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Genoa, March 23.

Part of the Count de Fuenfaldia's Equipage is arriv'd here from *Sardinia*, and he himself is expected the beginning of the next Month; A great many Gentlemen of *Milan* are com- mitted to meet him. By an Express from *Marseilles* we have Advice, that the Ship commanded by Capt. *Proven* was put into that Port, having en- dured a great deal of bad weather; This News has very much rejoiced the Merchants there, who thought she was lost, and could not assure their Goods for some time. The four Gallies fitted at *Pisa* are arriv'd at *Leghorn*, to join the Ships and Gallies which the Great Duke sends to the assistance of the *Venetians*; This Republick hath given leave for the making a Levy of two hundred Men in the Isle of *Corsica*, who are to serve on Board the said Gallies. We have Letters by one way of *Smirna*, from *Hispahan* of the 30th of *June* 1685, which say, the Sophy of *Persia* had received several Letters from the King of *Poland*, giving him an account of the great Victories the Christian Princes had obtained against the *Turks*, and exhorting him to make use of this Conjunction to attack *Bagdat*, and other places on the *Tigris*, which were heretofore Dependences of the Kingdom of *Persia*, and promising not to make a Peace without including him therein; but that the Sophy had not returned any Answer to these Letters; and seemed to have very little Inclination to enter into a War against the *Turks*.

Vienne, March 30. The Prince de *Turenne* arriv'd here the 17th of this Month, intending to pass the Campaign in the Army of this Republick. Count *Comminges* will embark the next week with a great many Volunteers who came with him from *Germany*. This week arriv'd a Convoy of 20 Vessels, having on Board the Troops of *Milan*, and a great quantity of Ammunition and Ammunition of all sorts. The new Auxiliary Forces of *Spain* arriv'd at the *Isla* the 25th Instant, and those of *Savoy*, as usually expected. At *Zolkiew* the 20th. This week a great Council of War was held here; the King being present, whereto he was repellented; that the *Turks*, according to the Advices that come from all Parts, will have a very considerable Army on this side, and that therefore it was necessary to increase the Forces of this Crown, that so they may be able to execute the Designs that have been formed by the King and his Generals; upon which it was resolv'd to send to several Princes to demand Assistance of Men or Money, and to make farther Levies in this Kingdom, towards the Expence whereof, the King has given 400000 Florins out of his own Treasure. According to the present State of the Forces, those of

Poland amount to 28000 Men, and those of *Lithuania* to 18000, besides 12000 *Cossacks*, and the Auxiliary Troops of *Brandeburg* and *Courland*. The General Rendezvous is fixed for the beginning of *May*, and Orders have been sent to the Troops that have their Quarters farthest from the Frontiers, to begin their March before the end of this Month; A very fine Train of Artillery is preparing, which, it is said, will be composed of 60 pieces of Cannon and 2 Mortars; and great Magazines are providing for the use of the Army. We do not yet hear what success the Ambassadors of this Crown have had in their Negotiation at *Moscow*: There is a report, that the *Crim-Tartars* have broke through the *Acsevites*, but it needs a Confirmation. The Court was very suddenly remove from hence to *Leopol*, where the King intends to stay till he goes into the Field. The *Tartars* continue their Incursions and Ravages in the Provinces of *Podolia* and *Pocuria*; but some of our Troops surpris'd, about 10 days since, one of their Parties that was returning home, and oblig'd them to abandon their Booty.

Dantzick, March 31. The Letters from *Poland* say, that the King intended to part from *Zolkiew* the 16th Instant for *Leopol*; And to begin the Campaign in the Month of *May* with an Army of Sixty thousand Men; And that the Prince *Sophia*, General of *Lithuania*, had writt'n to his Majesty, that the Forces of that Duchy, consisting in 20000 fighting Men will be at their Rendezvous before the end of the next Month. The same Letters add, that the King's resolution was to march through *Tessrabia*, to visit the *Tartars* of *Bialagrod* near the *Euxin* Sea, who, by their continual Incursions, had greatly infest the Frontier Provinces of that Kingdom. There are Letters from *Moscow* which say, that the Czars had declar'd to the Ambassadors of *Poland*, that the present Intercourse of Affairs would not permit them to engage in a War against the *Turks*; but that they would appoint Commissioners to renew with those of the Crown of *Poland* the Treaty that was broken off the last year for the adjusting the differences about the Limits, and the establishing a firm Peace between the two Nations.

