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FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

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Arriv'd a Mail from France.

Lisbon, December 27.



THE Fleet bound for Fernambuco, consisting of fourteen Merchantmen, under the Convoy of a Man of War, put to Sea last Saturday with a fair Wind. We have received Advice, that a Spanish Register Ship, from Honduras, with 200,000 Pieces of Eight, besides a very valuable Cargo of Merchandise on board, is put in at the Madeiras, in order to repair the Damages she received in three violent Storms, after which she will proceed to Cadiz.

Rome, Jan. 8. Publick Prayers are put up in the principal Churches of this City, on Account of the Disputes between the Clergy and Parliaments of France, beseeching the Almighty to restore Peace to the Church in that Kingdom.

Genoa, Jan. 9. They write from Barcelona, that his Catholic Majesty has appointed the Infant Don Louis, his Brother, to be General of the Troops, and Inspector of the Fortifications, of the Spanish Monarchy.

Frankfort, Jan. 22. We have received an Account, that the Margravine of Baden-Baden died on the 12th Instant, at the Castle of Rastadt, in the 49th Year of her Age.

Hague, Jan. 28. The States of this Province are separated till a new Convocation, after having agreed to the raising the same publick Taxes and Duties as were collected last Year.

[Thus far the Gazette.]

Naples, Jan. 7. Our Differences with the Order of Malta are accommodated.

The Eruption of Mount Vesuvius still continues. The Matter which it throws out from several Parts is like melted Gla's. In one Place it bursts out with great Violence, and forms a Stream of about forty Feet in Breadth. The Conter-nation of the neighbouring Inhabitants may be more easily imagined than expressed.

Paris, Jan. 20. We hear that Mr. Macnamara, Lieutenant General of the King's naval Forces, has been sent for to Court, and is appointed to command the Squadron actually equipping at Brest and Rochefort; that he is to hoist his Flag on board the Formidable, of eighty Guns; and is to have three Chiefs d'Escadre under him, viz. Count Dubois de la Motte, M. Perrier de Salvart, and M. de Montlout. This Squadron, 'tis pretended, will consist of six Ships of the Line, five Frigates, and ten Transports, of five, eight, and ten Guns. The Number of Troops to be embarked is set at 3000; but nothing can be positively asserted as to the Number of Men and Ships.

Messrs. Mildmay and Ravigny de Cosne, Commissaries of the King of Great Britain for regulating Limits in America, went a few Days ago to Versailles, and had a Conference with M. Rouille, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, and with the Abbe de la Ville, in Consequence of some Dispatches they had received from London.

Paris, Jan. 24. On Tuesday se'nnight the Corpse of the late Earl of Albemarle was sent to Calais, in order to be carried over to England.

The Parliament of Normandy has resolved not to register the King's Declaration of the 2d of September till his Majesty revokes the Letters de Cachet, which banishes two Priests for siding with the Parliament in the Affair of the Curate of Vernouil.

Warsaw, Jan. 18. Letters from Podolia advise, that the News of the Grand Signior's Death occasioned an Insurrection of the Garrison of Choczim, who wanted to deprive the Pacha of his Command; and that the Heads of the Militia had employed their utmost Efforts to appease the Tumult, but to very little Purpose, the Animosity of the Garrison was so great.

I R E L A N D.

Kinsale, Jan. 20. The Portbury, of Bristol, Burthen 120 Tons, John Smith, Master, from Boston, with Tar, Oil, and Staves, for Bristol, is drove in here in a most distressed Condition. About three Weeks before she came in here, she met with a violent Storm of Wind at Sea, which carried away her Mainmast and Boltspirit, and left only Part of the Foremast standing. One of the Hands, named Davis, belonging to Youghall, was washed overboard, and drowned.

Naas, Jan. 23. Last Thursday a Woman, to all Appearance, died, and was buried the Saturday following; but about an Hour after, some Boys playing in the Church-Yard heard a Noise under Ground, with which acquainting their Parents, the Grave was immediately opened, and the Woman

found alive. Proper Care was immediately taken of her, and she is now thoroughly recovered.

L O N D O N, February 4.

To the AUTHOR, &c.

S I R,

I HAVE been told from Greenwich, that there was so little Need of any Solicitation, that four or five hundred of the Pensioners in the Hospital did, with great Alacrity and Cheerfulness, voluntarily offer (of themselves) to man some of his Majesty's Ships of War in Case of a Rupture with France, on the very reasonable Condition, that they be admitted there again when the War shall be over.

We see from this, that the old British Spirit is not quite extinct in the Populace: Would to God there were a little of it among their Superiors! If so; instead of a single Ship of Observation, a Fleet would be sent, to blow them out of the Harbour at Brest; which probably (provided our M——y send no more *Matheurs* and *Lestocks*) might put an End to the War at once.

Where is the Man of Sense among us, whose old, brave, rough, English Spirit is not fatally polish'd away, but thinks those honest Tars at Greenwich deserve the Thanks of the Representatives of our People? But alas! how far from this is the present Sense of our polite Gentlemen! When at the End of the last War our brave Sailors, after having ventured their All, with their Lives, were not only bilk'd of their Prize-Money, but forced to go to France or starve at Home. O British Honour and Honesty, at this Gallick Period of Time! See ye great Ones! how far you are outdone in that Generosity and Greatness of Soul, which you do but talk of, and learn of these Sailors, whom you look down upon, to return Good for Evil: Here is Greatness of Spirit for your Baseness! even in the Underlings of Mankind, whom you do despise.

But is this Baseness in high, this Honour and Generosity in low, Life, to be accounted for? It is: A wretched Politeness has not yet defended so low, as to corrupt the Integrity and Honesty of the good People. 2dly, Gold Dust is not so apt to blind the Eyes of the Little, as of the Great. 3dly, The little Ones are not so curiously complaisant, as to lick French Spit; nor are they so enervated with downright English Luxury, at least they have more Sense, than to be taken with French Fashions, or cajoled with French Promises.

However, it is said (which may make some Amends) that our English Shipwrights, as well as English Sailors, will be invited Home by a Proclamation; setting forth, that if they return to their Country against such a Day, they shall not only be pardon'd, but kindly received, and Emoluments and Privileges allotted by Parliament for their Encouragement for the future; but that they who will not return, if they are taken in either French or Spanish Ships, shall have no Mercy, but be hang'd up on the Yard Arm, without Court-Martial.

