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H A S U E, December 21.

WE hear from Madrid, that the King of Spain has granted a Pension of Ten Thousand Livres to the Widow of Don Velasco, who so bravely defended the Moro Fort at the Havannah; and has given his Son a Title of Nobility in Castile, which he is to bear by the Name of the Marquis of the Fort Moro. His Majesty has likewise given Directions, that there should be always, for the future, one Ship in the Royal Navy of the Name of Velasco.

By the Accounts received here from the Empire, the Prussian Detachments were returning into Saxony, with the Contributions which they had raised during their late Expedition.

Stockholm, Dec. 12. The Orders for the Reduction of the Forces in this Kingdom are just published throughout the Provinces, by a circular Letter from his Swedish Majesty.

Berlin, Dec. 14. By the last Letters from Saxony, Major General Kleist was not yet returned from his Expedition into the Empire. The same Letters mention, that his Royal Highness Prince Henry was expected at Leipzig as this Day, where he intended passing a Week with his Prussian Majesty. Count Finkenstein sets out To-morrow for Leipzig.

Hamburg, Dec. 17. We learn from Dantzick, that the Russian Troops which still remain in Prussia, having now sold their Magazines, were to evacuate that Kingdom totally before the End of this Month, in order to return to Russia.

Düsseldorf, Dec. 17. We hear there has been a great Tumult at Wesel, but do not yet know the Particulars. It is said to have been appeased with Difficulty, and that most of the Magistrates have been sent to Prison. This Town is to be evacuated before the End of this Month; and the Palatine Troops that are to enter into Garrison here, are ready to March from Juliers and Duren on the first Notice.

Cologne, Dec. 17. It is probable the Garrison the French have had here, ever since April 1757, will soon quit this Town, as the Commandant has delivered the Keys of the City to the Burgher Masters, also the Posts on the Ramparts, and the Artillery they had taken out of the Arsenal.

A Reform has already been made in the Corps Commanded by M. de Conflans, quartered in the Dutchy of Juliers, of 20 Men per Company, which has made the travelling dangerous.

Liege, Dec. 18. Four Battalions of French Militia passed this Place the 15th, in their return to France. Yesterday the Privy Council received, from the Court of Brussels, requisitorial Letters, for the Passage of six Divisions of Austrian Troops, coming from the Low Countries. The Number of Men in each Division is not specified, but it is said that each Division has 14 Carts with Baggage. They were to begin their March the 15th, and it is expected they will arrive on our Territories To-day.

Dinkelspiel, Dec. 6. The Prussian Troops extend themselves more and more, and are already in the Circle of Suabia. Several Inhabitants of the Country of Wirtemberg, and Baden Dourlach, are sending away their Effects to the Towns of Switzerland, particularly to Basle.

There is great Appearance also, that Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, as soon as the Allied Troops are all settled in their Winter-Quarters, will repair to the King; and that if after the Definitive Treaty between France and England, the War between us and the Austrians should continue, his Highness will be employed in his Majesty's Armies.

Leipzig, Dec. 10. It is reported that four of the principal Electors have resolved to recal their Contingents from the Army of the Empire.

Munster, Dec. 14. The French are preparing to evacuate Wesel, Cleves, Gueldres, and other Places belonging to the King of Prussia upon the Lower Rhine; but it is not yet known whether they are to be restored to the Troops of that Monarch, or if a Detachment of those of the Empress Queen, in the Low Countries, will come to take Possession of them.

Bremen, Dec. 13. The King of Great-Britain has ordered the Ammunition to be paid for, which the Allied Army took from hence.

Moscow, Nov. 15. The Empress keeps her Apartments, not through Illness, but Precaution. The Count Woronzow has given a grand Entertainment to the Earl of Buckinghamshire, to which all the foreign Ministers were invited.

Vienna, Dec. 11. We daily expect the News of a general Action between the Prince of Holberg and the Prussians in Franconia.

Franconia, Dec. 14. General Kleist is retired, with the Troops under his Command, to Schleusingen, where he was joined by 1000 Men under Colonel Trimbach. The Army of the Empire is arrived in the Neighbourhood of Nuremberg, and is quartered in the Villages thereabouts. The Head-Quarters are now at Lauff.

Hamburg, Dec. 17. The Prussian Irruption into Franconia makes a great Noise. The Princes of the Empire once took a Resolution to apply for Succour to the French King, as Guarantee of the Treaty of Westphalia, but this Design was waved on their being informed, that the French Troops were, in Consequence of the Preliminaries between England and that Crown, to evacuate the Empire so soon as the Ratifications were exchanged, and to return no more during this War.

