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Rome, August 4.

**B**Y the many Preparations which are making by divers Prelates and other Clergy of Distinction in this City for the Cardinal Dignity, we are confidently assured, that the Pope has fixed the Promotion for the next Month, to fill up the vacant Hats in the College of Cardinals; in which, as the Difficulties that have retarded it are removed, the Nuncio's at the Courts of crown'd Heads are to be included. On the 31st Cardinal Alexander Albani had a long private Audience of the Pope, relating to the Commissions he had received from the Court of Vienna.

*Naples, Aug. 5.* A few Days ago was published here, an Order from the King, upon Application made by the Republick of Genoa, forbidding all his Majesty's Subjects to carry any warlike Stores or Provisions, of what Nature soever, to the Malecontents in the Island of Corsica. Two of our Men of War, which have been cruizing for some Time on the Sicilian Seas, in Quest of the Barbary Corsairs, returned last Thursday into our Harbour, to repair the Damages they have suffered in the late Storms. We have received Advice here, that the Post-Boy, going between Milan and Bologna, had been robbed of the Mail by some Persons in Disguise.

*Madrid, Aug. 7.* Their Majesties continue at the Palace of the Buen-Retiro, in perfect Health. Besides several Military Promotions which the King has been pleased to make within these few Days, Don Antonio de la Cabra, Colonel of the Lisbon Regiment of Foot, has been preferred to the Post of the King's Lieutenant in Pampeluna; and Don Augustino de Crame, Captain in the St. Jago Regiment of Horse, has been promoted to the Rank of Major in the same. The Marquis de Cayro, Captain General of the Island of Majorca, has informed the Court, that a Barbary Corsair having taken from that Island a Chebeck, he immediately gave Or-

ders to Don Antoine Barcelo, and to Don Benoit Capo, Commanders of two of the King's Chebecks, to take on Board a Detachment of Grenadiers of the Regiment of Africa, and to pursue with all Diligence the Corsair, who having come up with her, at the Height of the Island of Cabrera, after an obstinate Engagement, wherein the Barbarians had 34 Men killed, they not only retook the Chebeck, but made themselves Masters of the Corsair, on board of which they have made 98 Slaves, 26 of whom are wounded. This Action, in which the conquer'd fought desperately, does great Honour to the Commanders of the said Chebecks, the King having appeared well satisfied with their Conduct, as well as with the Bravery of the Grenadiers. Another Corsair has been sunk by two Barks of Albucemas.

*Florence, Aug. 10.* From Lombardy we learn, that six Senators, and Count Christiani the Grand Chancellor of Milan, are to meet at Rivalta, in the Modenese, in order, with the Ministers of the Duke of Modena, to settle the Ceremony on the Reception of his Serene Highness, on his taking Possession of the Government of Milan, which, it is said, is fixed for the Month of September, agreeable to the Treaty lately stipulated between the two Courts. On the 6th Instant the Duke of Modena set out on his Journey by the Garfagnana to Massa and Carrara, to view the Works of the new Harbour at Lavenza, and the new Road to Lombardy; and as he has declared his Intentions, on his Return, to go by Fiuzano, it is thought he intends to view that Part of the Lunigiana which, agreeable to the said Treaty, it is supposed is to be exchanged with his Highness's Fiefs in Hungary.

*Leghorn, Aug. 14.* By a Felucca lately arrived here from Corsica, we are informed that the Genoese Vessels, designed to prevent the Malecontents from receiving any Arms and Ammunition, continue to cruize with great Diligence along the Coast of that Island, and that

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they have lately taken two Barks, on board of which were found 572 Fuzils, a great Quantity of Matches, and 70 Barrels of Gun Powder. We learn from Massa, that the Duke of Modena, accompanied by the Hereditary Prince, has visited the Work of a new Port, which is building at the Mouth of the River Lavenza, and that his Serene Highness shewed great Satisfaction to find the Works in such good Order.

*Bern, Aug. 16.* A Body of Peasants, of the Frontiers of Burgundy, to the Number of 50 or 60, some of them armed, have broke in upon the Swiss Territory in the Bayliwick of Nyon, in the Pays de Vaud; their View was to seize on a Mountain, which has been formerly in Dispute, and on which the People of the Country graze their Cattle in Summer; they drove the Subjects of the Canton from the Post, wounded three of them, and carried off about 50 Head of Cattle. The Bayliff of Nyon, M. Sturler, at the same Time that he informed the Senate here of this Act of Violence, applied for Redress to the Intendant of Burgundy; but before he could send his Orders for putting a Stop to these Outrages, the French Peasants had made a second Incurfion, in which some Shot were exchanged on both Sides, though without any Mischief on either. The Bourgoignons remained Masters of the Mountain in Dispute, which, though it might formerly belong to the Convent of St. Claude, has constantly and avowedly, within these hundred Years, been comprehended in the Limits of the Canton of Bern; and particularly in a new Limitation that was settled, and very exactly described two Years ago, between the Intendant of Burgundy, and the Bayliff of Nyon, was again included within the Boundaries, and as Part of the Swiss Territory. Upon the Receipt of this Advice, M. Lerber, Commissary General, was sent to make the proper and strongest Representations to M. Chavigny the French Ambassador, on these Outrages, who has given M. Lerber the strongest Assurances of the King his Master's disapproving these Acts of Violence, and promised, that he would write immediately both to the Intendant of Burgundy, and to his Court, in such a Manner, as he did not doubt would soon procure the Canton of Bern all the Satisfaction, Redress and Security they could reasonably expect.