I am, Sir, Yours, &c.

Heretofore, in Circumstances of national Difficulty, it was thought no Disgrace to any Station, that an apparent Air of Gravity and Concern was put on, and worn through the whole Conjunction; but in these heroic Times we brave Debts and Taxes by Dissipation, and, instead of meagre Looks and solemn Services, we prepare for War by a most brilliant Series of Operas, Balls, and Masquerades.

There never were so many fine Subjects for a fruitful Fancy to exercise itself upon, in maintaining the Rights of the Moderns against the Antients, as at present. Indeed the Choice Spirits seem to have nothing so much in view as this; 'tis their Point of Honour, the Object of their Wishes, and the only Key by which we can decypher their Conduct, and render it in some measure consistent and of a Piece.

For Instance, in Point of Magnanimity: The Antients represented a virtuous Man struggling against Misfortunes, as a Spectacle worthy the Attention of the Gods: But modern Magnanimity has recourse to a Pistol; shuns Life, to avoid Trouble; and forgetting how he came here, and what may become of him hereafter, to escape a Horner, leaps a Precipice. If he does not by this delight the Gods, he at least makes the Devils blush and tremble.

Again, in Point of Generosity, the Heroes of Antiquity placed it in preferring the Publick to themselves; they sacrifice Ease, Fortune, Life, in the Service of their Country, and preferred honest Fame to sensual Appetites. The Moderns sacrifice Ease, Fortune, and sometimes Life, as well as They; but to what? To their Pleasures. The Maim'd, the Infirm, the Helpless of every Kind, shared the Bounty of the Former, who very often left but little to themselves: The Moderns are even with them in this; but then they spend it with Pimps, Parasites, and Shar'ers.

According to our last Advices from Brest, they are in the greatest Hurry imaginable about the Armament making in that Port; the Men work on Sundays and Holidays; and they are also making up great Quantities of Medicines in the Hospitals.

They write from Lisbon, that one Feliciano Velho has presented a Plan to the King, for setting up an East India

Company in Portugal; and they presume his Project has been approved of, seeing his Most Faithful Majesty has already granted the Parties concerned a Place for a Yard and Dock, which is to be called the East India Company's and has also named four Persons to be charged with the Direction of this new Trade.

Mr. Akerman, Head Keeper of Newgate, has receiv'd Orders to discharge the Smugglers and other Prisoners for small Debts, in order to serve the King, and several have agreed to enlist.

We hear that the Parliament will rise about the End of March.

We hear that the Right Hon. the Lord Townshend proposes to give an annual Prize of fifteen Guineas for the best Essay or Dissertation on some Branch of Trade and Commerce, that shall be compos'd by a Member of the University of Cambridge.

Last Week the Ranger Man of War began a sharp Press for Seamen in Yarmouth Roads, bringing to all Ships passing through; and, we hear, they have impressed a great many able Sailors for his Majesty's Service.

Yesterday about Two o'Clock, a single Highwayman attacked two Gentlemen in a Post Chaise on Hounslow heath; one of whom the Moment he was robbed, jumped out, and freeing one of the Horses from the Harness, mounted him, and pursued the Highwayman from the Powder-Mills, through Hounslow, as far as Smallberry-Green, where his Horse being knocked up, the Highwayman turned down some Lane, and made his Escape; and what is almost incredible, notwithstanding the Gentleman was not twenty Yards from him in the Town of Hounslow, and kept crying out, Highwayman, Highwayman, as he pursued him, yet no one had Spirit enough to join in the Pursuit.

A Fleet is sail'd from Brest, consisting of six Men of War, and twelve Transports, with twelve Battalions on board.

Last Week a pretended Press Gang met a Countryman in St. George's Fields, and press'd him, but told him if he had any Money about him, and would give it them, they would let him go; on which the poor Man said he would give them his All, which was Two Guineas, which they took and let him go; but between Tooley-street and London-bridge he met with a real Gang, who took hold of him, when he telling them how he had been before serv'd, and that the pretended Gang were at a Publick-House, which he would shew them, they went with him, and secur'd them all.

VALENTINES'S DAY,

A New SONG.

WHEN blushes dy'd the cheek of morn,
And dew-drops glisten'd on the Thorn,
When sky-larks tun'd their carols sweet,
To hail the God of light and heat:
Philander from his downy bed,
To fair Lisetta's chamber sped:
Crying awake sweet love of mine,
I am come to be thy Valentine;
Awake, awake sweet love of mine,
I am come to be thy Valentine.
Soft love, that balmy sleep denies,
Had long unveil'd her brilliant eyes,
Which, that a kiss she might obtain,
She artfully had clos'd again;
He sunk, thus caught in beauty's trap,
Like Phæbus into Tethys' lap,
And near forgot that his design
Was but to be her Valentine.
She starting, cry'd, I am undone!
Philander, charming youth! begone,
For this time, to your vows sincere,
Make virtue, not your love, appear:
No sleep has clos'd these watchful eyes;
Forgive the simple fond disguise:
To generous thoughts your heart incline,
And be my faithful Valentine.
The brutal passion sudden fled,
Fair honour govern'd in its stead,
And both agreed, e'er setting fun,
To join two virtuous hearts in one:
Their beauteous offspring soon did prove
The sweets effects of mutual love:
And from that hour, to life's decline,
She blest the day of Valentine.

We hear 't is often mentioned, that in a certain County somewhat nearer to us than the Moon, they are now making free with the Revenues of Fifty-eight: But how comes this about? Has publick Business, or publick Calamity brought on this? Nothing like it. Journeys, Feasts, Spectacles, &c. Luxury, it seems makes greater Waste than War; and, as some Folks say, a Hog eats more than a Lion.

Our Allies are still but Spectators.
We hear, that out of 500 Men summoned to Westminster Hall, the Regulating Captains took 450; the Eighty-men Apprentices on the River Thames are also summoned to appear at that Hall.

Yesterday Protections were granted to some coasting Fishing Smacks, Ships with Naval Stores, and such Ships as are laden with perishable Commodities.

Tuesday Morning was married at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, Alexander Powell, Esq; to Miss Wills, Daughter of the Bishop of Bath and Wells; and as soon as the Ceremony was over, they set out for his Seat in Wiltshire.

