arm in Leeds aforesaid, in order to make a final 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.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Hill, of Little Walsingham in the County of Norfolk, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said John Hill 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 28th of April instant.