*Berlin Aug. 21.* The King, accompanied by Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, and several General Officers, arrived here from Potzdam on Friday Morning, and went to dine with the Queen Dowager at Montbijou. It is determined, that the Troops which are to form the Camp at Dobritz, shall go into the same on the first of next Month; and that they are to be commanded, under the King, by the Field Marshals Schwerin, Kalchsteyns, and Keith.

*Hague, Aug. 26.* Baron Haaren, is arrived at Soestdyk from Brussels, where he was most

graciously received by her Royal Highness the Princess Governante, and the most Serene Family. They write from Brussels, that Count Cobentzel, who arrived there from Vienna on the 19th of this Instant, set out from thence two Days afterwards, in order to make a Tour through Flanders.

Whitehall, August 23, 1753

Whereas it has been humbly represented to the King, That, on Friday last, the 17th Instant, a Letter, directed "To Mr. Browning, Woodcot, at Epsom, "Surry", was received by the said Mr. Browning, by the General Post, the Words of which Letter are, as follow, viz. — "If you do not, immediately upon "the Receipt of this, lay Twenty Pound, at the "Foot of the Starting Post, upon the Downs, that "it may be ready any Time of the Night, you may "depend, that you or yours shall be treated with the "utmost Severity, the first Opportunity that offers; "so, beware, and comply with this Demand, or, "expect my Vengeance, and take what follows, "from Y & X Z". — His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice, the Person or Persons principally concerned in writing and sending the said threatening Letter, as aforesaid, is pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon, to any one of them, who shall discover his, or her, Accomplice, or Accomplices, therein, so that he, she, or they, being principally concerned in the same, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

HOLLES NEWCASTLE.

And as a further Encouragement, I do hereby, promise a Reward of Thirty Guineas, to any Person, or Persons, making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid upon the Conviction of the principal Offender, or Offenders, by me,

John Browning.

London, March 17, 1753.  
General Post-Office.

Whereas a Person of about Six Feet high, Fifty Years of Age, of a Swarthy Complexion, much pitted with the Small Pox, and wore a darkish coloured Coat, and a brown Bob Wig, came last Night, about Six of the Clock, to the Shop of Mr. Thomas Harding, Goldsmith, in the Minories, and bought of him a straight bodied Silver Tankard, Weight 25 oz. 18 dwt, with the Letters C. D. marked, by his Desire, on the Handle thereof; and the said Person having given, in Payment for the said Tankard, a Bank Post Bill, which was taken out of the Cirencester Mail, which was robbed on the 18th of April, 1751, and indorsed the said Bank Post Bill by the Name of Charles Dew.

This is therefore to give Notice to all Goldsmiths and others, to whom the said Tankard may be offered in Sale, that whoever apprehends, or causes to be apprehended the Person above described, who is strongly suspected of having been a Principal, or an Accomplice in the said Robbery, shall, upon Conviction, be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,  
George Shelvocke, Secretary.

Trinity-House, London, Sept. 3, 1753.

Notice is hereby given, That the Blacktail Beacon is broke away, and that a Floating Beacon will be forthwith laid in its Place, until a new Beacon be built and replaced, which will be done as soon as possible.

### Advertisements.

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Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Ambrose Marshall, of London Bridge, in the City of London, Ribbon Weaver, 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 22d and 25th Days of September Instant, and on the 16th Day of October next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the said Days, at Guildhall, London, 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. Stansford; in St. Paul's Church Yard, opposite the South West Gate.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John Saxon, late of Sunderland in the County of Durham, Mercer, Dealer 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 14th of September Instant, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the 22d of the said September, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, and on the 16th of October next, at Four of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; 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. Nix, Attorney, in Bow-Lane, Chespidé, London.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Coghill Kn pp, late of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 1st of October next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a further 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.

Whereas the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Burrough, late of the Devises, in the County of Wilts, Brazier and Founder, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said James Burrough 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 25th of September instant.

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