Saturday's Post.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Arriv'd a Mail from France.

Marseilles, Jan. 6.

IN the Course of last Year 1366 Vessels arrived in this Harbour, viz. 357 from the Levant; 87 from the Coast of Africa; 17 from Malta; 303 from Italy; 249 from Spain; 7 from Portugal; 50 from the Ocean; 33 from Holland; 16 from Sweden; 1 from Denmark; 29 from England; 80 from Martinique; 15 from Cape Francois; and 42 from Newfoundland. Of these 955 were French; 6 Maltese; 22 Neapolitan; 14 Roman; 6 Turkish; 2 Venetian; 119 Genoese; 28 Spanish; Catalan; 74 Dutch; 16 Swedish; 5 Danish; and 59 English.

LONDON, February 6, 1755.

A LETTER from the Queen of Sweden to her Son.

NOBODY is ignorant of their Majesties Tenderness for their Children, and the Care they take to train them up in the Practice of such Virtues as do Honour to an illustrious Birth: but the following Letters, wrote by the Queen to Prince Gustavus, while her Majesty was on a Journey with the King in the Provinces, demonstrate to Sweden what it may expect from Princes educated under the Eye of such Parents. This Letter, dated from Stronsborg, runs thus:

"I have been sensibly affected, Dear Son, at the great Concern you have expressed at my Departure. I do not conceal from you, that your Friendship is dear to me, and that few Mothers are capable of loving their Children more tenderly than I do mine: God forbid that I should love you with a blind Affection; this would be to hate, and not love you. I have an Eye to all your Actions; and cannot reproach myself with foolishly or fondly overlooking your Faults: Nay, I flatter myself that this Solitude will be one Day the Means of attaching you more intimately to me. Continue dear Son, to be exact and punctual in all your Duties; the first of which I reckon to be the Worship and Veneration you owe to the Supreme Being. Remember that the moral Virtues stand upon a crazy Foundation, if they be not supported by Christian Virtues; that the Sentiments which great Souls entertain of God proceed from the Heart, and procure them a noble Confidence in all the Actions of their Lives. May your, dear Son, be long and happy: And may God's Grace place you among those virtuous Princes, who serve as Models to future Ages: These dear Son, are my Wishes; they are sincere; and they assure you of the great Affection with which I shall ever be,

Your tender Mother,
LOUISA ULRICA."

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Digby Dent, Esq; Temple West, Esq; George Pocock, Esq; and the Hon. George Townshend, to be Admirals of the Royal Navy.

The Lords of the Admiralty have put the St. George of 90 Guns into Commission, and given the Command to Capt. John Storr; on board this Ship Sir Edward Hawke hoists his Flag.

Last Saturday the following Ships were ordered to be fitted for the Sea, viz. the Barfleur, 2d Rate, and Lancaster, 3d Rate, for Pendants, at Chatham. Ramilies, 2d Rate, for Grafton and Chichester, 3d Rates, at Portsmouth. Ipswich, 3d Rate, and Warwick, 4th Rate, at Plymouth. There are in Commission, besides the above mentioned, forty one Ships the greatest Part of which are of the Line of Battle. No Ship under sixty Guns is esteemed to be of the Line of Battle.

On Tuesday the Somerset, of 80 Guns, and some more Men of War, were put into Commission.

We hear a Regiment of Marines is to be raised directly.

It has been said in some of the foreign Gazettes, that the new Treaty between France and Spain relates only to Commerce; but we hear that it is nothing less than an Alliance Offensive and Defensive.

The Rev. John Newton, M. A. Chaplain to the Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire, is presented by the Dean and Chapter of Salisbury to the Vicarage of Melkham, in the County of Wilt and Diocese of Sarum, worth 300l. per Annum void by the Resignation of the Rev. Philip Pyle.

His Majesty has passed the Great Seal to enable the Master, Cl. M. A. Chaplain to the Duke of Devonshire, to the Vicarage of Kenham, in the County Diocese of Bath and Wells, together with Salford in the same County and Diocese.

of Cork. James Hatfield, Master, with Beef, Butter, and Cheese, is in France, was on the 20th inst. at Sea, near East Loos in the County of York, and the Crew, with there have been since

taken up six Barrels of the Beef, nineteen Firkins of Butter, and three hundred Weight of Cheese.

Days appointed for holding the ensuing Lent Assizes.

Western Circuit.

Hon. Mr. Baron Legge, Mr. Justice Bathurst. Southampton, Tuesday March 4, at the Castle of Winchester.

Wilt, Saturday the 8th, at New Sarum. Dorset, Thursday the 13th at Dorchester. City and County of Exeter, Monday the 17th, at the Guild hall. Devon, the same Day, at the Castle of Exeter. Cornwall, Tuesday the 24th at Launceston. Somerset, Monday the 21st, at the Castle of Taunton.

'Tis said that all the Company at the Ball at Somerset House last Night, except his Majesty, unmasked at Nine o'Clock.

We hear that there have been near 3000 Men pressed, and about one Third of them refused.

To be LETT,

And enter'd upon at Lady-Day next, for the Term of 7, 14, or 21 Years, from Lady-Day next;

THE Barton called the Castle-Barton, in or adjoining to the Town of Tiverton, in the County of Devon (one of the best Market-Towns in the said County); consisting of a very good House, Malt-House, Pound-House, and all other convenient Out-Houses, Linenry, Courtyards, and Kitchen Gardens, 11 Acres of Orchard, planted with the best Sort of Apples, now in its Prime. And also several Closes of rich Meadow and Pasture Ground, called Pale-Barton, lying in Tiverton aforesaid, and adjoining to the said Castle-Barton; containing in the Whole upwards of 200 Acres, esteemed some of the best Feeding and Dairy Land in the County, well water'd even in the driest Season; to be managed with more Ease and less Expence than any Barton in the Neighbourhood. The Produce thereof being daily fetch'd by the Inhabitants of Tiverton, without any Trouble of carrying it to Market.

Any Person willing to view the same may apply to the Rev. Mr. Whitton, or Mr. John Maunier, of Tiverton; Mr. John Dally, of Throverton; or Mr. Richard Ford, of Newton-Abbott, who will treat for the same.