Antwerp, Dec. 21. It is rumoured that the Austrian General Marshal Pzta is to have the Command of the Troops that are to repair to the Lower Rhine, in order to take Possession of the Cities evacuated by the French, belonging to the King of Prussia. Others say, that General Argenteau is appointed to this Command.

Paris, Dec. 27. The Duke of Bedford is preparing a great Equipage, in order to his public Entry in Quality of Ambassador Extraordinary from his Britannic Majesty, which is to be made about the Middle of February next. This Ceremony will give an additional Lustre to the Festivals then to be celebrated, on Account of the Conclusion of the Peace; and to augment the Splendor of this Solemnity, an equestrian Statue of his present Majesty, already finished, is then to be erected.

LONDON, December 27.

Orders were sent on Thursday Night to the War Office, to continue the Light Troops in full Pay till the 23d of next Month, not being yet ready to dismiss them.

Yesterday there was a Cabinet Council at St. James's, on Affairs relating to the Army, at which Lord Ligonier, and several Officers of the Army, assisted.

It is reported that the Earl of Granville will soon resign his Place of President of the Council, on Account of his great Age, and bad State of Health; and that the Lord Chancellor is to resign the Seals, and succeed him in that important Post, which will occasion a general Promotion among the Gentlemen of the Law.

We learn from Spain, that the Money and Effects of the Count de Superunda, late Viceroy of Peru, which had been landed at Ferrol from the Havannah, had been seized by the Government, and the Count himself was expected to be put under Arrest; that the Money belonging to private Persons, returned from the Havannah, had also been seized, because they had neglected to register it; but it was thought it would be restored.

From Radstbon they send a Rumour, that the Ministers of England and Prussia have been ordered by the Grand Signior to quit Constantinople.

Letters by this Day's Mail advise, that a Negotiation between the Courts of Vienna and Berlin is in great Forwardness.

We have also a Report, that the Count de Seilern is coming to England with the Character of Minister Plenipotentiary from the Empress Queen, to renew the good Understanding between the two Courts.

Advices from Amsterdam pretend; that according to Letters received there from Batavia; of the 6th of May, the English have received a considerable Check on the Coast of Coromandel; by the Misconduct of the Attempt against the Isle of France; and that in an Action at Seawar have also suffered a very great Loss. Other Letters from the

same Place bring, that six of our Vessels have been sunk near the Isle of France; but it is hoped this will all prove Dutch News.

A Gentleman from Portsmouth writes, that the French Prisoners there, express the utmost Dissatisfaction on their being ordered Home; and that great Numbers of them, who were ordered on board for their Return to France, had made their Escape.

Last Week the Buckingham Militia was disembodied at Ailesbury, and had given them their regimental Cloaths, Knapsacks, &c. and each of them 14 Days Pay, to carry them to their respective Homes.

Dec. 28. A Report was this Day most currently spread about the Town, that the French have already sent Ten Men of War to the East-Indies, in order to be before hand with us; and shew us some true French Faith; and that a Fleet of ours is also going there.

It was also very strongly affirmed, that great Obstacles to the Definitive Treaty had arisen, in Consequence of some Disputes between the French and English East-India Companies.

The Family Compact Privateer, of St. Sebastian, of 10 Guns, and 100 Men, is taken by the Boston Frigate, Sir Thomas Adams, and brought into Plymouth.

The Calcutta Indiaman has actually brought home the last Frenchmen that remained on the whole Continent of Asia; and Bencoolen, on the Island of Sumatra, was retaken above 15 Months ago, by Three of our Indiamen.

By this Ship we have also Advice, that the Forces destined for an Expedition against the Manilla Islands were all ready to proceed, and only waited for an Account of the Declaration of War against Spain, and were in great Expectations of Success. But we have a less pleasing Account of the intended Attack on the French at Mauritius, wisely planned by the late Minister, for their utter Extirpation from that Quarter of the Globe. Admiral Cornish, during his Cruise and Delay, in Expectation of the promised Succours from Europe, buried upwards of One Thousand brave Sailors, besides Landmen, and returned sickly and distressed.

Admiralty-Office, December 24. Vice Admiral Sir Charles Saunders gives an Account, in his Letter of the 9th of last Month, from Gibraltar, that the Day before arrived at that Port, His Majesty's Ship the Brune, commanded by Captain Tonyn, with the Oiseau, a French Frigate of 26 Guns, and about 240 Men, which he fell in with and took the 23d of October, about 7 Leagues N. W. by W. from Carthage. The Brune had 6 Men killed, and 14 wounded, in the Engagement; and there were 49 killed and wounded on board the Oiseau. The Chevalier de Modene, her Captain, lost his Right-Arm; Three of his Officers are wounded, and all the rest of them killed.

