

Treating of the Cattle when killed, and the Preventing the Driving or Removing any Horned Cattle, that shall be within the Compass of one Mile of any infected Place, unless from one Pasture to another, or to Water, or for the Purpose of Slaughtering such Cattle; and that such Cattle be not, on any Pretence whatsoever, permitted to be removed farther than one Mile from such Infected Place— And it is further ordered, That the Sheriff Deputes or Substitutes, and Justices, who may meet for the Purpose of Executing these His Majesty's Orders, shall at such Meetings from Time to Time, make up a distinct Account of the Cattle voluntarily sold by the Owners, and of the Cattle that shall be killed without the Owners Consent, from the Appretiations to be made of them in the Manner before directed, and of all such unavoidable Expence incurred in Executing their Directions for preventing the Spreading of the said Distemper; and after certifying the Amount thereof by a Writing under their Hands, the Sheriff Depute or Substitute being always one who certifies the same, shall transmit the said Accounts, Certificates, and Appretiations, to the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury, and shall communicate from Time to Time to this Board, what they shall have done in Obedience to this Order— And His Majesty, with the like Advice of His Privy Council, hereby orders the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury to issue such Sums from Time to Time as may be necessary to pay all Charges and Expences occasioned by the Execution of this Order, and that shall be certified to them in Manner before directed.

Steph. Cottrell.

Rome, March 31. The Pope has not only conveyed his Thanks to the King of Prussia by the Means of his Agent at this Court, but, by a Brief directed to the Archbishop of Prague, has ordered him to renew his Acknowledgments to his Majesty, for having permitted that Prelate to inspect into the Roman Catholick Churches in the County of Glatz in Silesia.

A few Days ago arrived in this City from Fermo, Prince Xavier of Saxony, who travels incog. by the Name of Count Garzick: He lodges at an Inn; and though he declined receiving the Visits of many Cardinals who went thither, he has since accepted of the Invitations which Cardinal Bernis, Cardinal Orfini, and others, have made to him to Dinner; and on the 24th Instant he was introduced to an Audience of the Pope by Cardinal John Francis Albani. Some Days after the Marchioness Spinucci arrived at Rome, and lodges with the Prince.

The Empress-Queen has been pleased to honour Signor Batoni, the celebrated Painter in this City, with a Diploma, raising him and his Heirs to the Rank of Nobility; and enabling them to be Competitors for Noble Employments in her Dominions; and has assigned to him the Arms which he is to bear for the future. Signor Batoni has finished another Portrait of the Emperor and the Great Duke at full Length, which is to be sent to Vienna.

Cardinal de Solis has caused to be notified in Form to the College of Cardinals, by M. Aguirre, his Arrival in this Capital, with the Character of Minister Plenipotentiary, and Protector of the Kingdoms of Spain at this Court.

The Pope, as a Token of his Friendship for, and former Intimacy with M. de Roda, then the Spanish Minister at this Court, and now Secretary of State at Madrid, has presented him with his Portrait in a Ring set round with Diamonds.

The Prince Stigliano Colonna has sent to his Son, who resides here, two managed Horses to be presented to the Pope for his own Use.

On the 25th Instant (being Lady-day) the Pope, for his particular Devotion, attended by his whole Retinue, Guards, Prelates, Princes, &c. in a Cavalcade, went from the Quirinal to the Minerva, riding a managed Horse belonging to the late Prince Rospigliosi, presented to him by the Princess Palavicini.

On the 28th, by a Decree from the Congregation to inspect new Books, twenty Books of English, Dutch, French, and Italian Authors have been condemned and prohibited.

Florence, April 7. The Time of the Great Dutchess's Lying-in drawing near, the Court is removed for that Purpose from the Palace in the City, to that called the Imperiale, at a small Distance from the Town. Many Ladies are arrived here from Vienna, to attend her Royal Highness on that Occasion.

Last Week Count Joseph Kaunitz arrived here from Vienna, for the Benefit of his Health.

On the 28th past the Great Duke caused an Edict to be published, by which he annuls the Privilege which the Knights of the Order of St. Stephen have hitherto enjoyed of an Exemption from Taxes and other Publick Imposts.

Turin, April 7. The King of Sardinia is now much better, and proposes to ride out as soon as the Weather will permit, as that Exercise has always been of great Service to his Majesty.

St. James's, April 14, 1770.

Whereas it hath been humbly represented to the King, that two anonymous Incendiary Letters, the one dated March 29th, the other April 10th, 1770, and directed to the Dean of Westminster, have been received by him, repeatedly threatening, with most horrid Oaths and Imprecations, to set the said Dean's House and Stables on Fire, and to have his Life by the first Opportunity, if he does not make a Door for People to pass through Dean's Yard into St. Ann's Lane; (which is not in his Power to do, the Wall and Ground being the Property of other Persons;) and avowing, that they were the same Men who lately broke through a Wall there for that Purpose: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in writing and sending the said incendiary Letters, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, (except the Person or Persons who actually wrote the said Letters) who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

WEYMOUTH.

And, as a farther Encouragement, the Reverend the Dean of Westminster doth hereby promise a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, (except as before excepted;) to be paid by Mr. Benjamin Fidor, Clerk of the Works at Westminster Abbey, on the Conviction of one or more of the Offenders.

BEDFORDSHIRE MILITIA.

Bedford, April 2, 1770.

Notice is hereby given by the Deputy Lieutenants of the County of Bedford, at their General Meeting this Day held at the Swan Inn in the Town of Bedford, that the Militia Forces raised in and for the said County are to assemble in the said Town of Bedford on Monday the 14th Day of May next 1770, in order to be trained and exercised (according to the Directions of the Laws now in Force relating to the raising and training the Militia within that Part of Great Britain called England) from Monday the said 14th Day of May next, until Monday the 11th Day of June following.

Phil. Monoux, }
Amb. Reddall, } Deputy Lieutenants.
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