A COCK MATCH,

TO be fought at the Red Lion Inn in Chard, Somerset. To be 35 Cocks each Side for the Main, for four Guineas a Battle, and twenty Guineas the Odd Battle. Likewise 15 Cocks for Eyes, for two Guineas a Battle. To be fought on Tuesday the 18th Day of February, and fight the three following Days.

The Landlord of the aforesaid Inn, and William Miles, Feeders.

ALL Persons that have any Demands on the

Estate and Effects of Abraham Acount, of North Cadbury, in the County of Somerset, deceased, are desired forthwith to send an Account thereof to Mr. James Ridgeway, of Winton, in the County of Somerset, otherwise they will be excluded a Dividend of his Effects.

And such Persons that are indebted to the Estate and Effects of the said Abraham Acount, are hereby required forthwith to pay the same to the said James Ridgeway, otherwise they will be sued without further Notice.

BEAMISTER TURNPIKE.

AT a Meeting of the Trustees, appointed by an Act in the 27th Year of the Reign of our present Majesty, for erecting Turnpikes, and widening and repairing the Road between Beamister and Bridport, in the County of Dorset, on the 24th Day of February instant. It was ordered that 900l. at 4l. 10s. per Cent. should be borrowed in six Weeks, on the Credit of the Tolls of the said Road, which Sum the Trustees are well assured will completely repair and finish the whole Road (being in all but six Miles) and that the Tolls will clear yearly, (after paying all Collectors' and fourpence Guineas. A Gentleman, of undoubted Security, having offered to take them at that annual Rent.

If any Person is inclined to advance the said Sum, he is desired immediately to apply to Mr. Bettiscombe, of Bridport, Clerk to the Turnpike, who will produce the Books, and show what the Tolls bring in, by which it will appear that they are not only sufficient to pay the Interest of the above Sum, but will likewise discharge the Principal in less than 20 Years, a Thing pretty extraordinary in Turnpike Securities.

P. BETTISCOMBE, Clerk.

To be LETT,

(Together or in Parcels) for a Term of seven, or fourteen Years from Lady Day next.



A Good Farm House, with convenient Out-houses, Linenry, Barn, Stable, Pound-house, Dairy and Courtyards, five Acres of very good Orchard, thirty Acres of good Meadow, and upwards of 100 Acres of Arable and Pasture Ground, with seven Acres of Coppice. The Estate very fit for Feeding, or a Dairy; as also for a Tillage, and healthy for Sheep, all lying in the Parish of Combyne, in the County of Devon, near five Market Towns, viz. about three Miles from Axminster, three Miles from Colyton, near from Honiton, nine from Chard, and three from Lymington. Application may be made to William West, Esq; at Whitlands, near Lymington, who will give proper Encouragement to a Tenant.

N. B. There are now ten Acres of Wheat sown in good Order on the Premises.

WANTED,

A Mistress for the Ladies Charity School, to teach Girls to read and spin. Any Person duly qualified to undertake the said School, who can be well recommended, will meet with very great Encouragement; and may apply to the Rev. Mr. Tucker, or to the Rev. Mr. Cumplin in Bristol.

Bristol, Jan. 31, 1755.

Speedily will be opened, in this City, a School

for teaching young Girls to spin. Any Manufacturers of Linen or Thread, who are willing to supply the said School, with Flax, and to take the Yarn, are desired to send their Proposals immediately to the Rev. Mr. Tucker, or to the Rev. Mr. Cumplin in Bristol.

Bristol, Jan. 31, 1755.

This is to give NOTICE,

THAT all Persons indebted to David Downing, Shop-keeper in Plymouth, deceased, are desired to pay their respective Debts on or before the 24th of June next, unto Nicholas Foot of Plymouth, Executor in Trust, in Plymouth. And all Persons who have any Demands on the Estate of the said David Downing, are to send an Account to the said Nicholas Foot.

Plymouth, Jan. 31, 1755.

To be LETT,

For a Term of 7, 14, or 21 Years, and enter'd upon at Michaelmas next,

ALL that Capital Messuage, Barton, or Farm, called Curry-Pool, situate in the Parish of Charlton, in the County of Somerset, 2 Miles from Bideford, 8 from Taunton, and 2 from Netherswell, a good Market-Town; consisting of a very good Mansion-House, Garden and Orchard, &c. contiguous, all Sorts of Out-Houses, Barns, Stables, Courtyards, &c. convenient thereto; consisting in the Whole of about 260 Acres of Land, Meadow and Pasture, whereof 90 Acres are rich Meadow, and every Inch may be water'd in the driest Summer.

The Premises are in good Order, and the Person that takes the same may have Liberty to sow Clover or other Grass Seeds, with the Lent Corn, and will be given this Season.

For Particulars enquire of Mr. Thomas Glubby, Attorney, in Netherswell aforesaid.

On Thursday the 20th of February, 1755, will be exposed to public Sale, at the Post-Office in Weymouth, (to be sold to the highest Bidder).



THE JOHN and WILLIAM

Disguise, William Jopples, late Master, butten one hundred and thirty Tons, more or less, with her Boat, Tackle, and Apparel, as she now lies at Weymouth Quay, between two and three Years old, Weymouth built: She is an exceeding good qualified Vessel, and a good Sailor. The Materials, &c. are to be seen at any Time. For further Particulars enquire of John Turner of Weymouth.

To be LETT,

And enter'd upon at Lady-day next.

HULL FARM, in the Parish of Horington, and County of Somerset, very convenient for a Dairy, the Rent 60l. a Year.

For farther Particulars enquire at the said House, or of Dr. Wright at Henlfridge.

To be LETT,

For a Term of seven, fourteen, or twenty-one Years, from Lady-Day next,

SHILVEN FARM, with some other Grounds

adjoining, lying in Shapcombe-Tything, within the Parish of Luppitt and County of Devon, about two Miles and half from Honiton, one of the most considerable Market-Towns in the West of England, where the present Tenant of the Premises keeps almost all his Provisions rising upon the said Farm; which consists of a very good Farm-House, with a large Kitchen, Hall and Parlour, wainscotted, with Cellars; with a fine cool Dairy-House, and a good Stream of fine Water constantly running through it both Summer and Winter, besides a very good cool Milk-House, and all other necessary Offices within Door: As also a very good Pound-House and Pound therein, a large Barn, several Stables, Stralls, and other necessary Out-houses and Courtyards, with 25 Acres of good Meadow Ground and upwards, and 84 Acres of good Arable and Pasture Ground and upwards, besides 3 Acres of Orchard and the Gardens; in the Whole 115 Acres of Ground and upwards. And there are now 8 Acres of good Wheat sown; and also 9 Acres of Ground is to be left ploughed, in order for Lent-Corn, on the Premises, before 8 and half of young Grass were there sown the last Spring.