ST. JOHN'S, in ANTIGUA, December 29. His Majesty's Sloop the Virgin has brought in two Privateers of 10 and 6 Guns, which she took off Guadaloupe, after a pretty smart Action.

A Drouger belonging to this Place was taken a few Days ago by a small Spanish Privateer, as she was coming round to St. John's Road from English Harbour, loaded with King's Stores.

Jan. 19. The Ship Royal Duke, Capt. Michael Tevey, from Guadaloupe for London, ran ashore on the Northwest Part of the Island of Barbuda, the 9th Instant, at Night; the last Account from thence was on the 16th Instant, when the Ship lay on her Broad-side, they had saved only 20 odd Pipes of Wine, 30 odd Casks of Coffee, and some of the Ship's Stores, which, with what else can be saved, will be brought to Antigua, and sold for the Benefit of the concerned. There is no hope of saving the Ship. Capt. Tevey, and most of the Ship's Company are yet at Barbuda, endeavoring to save as much of the Cargo as possible. None of the People are lost.

Jan. 26. We hear from St. Martins, that there are 21 Sail of Vessels expected shortly from the Mount at St. Bassatus, and that there was an embargo laid there on all the outward bound Vessels, to prevent the English receiving any Intelligence of them.

SUBSCRIBER, *Advertisement*
of Mr. William Chapman, late of
Town, Merchant, Deceased, on Wednes-
day 13th Day of April next, at the House of
Mary Galloway in Annapolis,
A Parcel of Country Born SLAVES,
consisting of MEN, WOMEN and CHIL-
dren for Sterling Cash, or Good London Bills
payable. The Sale to begin at 11 o'Clock
on Monday.
WILLIAM CHAPMAN.

Port-Tobacco, January 31, 1763.
Person qualified to take the Command of a
large SEA SLOOP, and comes well re-
commended for his Sobriety, Industry, and Integ-
rity. The Sale to begin at 11 o'Clock
on Monday.
JOHN HANSON, junior.

ANTED, a Young LAD as an Apprentice
to Store-Keeping. Any one of a good
Character, that would be willing to bind himself
for four Years, may know the Terms by
writing to the Printers hereof.

ANNAPOIS, February 10, 1763.

LYING in Hunger-River,
Dorchester County, and to
be SOLD by the Subscriber, a
SCHOONER which will carry
about 26 or 2700 Bushels of
GRAIN: She is well fitted,
faithfully Built, and a prime
Sailer, has made two Bay Trips
for Terms, apply to SHADRACH FALLER
at the above mentioned Place, or JOHN BENNETT.

SOLD by PUBLIC VENDUE,
on the first Day of April next, near De-
pot Bottom, in Anne Arundel County, as
witnessed by the Will of Mr. John
Deceased for Cash, or good Security, if
desired.

VERY valuable Tract of LAND, situate
lying about 14 Miles from the Head of
and two Miles from Delaware's Bottom,
the Deceased's family lived, containing 395
acres of these Plantations, whereon is a good
House, Kitchen, Quarters, Barn, To-
baccoes, and other Out-Houses; likewise
Orchards, one of which consists of up-
wards of 500 good Fruit Trees. There is a good
Meadow Ground, within good Fencing,
more may be made.
Horses, Cattle, Hogs, and Sheep, Fish-
ponds, and Variety of Household Goods,
viz. Good Feather Beds, Looking-
Glasses, &c. &c.
THOMAS OLIVER, Executor.
The Sale to begin at XI o'Clock, and continue
to Day, till all is Sold.

TO BE SOLD
A Tract of LAND called "The River Neck"
lying on the Bay near the
River, in Baltimore County, con-
sisting of about 1000 Acres. Any Person desirous
of buying the above Tract of Land, may, upon
Application to Mr. Robert Alexander, of Bal-
timore, be informed of the Title and Terms
of Sale, or Gold and Silver, at the time
of Sale, will be taken in Payment, as may be
seen in the Advertisement.

away from the Subscriber, living in An-
napolis, on the 28th of Decemb. last, a Con-
stant Man, named Richard Stevens, a Free-
man, and Taylor by Trade. Speaks broken
English very quick. He is about 35 Years of
Age, naturally of a pale Complexion, but
somewhat swarthy; his Face was much marked
with black Eyes, occasioned by Fighting. He
wears a brown Broadcloth Coat and Waistcoat,
with the same Colour, a violet blue Hat
with divers other Things too tedious to
mention.
He takes up the said Servant, and secures
his Master may have him, again, shall
be paid in full.
FIVE POUNDS Reward, paid by
JOHN DUCKER.

IRON, to be SOLD by Boc-
ker, in the Province of Baltimore Town.
The Iron is of the best Quality, and
will be sold at a reasonable Price.
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