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St. James's, Nov. 8.

THIS Day his Majesty and the Royal Family came from Kensington to reside here during the Winter.

St. James's, Nov. 10.

This being the Anniversary of the King's Birth-day, his Majesty received at Noon the Compliments of the Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction. On this Occasion the Guns in the Park and at the Tower were fired; and in the Evening there will be a Ball at Court, and Bonfires, Illuminations, and other Publick Demonstrations of Joy throughout London and Westminster.

Naples, October 9. A few Days ago anchored at this Port from Sicily, four of the King's Gallies, escorting several Transport Vessels with the Namiur Regiment of Foot, which has been relieved by another from hence. A Misunderstanding has lately happened between this Government and that of Malta, by which all Correspondence between them is suspended, occasioned, it is said, by the latter's Refusal to admit, in the Island of Gozzo, a Visitor from the Bishop of Syracuse. A Palace is hired for Sir James Gray, Minister from his Britannick Majesty, and another for Count Firmian, Envoy from the Court of Vienna, who are shortly expected in this City.

Rome, Oct. 13. As the Promotion of Cardinals is again put off for some Time, many Cardinals and Prelates have obtained the Pope's Leave to return to their respective Country Seats. The Villages of Gualdo and Nocera having been repaired from the Damages occasioned by the late Earthquake, the Pope commiserating the Condition of the Inhabitants of the Village of Fabiano, has ordered the necessary Sum of Money out of the Treasury for their Relief. On the 3d Instant the Pope was to see the Country Seat of Cardinal Alexander Albani, without the Walls of this City; on which Occasion the Cardinal presented him with an Ivory Cane, with a curious Head of three Bassi Rilievi, representing the Birth of our Saviour; and some curious Books, for which the Pope expressed great Satisfaction. The new Silver Coins, of five and two Paul Pieces, out of the Lingots received from Spain, have been distributed from the Banks of this City, for the Conveniency of the Publick. The Pope, the better to secure the Roman Coast, and the Navigation of his Subjects from the Incursions of the Barbary Pirates, instead of one Bark Guard de Coast, has ordered two Shebecks, as more convenient Vessels for that Purpose. M. Serra is preparing to set out for Poland, to relieve M. Archinto the Pope's Nuncio at that Court, who, in the approaching Promotion, is to be appointed Governor of Rome.

Florence, Oct. 17. A few Days ago the Senator Guadagni, who was lately sent a second Time by the Regency to Bologna, to induce that Senate to compleat, on their Part, the new Road which this Government, for the Conveniency of Commerce, has caused to be made from this City to the Confines of the Bolognese, returned here without having been able to succeed in that Commission, so that Road still remains imperfect. On the 4th and 15th Instant, being the Days of the Emperor and Empress's Names, they were celebrated here with the usual Solemnity; Count Richecourt was complimented on the Occasion by the Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and Military Officers, many of whom were by him, in both Days, entertained at Dinner, and particularly the Strangers. In the Afternoon of the 4th, here was an extraordinary Horse-Race, and on the 15th a Chariot-Race; the first made by two Florentine Gentlemen, and the latter at the Expence of Count Richecourt; and Liberty was granted for Masking at the Theatre in the Evenings only for a Fortnight. On the 10th Count Richecourt returned here from a Tour he had made to observe the Suburbs and the new Works of the Lazzeretto at Leghorne, and the Baths at Pisa. From Parma we are informed, that the Dutchess was daily expected there on her Return from France; she was to embark at Antibes on a Squadron of French Gallies for Genoa; the Marquis of Noailles accompanies her to Parma.

London, November 9.

Yesterday Edward Ironside, 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 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 new Lord Mayor (who being indisposed with the Gout, was carried privately in a Sedan Chair) did there take the Oaths appointed, and having recorded Warrants of Attorney in the proper Courts, they all, except his Lordship, 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.

General

General Post Office,

November 7, 1753.