Any Person inclined to take the said Farm and Premises, may apply for farther Particulars to Mr. Gill of Honiton.

This Day is published, (Price 2s. 6d.)

[Humbly inscribed to Her Royal Highness the Princess of WALES]

NEW and Complete Alphabets in all the Hands now practised in Great-Britain, with the Greek, Hebrew, and German Characters, all wrote in a new and elegant Taste, to perpetuate those Hands to Posterity.

By J. CHAMPION,

And finely engraved by GEORGE BICKHAM. London: Printed for and sold by Henry Overton, Map and Printseller, at the White Horse without Newgate; and R. Goadby, at Sherborne.

WHEREAS the Snow, Mary of Cork, John

Hartfield, Master, bound from the said Port to Bordeaux, was, Monday Night the 20th of Jan. last, drove on Shore at Seaton, between Looe and Plymouth, laden with Beef, Butter and Cheese; the major Part of which has been carried off by the Country, in a most inhuman Manner. As most of the People concerned are well known, they will be prosecuted with the utmost Rigour, provided they don't bring in the said Provisions, on or before the last Day of this Month, to Mr. Prestwood of Looe, or Mr. Fanning of Plymouth; on Delivery of which they shall be allowed all reasonable Salvage.

Dated Feb. 3, 1755.

ON Thursday the 13th Day of February next,

by Three o'Clock in the afternoon, a SURVEY will be held at the White Hart Inn in Cullumpton, in the County of Devon, for the Sale of the late Dwelling-House, Out-houses and Garden, with a large Tan-yard thereto belonging, attended with all Conveniences, of Mr. Anthony Heathfield, of Cullumpton aforesaid, Tanner, deceased, lying to the said Town of Cullumpton (where no Tanner is permitted to reside), for the Remainder of a Term of 99 Years, and also the Site of four Pieces of Ground, called Bowley Meadows, Climpot Field, Little Stone, and Great Stone, determinable on Lives, adjoining thereto. At which Time will be exposed to Sale, the Household Goods of the said Mr. Heathfield, at his late Dwelling-House aforesaid. In the mean Time further Particulars may be had of Messrs. Parsons and Heathfield, Merchants, in Tiverton; or of Mr. Brutton, Attorney at Law, in Cullumpton.

ALL Persons having Demands on the Estate

of Jonathan Strange, late of Bideford, Merchant, deceased, are hereby desired to send Accounts of the Particulars of such their respective Demands, to Messrs. William Strange, John Marks, Thomas Howard, and James Hillier, at Bideford, aforesaid. And all Persons that are indebted to the said Estate, are hereby desired to pay their respective Debts to the same Persons without further Notice.

LOST,

The 5th Day of January, New-Style, or thereabout, from William Pitts, at the Sign of the Buck's Head, in Bryanston-Street in Blandford, Dorset;

A Black Spaniel Dog, about seven Months old, with a little white Snip under the Breast, and here and there a grey Hair coming out on his Back, belonging to the Hon. Henry William Portman, Esq; at Bryanston aforesaid, or to any of his Servants, or to William Pitts, in Blandford, or to the Printer in Sherborne, for that he may be had again, shall receive a handsome Reward: Or whoever shall detain the said Dog, if he be found upon him, will be prosecuted as the Law directs.

This Day was published,

In Two Volumes Twelves, Price bound 6s.

(Adorn'd with the Frontispiece of a Personage, who is every Man's intimate Acquaintance, and a great Favourite with the Ladies.)

The CARD.

Printed for the MAKER, and sold at Mr. Newbery's, the Bible and Sun in St. Paul's Church-yard.

This Day is published,

(Price One Shilling)

The MONTHLY REVIEW,

For JANUARY, 1755.

Being the First Number of Volume XII.

CONTAINING,

1. Select Pieces on Commerce, Natural Philosophy, &c. from the French, German, &c.
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ALL Gentlemen Seamen, and able-bodied

Londoners, who are willing to serve his Majesty on board the Lyme, under the Command of Captain Samuel Faulkner, let them repair on board the said Ship in Hamoaze, or to Mr. Montagu in Lowe, Mr. Ezekiel Cofentine in Fowey, Mr. John Osborne in Penryn, Mr. Manly in Dartmouth, Mr. Wroughton in Penance, Mr. Nichols in Truro, or to Mr. Russell in Falmouth, who will give them such Certificates, as will protect them to the said Ship.

N. B. All Persons that shall enter on or before the 20th Day of February, will be entitled to his Majesty's Royal Bounty.

To be SOLD in FEE,

Or leased for three Lives, or set for a Term of Years, from Lady-Day next,

TWO Farms, called Shurwell, and Stockcombe, which have Common of Pasture on Wildanes Down, and Wildanes and South-hill Combe; lying in the Parish of Southleigh, near Honiton, and other large Market-Towns, in the County of Devon: Containing in the Whole about 170 Acres of exceeding good Arable, Meadow, and Pasture Ground, of about the yearly Value of 1000l. being Part of the Lands of Henry Walrond, of the Crown-Office, Esq; lately deceased. For which a Survey will be held at the Dolphin Inn in Clifton, on Monday the 3d Day of March next, by Three o'Clock in the afternoon; and in the mean Time further Particulars may be had of Courtney Walrond, of Bradford, Esq; or Mr. Brutton, Attorney at Law, in Cullumpton, Devon; or William Cowley, the present Tenant, who lives in Shurwell House, in Southleigh aforesaid.

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Of all Sorts, inferior to none for Goodness, WILL be constantly continued to be sold by Mr. Thomas Jenkins's Warehouse, in Baldwin-street, Bristol, at ten Shillings a Ton less than the respective Sorts are, or will be sold for, at other places in the said City, and in any Quantity, not less than one hundred Weight. For the Encouragement of those who take a Ton or more, sixteen Pounds of Iron will be allowed upon each Ton.

Monday's Post.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

From the London Gazette, February 8, 1755.

