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Lisbon, August. 20.

UPON the Representation of the Inhabitants of Portalegre, the King has consented that the Fair, which was annually held there in the Month of May, should be held, for the future, on the 13th, 14th and 15th of September, in order to give the Inhabitants a better Opportunity to dispose of the Goods of their own Growth. They have obtained several new Franchises for this Fair, in Consideration of an Establishment which they have made in Favour of Orphans. Since the Beginning of this Month, thirteen English, five Dutch, three Swedish, and four Danish Ships, have arrived into this Port; and as the greatest Part of them were laden with Corn or Meal, the Price of Bread, which, upon Account of the long Drought, was very high, is now greatly fallen. The Fleet of the Bay of Tous les Saints is daily expected to arrive here, and it is said that its Cargoes are very considerable. One of the Men of War, of the small Squadron which has been cruizing for some Time past along the Coast of this Kingdom, to disperse the Corsairs of Barbary, arrived lately in the River Tagus, and having taken in some Refreshments, sailed again to his Station.

Madrid, Sept. 4. The King has translated Don. J. de Cortada; Bishop of Zamora, to the Archbishoprick of Tarragone. His Majesty has granted the Intendancy of his Armies to Don Raymond de la Rumba, Intendant at Ceuta; and has also made several Military Promotions.

Vienna, Sept. 15. Last Sunday the Empress arrived here from Schonbrun; and assisted at Te Deum, which, according to annual Custom, was sung in our Metropolitan Church; for the happy Delivery of this Capital from the Turks in the Year 1683. The Emperor is expected to return from Bohemia towards the latter End of next Week; and her Imperial Majesty proposes to set out next Wednesday to meet him at Nicolsbourg. Count Seilern arrived here a few Days

ago from Ratisbon, in order to receive Instructions upon several important Affairs, which are to be taken into Consideration at the general Diet of the Empire.

Copenhagen, Sept. 18. The Spanish Envoy received on the 13th Instant an Express from his Court, with Orders to quit this Place, and to repair in a Fortnight's Time to Stockholm; but upon hearing that Baron Wense had actually left Madrid some Days before the said Express, he has thought proper to hasten his Departure, and therefore proposes to set out this Day for Sweden, without taking a formal Leave of any Body.

Florence, Sept. 21. The Promotion of the Cardinals has been again deferred, till the Consistory of the 24th Instant; and as the Court of Rome has received Advice, by Express, that the Cardinal Lamberg, Bishop of Passau, lies dangerously ill, and is given over by his Physicians, the Pope, according to all Appearances, will be enabled to compliment another Prelate with a Cardinal's Cap, in case of the Decease of the said Cardinal Lamberg.

Brussels, Sept. 25. Prince Charles of Lorraine is expected here on the 28th Instant; but as it is doubtful whether his Royal Highness will stop at Liege, he may, in all Probability, be here To-morrow Morning. The great Sluice, which preserved the Communication between Bruges and Ghent, and served to draw off the Waters at the Time of the Inundations, gave Way on the 18th Instant. It had been enlarged last Summer, and the Basin, belonging thereto, deepened. As the rebuilding of this Sluice will, as it is thought, be a Work of two Years, some Means must be found, in the Interim, for restoring the Communication, which is now interrupted, between Ghent and Ostend, by opening a new Passage for Vessels, and for drawing off the Waters, which will otherwise be greatly detrimental to that Part of the Country, if we should have a wet Winter, and the Lys and Scheld should overflow as usual.

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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.

Navy-Office, September 20, 1753.

The Right Hon. the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having appointed Money for paying Half Pay to Sea Officers, from the 31st of December 1752, to the 30th of June 1753, according to his Majesty's Establishment on that Behalf;

These are to give Notice, that the said Payment will begin to be made at the Treasurer of the Navy's Office in Broad Street, on Monday the 15th of next Month, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning; and continued the following Day, beginning at the same Hour; That all Persons may then and there attend to receive what may become payable unto them, and not only bring with them the Affidavit required touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid the said Half Pay, but also produce Certificates that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oaths required by Act of Parliament to his present Majesty. And in Case any of the said Sea Officers shall not be able to attend themselves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpose, that the said Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Persons they are employed by.

A General Meeting of the Trustees for repairing and amending the Turnpike Roads in the Counties of Surry and Suffex, is appointed to be held at the King's Arms Tavern on St. Margaret's Hill, on Tuesday the 16th of this Instant October, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, to chuse Trustees in the Place of such as are dead, removed, or refuse to act; and to appoint Toll-Collectors, and other Affairs relating to the Trust.

S. Gourney, Clerk.

Trinity House, London, Oct. 3, 1753.

Notice is hereby given, That the Blacktail Beacon is replaced, and that the Floating Beacon, which was there, is taken up.

Custom-House, London, Oct. 5, 1753.

The Receiver General of his Majesty's Customs gives Notice, That he will be ready, on the 15th of October Instant, and the four following usual Days of Payment, to pay all Out-Port Corn Debentures that were presented to the Commissioners between the 20th of February 1752, exclusive, and the 10th of March following inclusive, and which became due between the 20th of May 1752, and the 10th of June following, together with Interest thereon to the said 15th of October, at 3 per Cent. per Ann. pursuant to an Act 26 Geo. II. and that Interest will cease thereon from that Day.