Whereas a second anonymous Letter has been sent to the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Leicester, His Majesty's Post-Master General, in the following Terms:

" My Lord, 1753.
 " I don't find that you have ordered Mr. Stockdale to be taken down, but you give yourself the Trouble to advertise so much Reward, but you will find yourself quite mistaken, for we are true Englesbmen, we are not French Men, nor Irish Men, so that we shall never discover one another, not for One Thousand, much more your One Hundred Pounds; so then if Mr. Stockdale is taken down in a Week's Time, we will serve you as we said in our last Letter.
 " Tuesday, October the 30th. So no more.
 P. S. " You need not give yourself any more Trouble of advertizing, for we shall all stand true to one another, and are resolute to have him down, let what will happen."

This is to offer a Reward of Five Hundred Pounds to any who shall or may make Discovery of the Party or Parties concerned in Writing or Sending the above said Letter, so that he, she or they, be convicted thereof, together with his Majesty's most Gracious Pardon for any Accomplice, who shall make Discovery of the same.

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

Assurance Office, Serjeants Inn, Nov. 10, 1753.

A General Quarterly Court of the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office, will be held at their House in Serjeants Inn, Fleet-street, on Thursday the 15th Instant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon.

John Pye, Register.

British Fishery Office, Royal Exchange, Nov. 7, 1753.

The President, Vice President, and Council of the Society of the Free British Fishery do hereby give Notice, that, agreeable to a Resolution of the General Court this Day, the Subscription Books of the Society will be opened on Friday next, the 9th Instant, at Twelve o'Clock at Noon, and will continue open till the 20th Instant, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon.

By Order of the General Court,

John Lockman, Secretary.

The Books lie open at the following Bankers, viz.

- Mr. Surman and Co. Lombard-street
- Messrs. Child and Backwell, Temple Bar.
- Sir Richard Hoare and Co. Fleet-street.
- Messrs. Drummond, Charing Cross.

Equivalent Office, November 7, 1753.

The Court of Directors of the Equivalent Company give Notice, that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut on Wednesday the 19th of December next, and continue so till Wednesday the 9th of January next, in order to settle the Dividend of Two per Cent. due the 5th of January next, being Christmas Old Stile; and that the Warrants for the said Dividend will be ready to be delivered out and paid on Wednesday the 9th Day of January next, and afterwards every Wednesday from Eleven in the Forenoon till One in the Afternoon, at the Equivalent House in Freeman's Court in Cornhill, London, and at their Office in Edinburgh.

James Mathias, Secretary.

The following Eight Gentlemen are chosen for Directors of the Hand-in-Hand Fire Office, for the Year ensuing.

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| Mr. Matherw Dove | Mr. William Beech |
| Mr. Thomas Holmes | Mr. Charles Carleton |
| Mr. James Johnson | Mr. John Payne |
| Mr. Bartholomew Payne | William Pickering, Esq; |

The Sixteen following are continued according to the Deed of Settlement.

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| Mr. Samuel Burch | Allen Evans, Esq; |
| Mr. Benjamin Cowley | Mr. Jacob Furnell |
| Mr. John Evans | Mr. William James |
| Mr. Joseph Fisher | Mr. Richard Jeffreys |
| Mr. Joseph Foster | Richard Lateward, Esq; |
| William Mount, Esq; | Mr. Samuel Leightonhouse |
| Richard Ricards, Esq; | Mr. John Prite |
| Mr. William Staples | Mr. Benjamin Timbrell. |

Custom-house, London, November 8, 1753.

The Receiver General of his Majesty's Customs gives Notice, That he will be ready, on the 19th of November 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 May 1752, exclusive, and the 4th of June following inclusive, and which became due between the 20th of August 1752, and the 15th of September following, together with Interest thereon to the said 19th of November, at 3 per Cent. per Ann. pursuant to an Act 26 Geo. II. and that Interest will cease thereon from that Day.

