

months. And on the 17th he presented to them a Memorial, wherein he acquainted them by order of the King his Master, That his most Christian Majesty does persist in the offers he hath made by his Minister at *Worms*, by a Truce for twenty years, and obliges to *Spain*, will content himself with one of the Equivalents proposed by his Ambassador here on the 5th of *November* last, or else will agree to a Truce for twenty years with that *Crown*, in the same manner as he has offered to the Empire. That if this State will engage that *Spain* shall within three months accept one of the said Equivalents, or the said Truce, His Majesty will immediately cause Hostilities against that *Crown* to cease, upon condition that *Spain* do not within the said three months accept either of these Proposals, the Troops which the States have now in *Flanders*, shall be only employed for the defence of the Places which the Catholic King possesses there, and that they shall not give him any farther assistance against his Majesty or his Allies; and his Majesty will oblige himself not to attack or take any place in the Spanish Netherlands, and farther will cause Hostilities to cease in that spot Country, if the Spaniards do abstain from them. That farther his Majesty will consent to a Suspension of Arms in *Flanders*, as long as the present War shall continue; and will not attack any place there, if the States will engage that the Troops they have now in *Flanders* shall be only employed in the defence of the Spanish Places there; and that they will not give any farther assistance to the *Crown* of *Spain*.

Hague, February 22. The States of *Holland* had a very warm Debate in their Assembly on the 16th instant, concerning the Deputies of *Amsterdam*, whose Papers they ordered to be sealed up. And that night late the said Deputies left this place, and returned home. And the next day the States of *Holland* adjourned for several days. *Zealand* has not yet consented to the New Levy, and it's said, the Towns of *Middelburg* and *Ziriczee* do particularly oppose it. We are told that the City of *Amsterdam*, in their Protestation against the said Levy, do declare that they cannot look upon the Resolution that hath been taken therein, as an Act of the States of *Holland*, seeing it ought according to the fundamental Laws and Constitutions of the Government to have been by unanimous consent of all the Members; and that they do not intend to contribute any thing to the charge of the said Levy. From *Cologne* they write that that Elector encreases his Forces.

Paris, February 19. The 17th instant the Marquis de *Ferret* Ambassador from *Savoy*, had a publick Audience of the King, in which he gave his Majesty thanks in the name of the Duke his Master, for consenting to his Marriage with Mademoiselle. After which he had an Audience of the Duke of *Orleans* on the same subject; and then of the Dauphin, the Dauphiness and Madam, to acquaint them with the said Marriage. The King has given out Commissions for the raising 12000 men, whereof 3000 Horse are to be incorporated into the old Regiments. His most Christian Majesty hath given the Marquis de *Estrees* Vice Admiral of France 100 thousand *Livres*, and a Pension of 4000 *Livres* to the Count de *Estrees* his Son. The Marquis de *Belfonds*, who is to command the Kings Forces in *Catalonia* the next Campaign, has received 30000 *Livres* for his Equipage, and will, it's said, part hence the beginning of the next month. The Marquis de *Chevigny* Envoy Extraordinary to the Emperor, began his Journey some days ago for *Linz*. The Count de *Choiseul* is likewise passed from hence, being desired by the Elector of *Cologne* to command his Forces thither. It is said that the Pope has borrowed three Millions of Crowns of the

State of *Genoa*, to be employed in the War against the Turks.

Lea, February 12. Yesterday in a great Fog, a Ship came on Ground on the *Goodwin*; several Boats went immediately from hence to her relief, and found it was a French Man of War of about 30 Guns, whom they got off without any considerable damage.

Plimouth, February 14. We hear that six or seven Ships have within these few days been cast away to the Westward of this place, but we have not as yet an account what they were.

London, February 14. This day a Tryal was had at the *Guildhall* before my Lord Chief Justice *Jeffreys*, upon an Information exhibited against Sir *Samuel Bernardiston*, for writing and publishing in four Letters to several Persons in the Country most Scandalous and Seditious Reflections against the Government, and concerning the late Horrid Conspiracy, of which he was upon a full Evidence found Guilty.

A Tryal was likewise had upon an Information against *Langley Curtis*, for Printing and Publishing a Scandalous and Seditious Pamphlet, called, *The Night-Walker of Bloomsbury*, and he was found Guilty of the same.

WE having in pursuance of the Order of the Right Honorable the Lord Chief Justice, and the rest of the Judges of the Court of Kings Bench (by the Money charitably given by the Honorable Profession of the Law) discharged many of the Poor Prisoners in the Kings Prison, whose Creditors have been reasonable in their demands, do hereby give notice, that we intend to dispose of the Money remaining, to such of the Creditors of the Poor Prisoners as shall be reasonable in their demands, at any time before Thursday next, and that afterwards we intend to apply the residue of the Money to the relief of the Poor Prisoners in the Fleet and other Prisons.

SAMUEL ASPRY.
WILLIAM LIVERSAY.

Advertisements.

The Original of War; Or, The Causes of Rebellion. A Sermon Preached in the Cattle of Exon, on the 15th of January, 1683, before the Right Reverend Father in God Thomas Lord Bishop of Exon, and other His Majesties Justices of the Peace for the County of Devon. By Tho. Long, Prebendary of St. Peters, Exon. Printed by Order of Sessions. Sold by Daniel Brown at the Black Swan and Bible without Temple-Bar.

This is to give Notice. That on the 16th of April, there is a Twelve Stone Piece of Twenty Guinea's value, to be run for on White Moots near Kennilworth in the County of Warwick, it being three Heats, each Heat being four Miles.

Jacob Hobson of Suffolk, (a pretended Fencer) a middle aged man, tall of stature, red straight Hair, in a gray Camblet Coat, Walk'd Leather Breeches, laced up the sides, a black Hat, a breach in his fore Teeth, and Wounds upon his Hands, or one of them Anthony Jenman, a brown Complexion man, of thin visage, flammers in his Speech, drawing of his Mouth to one side straight brow'd Hair, a black Hat, with an Orange coloured Ribbon for his Neckband, Beards brow'd, in a sad coloured Cloak Coat, Whoever shall apprehend the said Persons, and give notice to Mr. John Barry at the George Inn in Mauldons, or to Mr. Christopher Wulker, living at Bell-Savage Inn in Ludgate-Hill, London, shall have five pound reward.

The Indentures of a Fyne, and other small Papers bound in a bundle together, being lost on the 5th of this Instant February in the Temple, or between the two Temple Gates. If any one shall give notice thereof, or bring them to Mr. Wolfe, a Stationer under the Temple Church, and they shall be contented for their pains.

These are to give Notice, That the Red Lion Inn in Dunstable, now held by Mr. George Lawly, is to be let. If any one desires to know further of it, let them enquire of Mr. Thomas Welles at the Nag-Head and Key in Milk Street, or of Mr. John Whitley in London in Bedford Street.

Run away with from Milton near Grayesland in Kent, on the 11th of February, a black Stone Horse, about 4 hands high and better, a straight bodied Horse, with a long Mane and a Sprig Tail, about seven years old, bred and bred very well. The Rider of him was pretty well, between 20 and 25 years of age, with brown flag Hair, without the Ball of his left Eye a pretty full faced man, if any can give or give of him to the House of Stephen Jenner, Carpenter in Calvert Court in Fenchurch Street, or John Jenner at the White Swan in Great Street in Kent, shall have 20s. for their pains.