Victualling Office, October 3, 1753.

The Commissioners for Victualling his Majesty's Navy hereby give Notice, That on Wednesday the 31st Instant, exactly at Twelve of the Clock at Noon, they will be ready to receive Proposals from such Persons as are inclinable to furnish Oxen and Hogs for Sea Store, at the Ports of London, Portsmouth, and Plymouth.

Advertisements.

Monday, Oct. 1, was publish'd, Price Six Penns,
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*In the Press, and will be published in Nov. next,
for the Year 1754, with the Prices printed,
The First Volume of a Catalogue of many va-
luable Libraries, purchased this last Summer,
By T. OSBORNE, in Gray's Inn.*

Among others are the Libraries of
Dr. CROMWELL MORTIMER,
Secretary to the Royal Society;
EDMUND PARGITER, Esq;
And several others:

The whole making a much larger Collection than ever was exposed to Sale before; consisting of all Languages and Sciences; as also a numerous Collection of Manuscripts and Prints. For the Conveniency of Noblemen and Gentlemen, who live at a Distance, the Sale will continue during the Year 1754. Such Gentlemen who live in foreign Parts, that are desirous of having the Catalogue, are desired to apply to their Correspondence in London, and it shall be sent: Gentlemen are desired not to give their Orders to the Booksellers (it interfering with their other Affairs) but to their Correspondent or the Proprietor.

N. B. The second Volume will be published in January next.

DR. JAMES'S Powder for **FEVERS,**
and other Inflammatory Distempers, published by Virtue of His MAJESTY'S ROYAL LETTERS PATENT, will remove (as has been experienced in many thousand Cases) any continual acute Fever in a few Hours, though attended with Convulsions, Light-headedness, and the worst Symptoms: But if taken in the Beginning of a Fever, one Dose is generally sufficient to perform a Cure. *

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* See a Dissertation on Fevers, and other Inflammatory Distempers, sold at the Place above-mentioned. Price 6 d.

TO be sold by Auction, at Mackrell's Coffee House, in Bartlett's Buildings, Holborn, London, by the Assignees under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued against John Hoover, late of Wiltshire Lane, East Smithfield, in the County of Middlesex, Brewer, on Thursday the 11th Day of October Instant, between the Hours of Three and Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, The Reversion in Fee (after the Death of a Life aged upwards of Fifty Years) of and in a Moiety or Half Part of a Freehold Messuage or Tenement, with good and convenient Out-Houses, and about 191 Acres of Land, about 9 Acres whereof are Copyhold of Inheritance, and the rest Freehold, called Castlebury Farm, situate in the Parish of Thundridge, about four Miles from Ware in the County of Hertford, lett to the present Tenant on Lease, at 100 l. per Annum. And also a Freehold Messuage or Tenement, with good and convenient Out-Houses, and about 38 Acres of Land, situate at Woodham Ferris, about seven Miles from Chelmsford in Essex, lett to the present Tenant at 27 l. 10 s. per Annum. Particulars of the said Estates to be had of Messrs. Tew and Berry, Attorneys, at No 10. in Clifford's Inn, Fleet Street, London.

THE Creditors of John Martin Willett, a Bankrupt, who have proved their Debts under his Commission, are desired to meet the Assignees of his Estate and Effects, on Tuesday the 9th Day of October Instant, at Seven o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the Fountain Tavern in Bartholomew Lane, in order to assent to or dissent from the Assignees commencing one or more Suits at Law or in Equity, for Recovery of the said Bankrupt's Estate, and also to compound, agree, or leave to Reference any Matter or Thing relating thereto, and on other special Affairs.

PURSUANT to an Order made by the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for Charles Huddy, late of the Parish of Saint Giles Cripplegate, London, Victualler, a Bankrupt, to make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects for 49 Days, to be computed from the 6th of October Instant; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 24th of November next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the said Bankrupt is required to surrender himself, and make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects, and finish his Examination, and the Creditors may then prove their Debts, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

WHEREAS the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Coghill Knapp, late of London, Merchant, did intend to meet on the 11th Day of October Instant, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate: This is to give Notice, that the said Dividend is put off till further Notice in the London Gazette.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Jeremiah Godfrey, of Ashwell, in the County of Hertford, Linendraper, Sh pkeeper and Chapman, intend to meet on the 31st of October instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Parsons, of Golden Square, in the County of Middlesex, Brewer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 30th of October instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Francis Dring, late of Saint Petersburg, in the Kingdom of Russia, Merchant, intend to meet on the 30th of October Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Gray, of Bishopgate-street, London, Grocer, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 7th of November next, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Bond, late of the City of New Sarum, in the County of Wilts, Clothier, intend to meet on Tuesday the 30th of October instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the White Hart Inn in the said City, in order to make a 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Edward Cotterell, late of Marlborough in the County of Wilts, Innholder, intend to meet on the 31st Day of October instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the House of James Ellis, being the Sign of the Three Tuns, in the Borough of Marlborough, in the County of Wilts, 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. And at the same Time the Creditors are to assent to or dissent from the Assignees commencing one or more Suit or Suits in Equity, touching the said Bankrupt's Estate, or submitting to Reference any matters in Difference concerning the same.