Advertisements.

ALL Sorts of ALMANACKS for the Year 1754, will be published together at Stationers Hall, on Tuesday the 20th Day of November 1753.

Dr. ANDERSON'S, or The Famous SCOT'S PILL'S.

ARE faithfully prepared only by JAMES INGLISH, Son of DAVID INGLISH, deceased, at the Unicorn over-against the New Church in the Strand, London; and to prevent Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London, you are desired to take Notice, That the Pills have their Boxes sealed on the Top (in Black Wax) with a Lyon Rampant, and Three Milletts Argent, Dr. Anderson's Head betwixt I. R. with his Name round it, and Isabella Inghish underneath the Shield in a Scroll. They are of excellent Use in all Cases where Purging is necessary, and may be taken with Epsom, Tunbridge, or other Medicinal Waters.

Shortly will be published,

PROPOSALS

For Printing, by SUBSCRIPTION,

A SUPPLEMENTAL VOLUME

TO THE New and Universal DICTIONARY OF

ARTS and SCIENCES.

This Volume (which will render the Dictionary complete) will be comprized in 240 Sheets of Letter-Press, which will make 80 Numbers, at 6 d. each; and, if it should exceed that Number, the Surplus will be given to the Subscribers, without any farther Expence.

The Copper-Plates, with which this Work will be illustrated, though engraved by the best Hands, from original Designs, and exceed Thirty in Number, will be given gratis.

N. B. This Supplemental Volume, with that already published among the other Branches of Literature, will contain a complete System of Mechanics, Manual Arts and Manufactures; which, though so eminently beneficial to Mankind, and so long desired, has not been hitherto attempted in the English Language. Such Persons, therefore, as are possessed of any Mechanical Inventions, and willing to communicate them for the Benefit of Society, are desired to send them to J. Hinton, Bookseller, in Newgate-street, and they will be thankfully received, and inserted under their proper Articles, with the Names of the Inventors, if agreeable.

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.

It is likewise a most effectual Remedy for all internal Inflammation, Pleurisies, Quincies, acute Rheumatisms, and the Lowness of Spirits, and Uneasinesses proceeding from slow and latent Fevers, which are generally mistaken for Vapours and Hysterics; and a single Dose remarkably stops the Progress of a Cold, and certainly prevents the ill Consequences arising from that very common Disorder, the Source of almost all Distempers.

This Powder (which is a very safe and pleasant Medicine to take) is sold by J. Newbery, at the Bible and Sun in St. Paul's Church-yard, over against the North Door of the Church, at 2 s. 6 d. the two Doses, with good Allowance to those who buy it for charitable Uses, or to sell again; and by James Eisdall, Printer, on the Blind Quay, Dublin.

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

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt under the Great Seal of Great Britain, bearing Date the 8th Day of February 1745, was awarded and issued forth against Kender Mason, of Bread-street, London, Merchant; This is to give Notice, that the said Commission is Superfeded.

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 Friday the 14th Day of December next, between the Hours of Five and Six in the Afternoon, A Farm (Part Freehold and Part Copyhold) situate at Westfield in the County of Sussex, lett to Richard Jerman at the yearly Rent of 27l. 10s. besides four Acres of Coppice or Wood Ground; late the Estate of Adryan Spray, deceased, Particulars whereof may be had at the said Master's Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, London.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of Sir George Wheate, late of Bedford Row, in the Parish of St. Andrew, Holborn, in the County of Middlesex, Baronet, deceased, are to come in before Thomas Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his House in Curstol's-street, to prove their Debts, and claim their Legacies, on or before the first Day of next Hilary Term, otherwise they will be peremptorily excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Thomas Smith, late of Worlington in the County of Suffolk, Carrier, deceased, are, on or before the last Day of this present Michaelmas Term, to come before Thomas Lane, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Office in Carey-street, and prove their several Demands, or in Default thereof they will peremptorily be excluded all Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Great Grand Children of Adryan Spray, late of Westfield in the County of Sussex, Yeoman, deceased, (who are not Parties to the said Decree) and were living at the Time of the Death of Sarah Richardson, Widow, (Daughter of the said Adryan Spray) which happened on the 19th of August, 1747, or their legal Representatives, are peremptorily to come in and make their Claim to the Moneys which shall arise by Sale of the said Adryan Spray's Estate, before William Spicer, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln's Inn, on or before the 14th. Day of December next, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors and Legatees of William Wake, Esq; late President and Governor of Bombay in the East Indies, deceased, are forthwith to come in and prove their respective Debts, and claim their Legacies, before Samuel Burroughs, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Chancery-lane, London.