Algiers, December 17.

On the 11th Instant, about Eight o'Clock in the Morning, the Dey was assassinated in his Palace, and the Grand Treasurer mortally wounded, by six Soldiers, Deperadoes, whilst the Dey and the Treasurer were distributing the

Pay to the Soldiery, in the Court Yard of his Palace. They were at last cut to Pieces; tho' not so soon, but that Things hung in the Balance, for more than half an Hour, whether the Government would be subverted or not. The Treasurer is since dead of his Wounds. he had a Pistol Ball in his Collar Bone, two deep Wounds in his Arm, two Cuts with a Sabre cross his Head, his Right Hand cut off, and the other cleft down to his Wrist. One of the Rebels, after receiving the Pay, and taking the Dey's Hand to kiss according to Custom, drew a concealed Dagger, and thrust it thro' the Dey's Breast, then fired a Pistol, which wounded the Dey in the Side. The Dey rose and walked a few Yards, calling out to his Attendants, &c. "If amongst so many of them, they could not destroy such a Villain," and dropt.

Another at the same Time assassinated the Treasurer.

Admiralty-Office, February 6.

His Majesty hath been pleased to order the following Promotion of Flag Officers to be made in His Fleet, viz.

Henry Osborne, Esq; Vice Admiral of the Red. Thomas Griffin, Esq; Vice Admirals of the White. Sir Edward Hawke, Knight of the Bath,

Charles Knowles, Esq; Vice Admirals of the Blue. Hon. John Forbes, Hon. Edward Bulcawen, Charles Waton, Esq; Rear Admirals of the Red. Temple West Esq; George Pocock, Esq; Rear Admirals of the White. Hon. George Townshend, Rear Admiral of the Blue. Savage Molloy, Esq; By a Proclamation a Royal Bounty is offered of Three Pounds for every able Seaman, and Two Pounds for every ordinary Seaman, who shall voluntarily enter themselves in the Service before the 10th of March; and likewise to any Person who shall differ any Seaman or Seamen who may secrete themselves, so as that they shall be taken for the Service, the Sum of Two Pounds for every able Seaman, and Thirty Shillings for every ordinary Seaman, and all Seamen abroad are commanded home.

[Thus far the Gazette]

Vienna, Jan. 18. Baron Penckler, our Minister at Constantinople, writes to the Ministry, that the new Sultan has caused Assurances to be given him, that he intends to live in Harmony with all the Powers in Christendom in general, and in particular with their Imperial Majesties; and that he will not engage in any War, unless he be forced to it.

LONDON, February 8.

The Ball on Wednesday Night at Somerset House was extremely brilliant, and conducted with the utmost Politeness. His Majesty went a little after Eight, dressed in a black Domino, Tye Wig, and Gold laced Hat, and returned about Eleven. The Princesses of Wales was in a Blue and Silver Robe, and her Head finely ornamented with Jewels. The Prince of Wales was in a Pink and Silver Dress with a large Plume of Feathers on his Head. Prince Edward in a Pink Satin Waistcoat, with a black Belt adorned with Diamonds. Princess Augusta was in a rich Gold Stuff. The Duke was in a Turkish Dress with a large Bunch of Diamonds in his Turban. The Dresses of the whole Assembly were the richest that could possibly be invented; and the whole Entertainment particularly the Desert, was the most elegant that Expence could furnish. A celebrated Countess appeared in the Character of Eve; the Fruit Pendant to her Fig-Leaf was composed of Diamonds of the largest Size; a noble Lady thone in the Habit of a Nymph, which was embroidered over with Stars studded with Brilliants, to the Amount of 100,000 l. Value.

We hear from Somerset, that the Conduct of the Trustees, for their Turnpike in already repairing, and providing for expeditiously completing this Summer, all Roads within their Act, has given a new Face to that Part of the Country, and a Spirit still extends itself, for by a Subscription, the Market Place is now illuminated by several Lamps. And all Sorts of Books, and Stationary Goods, in the neat and cheapest Manner, sold by Mr. Hawkins.

According to private Letters from Russia, several Persons have been lately taken into Custody for talking too free of the Ministry.

We hear that new Credentials have been sent to Mr. Porter, the British Minister at Constantinople, accompanied with a Letter, wherein his Majesty congratulates Osman on his Accession to the Ottoman Throne, and assures him that he will eagerly embrace every Opportunity to cultivate the good Understanding that has subsisted for many Years between the two Courts.

This is to give NOTICE,
THAT the Stock in Trade of John Wickham, of Sherborne, in the County of Dorset, will continue to be sold off till Lady Day next; consisting of Linnen and Woollen Drapery, Mercery, Tobacco, Hops, and other Goods, a Hearse, Pall, Cloaks, &c. for Funerals; and as he will soon quit his Shop, the Goods will be sold very cheap. And all Persons indebted to him, are hereby desired to make up Accounts with him. He intends for the future to deal in Wines only, which he will import and sell on the best Terms.

WHereas Grace Smith, otherwise Pearne, a single Woman, hath been lately delivered of a Base Child in the Parish of Kenwyn, in the County of Cornwall, and left the said Child chargeable on the said Parish of Kenwyn, This is to give Notice, That if any Person or Persons will inform the Church-Wardens or Overseers of the Poor of the said Parish of Kenwyn, or either of them, where the said Grace Smith, alias Pearne, may be found and apprehended by the said Church-Wardens and Overseers, he or they shall receive five Guineas Reward on her being taken: And in Case the said Grace Smith, alias Pearne, will surrender herself to the said Church-Wardens and Overseers, or either of them, she shall be entitled to the said five Guineas.

The said Grace Smith went out of the said Parish of Kenwyn about three Weeks since. She is about five Feet high, and sett withal, remarkably spotted with the Small-Pox, and dark brown Hair; and had on, when she went off, a striped Cotton Gown, and a black Bonnet,
Kenwyn, December 9, 1754.

Samuel Gully, Charles Medlen, *Church-Wardens.*

Hugh Moyle, James Holman, *Overseers.*

N. B. She has lost several of her Fore Teeth.

To be LETT,
 And entered upon at Lady-Day, 1756.