Pursuant to an Order made by the Right Hon. the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, for enlarging the Time for William Stafford, of Whiston in the County of York, Grocer, Flax Dreffer and Chapman, a Bankrupt, to make a full Discovery and Disclosure of his Estate and Effects for Forty Nine Days, to be computed from the 3d Day of this Instant November; This is to give Notice, that the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or the major Part of them, will meet on the 22d of December next, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, at the House of James Coultas, commonly called or known by the Name of the Coach and Horses, situate in Whitefrier Gate in the Town of Kingston upon Hull; 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.

THE Creditors who have proved their Debts under the Commission of Bankrupt against Harris Sharp, late of the Parish of St. John Southwark, in the County of Surry, Wharfinger and Millstone Merchant, are desired to meet the Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate, on Thursday the 15th Day of this Instant November, at the King's Arms Tavern in Tooley Street, Southwark, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, to assent to or dissent from the Assignees commencing one or more Suits or Suits in Law or Equity for the Recovery of any Part of the Bankrupt's Estate; also to their compoundring, or submitting to Arbitration, any Debt, or other Matter relating thereto, and on other special Affairs.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against William Searle Peers, of Braintree in the County of Essex, Clothier, 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 Day of November Instant, and on the 6th and 22d of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the said Days, at the House of John Daniel, called the Queen's Head at Bocking in the County 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. Richard Rayment, Attorney, at Braintree aforesaid.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Robert Lumb, of Wakefield in the County of York, Clothier, Factor 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 November Instant, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon, and on the 29th of the said November, and on the 22d of December next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the two last 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. Parker, in the Paper Buildings in the King's Bench Walks, London.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Charles Chapman, of Union Court, Broad Street, London, Cyder 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 14th and 23d of November Instant, and on the 22d of December next, at Four o'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. Mason, Attorney, at Painters Hall, London.

Whereas a final Dividend is soon to be made of the Effects of Thomas Rodbard, late of Black Friars, Woollen Draper, deceased, the Creditors, if any, who have not yet delivered in their Accounts, are desired to send them by Friday the 30th Instant to the Administrator, Mr. Alderman Fludyer.

THE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Joseph Macham, of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 5th Day of December 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.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against Michael Bland, of London, Broker and Chapman, intend to meet on the 11th Day of December next, at Four 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 James Earnshaw, late of Mosley within Ashton under Line, in the County of Lancaster, Woollen Clothier, intend to meet on the 3d Day of December next, at the Half Moon Tavern in Manchester in the said County, 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. And all Persons indebted to the said Bankrupt's Estate are hereby required forthwith to pay their respective Debts to Mr. Oliver, Attorney, at Manchester, or they will be sued for the same.

THE Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded and issued forth against John Kirkpatrick, late of Cork in the Kingdom of Ireland, and now of the City of London, Merchant, intend to meet on the 5th Day of December next, at Three o'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 William Gwillim, under the joint Commission of Bankruptcy awarded and issued against William Williams and William Gwillim, both of Friday-street in the City of London, Haberdashers and Partners, have certified to the Right Honourable Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said William Gwillim 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 1st of December next.