THE Antelope Inn in Sherborne, Dorsetshire, a large new built and well accoutred House, situated on the great Western Post Road from London to Exeter, being at least eight Miles nearer than the Blandford or Dorchester Road. It contains on the Ground Floor three large Parlours well wainscotted, a large convenient Kitchen, Bar, Pantries, &c. a Servants Hall, good Brew-house, and Woodhouse, twelve handsome Bedchambers on the second Floor, seven of them hung with good Papers, and six handsome upper Chambers, three large Vaults capable of holding 150 Hogheads, and Bottle Houses for Wine and Beer, a handsome Yard, and Stabling for forty Horses, a Coach-house, and a Close of Pasture adjoining to the House.

For further Particulars enquire of Benjamin Baffard of Sherborne, or of Mr. John Galt the present Tenant.

To be SOLD,

THE Fee Simple and Inheritance of the Barton of SCOBESCOMBE, in the County of Devon, situated between Plymouth, Kingbridge, and Modbury, and surrounded by the South Sea near two Miles, with a Convenience of shipping off the Produce of the said Barton to any Part of the Kingdom.

The Barton consists of a very large Farm House, with Out-Houses in Proportion, and sufficient for two Tenants; near six hundred Acres of exceeding good Meadow, Pasture, and Tillage Ground, with an Orchard now in its Prime, consisting of upwards of four hundred Trees of the best of Fruit.

Any Person inclined to purchase the same, may apply to Mr. Nicholas Mill, Attorney at Law, at Plymouth Dock, Devon; to Mr. Sampson Hodge, at Modbury, who will shew the said Barton, or to Mr. Charles Lawrence, Attorney at Law, at Launceston, Cornwall.

To be SOLD in FEE,



THE Capital MESSAGE, BARTON and FARM of Kingston, the TENEMENT called ABRAHAMS, and other Demesnes of JOHN ROWE, Esq; within the adjoining Parishes of Staverton and Broadhempston, in the County of Devon; about four Miles from Totnes and Ashburton, five from Newton-Bushel, and twenty from Exeter.

And also the Manor of Broadhempston, otherwise Hempston-Cantelow and all other the Lands and Hereditaments of the said Mr. Rowe within the said Parishes of Staverton and Broadhempston, and the Parishes and Towns of Totnes, Newton-Abbot, Stoke-Gabriel, Ipplepen, Buckfastleigh, and Witcombe-in-the-Moor, in the same County.

Note, There is at Kingston a very genteel, new, and well-built Mansion House, with suitable Out-houses, Gardens, and large Orchards: The Demesnes are valued at more than 500l. a Year, and the Chief-Rents, and Rents referred on Leases for Lives, amount to about 50l. a Year.

And Information touching the Premises may be had from Mr. Matthias Cruwys, of Southmolton, in the said County; and Mr. John Williams, of Broadhempston aforesaid, will give a View of the Demesnes and other Lands in his Neighbourhood (where nearly all of them are) to any Persons desiring the same.

To be LETT,

For a Term of 14, or 21 Years, and to be enter'd upon at Lady-Day next;



A Farm called Stuckeridge, consisting of a good Farm House, Barns, Stable, and other convenient Out-houses, in very good Repair, and near 200 Acres of Arable, Pasture, and Meadow Ground, all in good Heart; having been in Hand for these 4 Years past, and most of the Ground well dressed, and not more than two Crops taken after such Dressing: All which Premises be compact, and are situated in the Parish of Oakford, in the County of Devon; six Miles from Yeverton, four Miles from Dulverton, and one Mile and half from Brompton, and not more than a Mile from a good Lime Kiln.

Likewise to be Lett with the said Term, ten Acres of Coppice Wood for Charcoal, to be felled yearly during the said Term.

N. B. There are upwards of ten Acres of this Year's Wheat in Ground, thirty-four Acres ready for this Year's Lent Corn, and twenty Acres preparing for Turnips this Year, and upwards of thirty Acres of young Clover.—A substantial Farmer with a good Character, will meet with great Encouragement.

For further Particulars Enquire of Philip Hodge, jun. Bailiff on the Farm, who will shew the Premises, or the Rev. Mr. Serford of Walsford, near Taunton, in the County of Somerset.

A large Quantity of Oak Timber, on the said Farm, to be sold cheap per Ton.

To be sold in Fee,



ALL those Farms and Estates of Thomas Dibben, Esq; in the Parish of Manfeton, in the County of Dorset, five Miles from Shafton, and six from Blandford, consisting of a Dwelling House, Barn, Orchard, and Garden, near 300 Acres of Arable, Meadow, and Pasture Ground, sound, healthy, and well watered, the greatest Part exceeding fine grazing Land, and the whole now rented by substantial Tenants at 240l. per Annum, with a considerable Quantity of Timber thereon.—ALSO, A handsome modern Stone-built House, Ashlar Work, Rustick Coirns, two handsome regular Fronts, well faced, with neat Stone Architraves and Cornices, four Rooms on a Floor, three Parlours and a Hall, all lofty, well proportioned, and handsomely wainscotted, with arched Cellars under the same; an exceeding good Kitchen, Pantry, Bakehouse, with very good Chambers and Garrets over the whole House; a very convenient Brew-house, and a neat walled Garden, well planted with the best of Fruit Trees, with a pretty Summer-house, an Orchard about an Acre, Stabling, Out-housing, and a Piece of exceeding good Pasture lying before the House, the Whole containing about five Acres, situate at Manfeton aforesaid.

Enquire of Thomas Dibben, Esq; at Bridport, or Mr. Cook or Mr. Fox, in Beamister, Dorset, or Mr. Maddock, in Crane Court, Fleet-Street.

To be LETT,
 And entered upon at LADY-DAY next,
The NEW-INN,
 In Sherborne, Dorsetshire.

There is Stabling for fifty Horses; and is as capacious and convenient as any Inn on the Western Road.—Encouragement, by proper Repairs and Building, will be made; and, for further Particulars, enquire of Mr. Madders, in Berkeley Square, London, of John Hutchings, Esq; in Sherborne, or of Carew H. Mildmay, Esq; at Hazlegrave.

Note.—The present Tenant has kept on the Business in it above twenty Years.

To be LETT, at Lady-Day next,

THE commodious Barton of Blaydon, the

Estate of Francis Parker, Esq; (in whose Manurance and Occupation it has been for more than 20 Years last past) consisting of a good Dwelling-House, Out-houses, Barns, Stables, Linnies, a Cyder Pound and Pound House, and all Sorts of other Conveniences, fit for such an Estate; with 390 Acres of Meadow, Pasture, and Tillage Ground, equally well proportion'd to carry on a regular Course of Farming and Grazing, and Water in every Field, and about 10 Acres of Orchard, well treed, and in good Condition, and noted for producing a Plenty of fine Cyder: It is situate in the Parish of Paington, 3 Miles from Totnes, 7 from Newton-Bushel, and 8 from Dartmouth, all good Market-Towns.

Any Person inclinable to take the same may apply to Mr. William Shimmel, of Bridge-Town, near Totnes, who is empowered by the said Mr. Parker to treat with any Person for letting the same, either entire or in Parcels, and upon such Terms as shall be agreed upon between the Parties.

N. B. The Premises may be seen and viewed at any Time, by applying to Mr. Parker, or his Hind, at Blagdon House.

To be LETT,

And enter'd upon at LADY-DAY next, for the Term of 14 Years,

ALL the BARTON and Demesne Lands of

Watton, in the Parishes of Stoke-Gabriel and Churston-Ferrers, in the County of Devon; consisting of near 300 Acres of rich Arable, Meadow, and Pasture Lands, and 12 Acres of Orchard, planted with the best of Cyder Fruit (no Orchards in the South-Hams exceeding them, either in the Goodness of the Cyder or the Quantity they yearly produce). On which said Barton is a good Farm-House for a Tenant; and as the Premises are of such great Extent of Land, there are three Linnies and three Barns conveniently erected on three different Parts of the Barton, with Stables, Pound-house, and all other convenient Out-houses. The said Lands are situate on the River Dart, about five Miles from Totnes, and four from Dartmouth, two good Market-Towns, every Thing being carried and recarried by Water, as the Tide flows within a Quarter of a Mile of the House. There are likewise two Lime-Kilns and Lime-Rocks on the Spot for Dressing; and the Cull for burning the Lime being brought by Water, may be had at the cheapest Rate.

To be LETT,

And enter'd upon at the same Time, for the like Term, at Watton aforesaid, A very good new-built DWELLING-HOUSE, having a faced Front, and pleasantly situate on the River Dart, having a View of that River from the Window of the House, fit and convenient for a Gentleman's Family; with a Coach House, Stable, and walled Garden thereto belonging, late in the Possession of the Rev. Mr. Belfield.

Any Person inclinable to take either of the above Premises, may know the Terms and the Prices by applying to Mr. Ridout, in Plymouth, or Mr. Christopher Clyff, in Blackawton, Devon, or be shewn the same by John Pomeroy, at Watton aforesaid.

To be LETT.

For 7, 14, or 21 Years, and entered upon immediately,

A Very genteel well-acoutred Inn, together

with a good Garden, and fine Bowling-Green, and six Acres of rich Meadow Land, situate in the Town of Padstow, in the County of Cornwall, now in the Possession of Mr. Richard Hitchcock, who is about to decline the Publick Business, but will keep it on till the Tenant comes in. Any Person disposed to take the said House, may come into it upon very advantageous Terms, and may also be supplied with every Sort of Household Goods, and Stock in Hand, fit for carrying on the said Business.

For further Particulars, and Sight of the Premises, Application may be made to Mr. Richard Hitchcock, at Padstow, aforesaid.

N. B. The House is well known to, and frequented by almost all the Gentlemen who travel the Western Round, from London, Bristol, Exon, &c.

Dated at Padstow, Jan. 23, 1755.

To be LETT,

For a Term of 7, 14, or 21 Years, and entered upon at Lady-Day next;

THE Queen's Head Inn, in the Borough

of Bodmin, and County of Cornwall, being a well accoutred House with good Stables and a Garden.

For the Particulars Enquire of Mr. William Marshall, in Bodmin, aforesaid.

By his MAJESTY's Royal Licence,
 Given at the Court at Kensington, the 21st Day of October, 1754, for the Encouragement of the Work.

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N. B. Those who have got Mr. Burkitt's Annotations on the New Testament, may, if they please, have only the Old Testament Part of this Work; which will be highly useful to them, as the Old and New Testament have a strict Connexion together, and the New cannot be well understood without understanding the Old also.

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It is hoped that those who have not yet been served with this Work will excuse it, as the great Demand for it from all Parts, made it impossible to supply all as yet, but it is now re-printed, and is ready to be delivered out this Week. The Undertakers have no need to regret the great Care they have taken, and the unusual Expence they have been at for Paper and Workmanship to render it beautiful, since they have received all the Encouragement they could desire from the Public; and they will God willing continue the same Care, and the same beautiful Paper and Print, to the Conclusion of the Work, which they have begun with. And being greatly importuned by most of their Customers to adorn it with Cuts, they are now engraving,

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That has ever yet been published; Which will be inserted occasionally in the Work, only omitting a Sheet of Letter-Press when a Cut is inserted, though the extraordinary Expence will be more than double to the Proprietors.

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This is to give NOTICE,

THAT on Tuesday the 18th Day of this

infant February, by Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, a Survey will be held at the Greyhound Inn in Honiton, in the County of Devon, for the Sale of the Fee Simple and Inheritance of all that new-built Dwelling-House, with the Courthouse, Orchard, Garden, and Backside thereunto belonging; lying within the Town and Borough of Honiton aforesaid, late in the Possession of Mr. Thomas Hewes, Clothier, deceased, and now of Amy Hewes his Widow; which said Dwelling-House has a very handsome Front against the fore Street of the said Borough, and the back Side extends its self Home to the Highway behind the said Borough, which is often used by Travellers to avoid the said Town, and Riding on the Stones there towards the City of Exon; and the Courthouse and Backside are so very large as to be capable of receiving any additional Buildings to make it a House fit and convenient, as well for any Gentleman as any considerable Tradesman, to live and reside in. At which Time and Place, so appointed for Sale of the said House, the best Bidder will have a reasonable Price given for the same. And then, or in the mean Time, the Creditors of the said Thomas Hewes are desired to deliver or send their respective Demands unto Mr. Samuel Hake, Clothier, and Mr. Samuel Bamfield, School-master, in Honiton aforesaid, Trustees appointed for the Sale of the said House for Payment of the Debts of the said Thomas Hewes.

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All which Vessels lately returned from Sea.

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