Vienna, April 1. The Rebels in *Mongatz* have taken a new Oath to the Princess *Ragotzi*, Count *Teckeley's* Wife, by which they have oblig'd themselves to defend the place to the last extremity. The 16th past, the whole Garrison threw themselves upon the Walls with their Colours, and with the noise of Trumpets, Drums, and Hautbois, and saluted the Imperialists with three Volleys from their Cannon and Musquets. On the other side, the Besiegers have finish'd their Lines of Circumvallation, and have secur'd them with several Redoubts; The 19th of the last Month, they began to batter the Palanque that covers the lower Town from two Batteries, and the next day to shoot Bombs

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and Carcasses into the place, with which they hope to force the Besieged to have recourse to the Emperour's Clemency. The last Letters said, the Rebels had filled a House in the Palanque with earth, and had planted there two pieces of Cannon, which very much incommoded the Besiegers, who were therefore raising a Battery to dismount the said Cannon. Lieutenant General de Mercy, and Major General Heussler, have posted themselves with the Body under their Command near the *Teyffe* to observe the *Turks*, who continue encamped between *Gyula* and *Lippa*, expecting the *Tartars*, and the other Troops that are on their march, to join them. The Visier of *Buda* hath put a great Convoy of Provisions into *Agria*. A Party of *Turks* of the Garisons of *Szigesb* and *Canisa*, having the last week passed the *Rabnitz*, and made an Incurision into the Country of *Lembach*, where they took about 60 persons that were working in the Vineyards, and some Cattle; The Count de *Budiani* upon notice of it marched with his *Heydukes*, and having got between the Enemy and home, he broke down the Bridge over the River, and fell upon them as they returned back with their Booty, which he not only recovered, but cut off above 100 of the *Turks*, and many of the rest, who endeavoured to swim the River, were drowned. We are told that the Elector of *Brandenburgh* has promised to add to the Forces which by the late Treaty he is obliged to assist the Emperour with this Campagne, 1200 Men at his own charge. The Duke of *Lorraine* is expected here this week from *Inspruck*.

Ratisbonne, March 26. The States of the Empire assembled here, have granted the Subsidy of 50 Roman Months, demanded by the Emperour for the War against the *Turks*; The Colledge of the Imperial Towns, upon whom this Contribution will fall the heaviest, did for some time oppose it, but at last consented, having first obtained, That this Subsidy shall be looked upon as voluntary; That the States of the Empire may give their Quota's in Men or Money, as they shall judge most convenient; And that the assistance they have already given his Imperial Majesty, shall be taken for part of this Contribution. The 23d instant, the Imperial Commissioners communicated to the Dyet two Decrees; By one of which, the Emperour approves the Resolution taken by the States of the Empire concerning the Affairs of the Duke of *Holstein-Gottorp*, which was sent to his Imperial Majesty the 30th of *August* last; And by the other, exhorts the States to conclude the Preliminary Points, in order to the beginning the Conference for the settling the Limits between the Empire and the Crown of *France*, pursuant to the late Treaty of Truce.

Cologne, April 5. The Magistrates of this City have sent Deputies to *Duseldorp*, to compliment the Electoral Prince Palatin upon his return thither. The Count de *Tecklenbourg* passed through this place the 3d Instant, in his way to *Bonne*, where the Count de *Hohenloe* is expected in few days, to confer with his Electoral Highness concerning the matters which are to be treated of at the Conference that's appointed to be held the next Month at *Augsburgh*.

Bague, April 12. The Commissioners of this State for the Business of *Bantam* are returned from *England*, and the 8th instant they made report of their Negotiation in the Assembly of the States General. The Deputies of *Zealand* are gone home, except the Pensionary *Hubert*, who intends to follow to morrow. They write from *Hamburg*, that the differences between the Duke of *Zell* and that City will be composed.

Paris, April 17. An Envoy is arrived at this Court from the Elector Palatin, to notice the death of the Princess *Charlotte* of *Hesse*, Dowager to *Charles Louis* Elector Palatin, who died at *Hydelberg* the 26th of the last Month. The Troops of the King's Household are to encamp the next Month in the Plain of *Acheres* near *Versailles*; and we are told there will be five Camps more on the *Saar*, in *Flanders*, on the *Soane*, in the *Lower Postou*, and in *Languedoc*. The report we had here, that the Troops which marched towards *Piedmont* were Countermanded, is not confirmed.

His Majesty having been Graciously pleased since September last, to Heal Publickly for the Evil Weekly, and many times ofner, till Easter, in which time He hath Healed several Thousands, the greatest part of which were Inhabitants of London, and Parts adjacent; And considering that the season of the Year for warm Weather approacheth, His Majesty thinks fit to forbid all Publick Healings, after the 21 of this Month, until towards Michaelmas, unless in His Progress, and such as come from Paris remote; And also those of the City of London, and Parts adjacent, who shall be judged by any of His Physicians or Chirurgeons necessarily to requize being sooner Heald by His Majesty: Hereof all Ministers of Parishes, and others concerned, are Required to take Notice.

Advertisements.

Next door to Northumberland house over against St. Martins-lane in the Strand, are exposed to Sale a Curious Collection of Pictures both Ancient and Modern, of Italy, and other Countries, and will continue until the Whole be sold, with Addition of other Pictures which have not been yet seen.

John Johnson, and Maurice Murrain, tall, well-set, likely Fellows, with healthful Complexions, their own Hair of a dark brown, with sad-coloured Cloaths, Run away from Sir Hugh Middleton's Troop of Dragons, in the Regiment commanded by Colonel Berkeley, quartered at Lezerpople. Whoever gives Notice of them to the said Quarter, or to Sir Hugh Middleton's Lodgings at Mr. Hutchinson's a Sadler, in the middle of the Pall-Mall, shall have a Guinea Reward.

James Wybert, a well-proportioned tall man, light brown hair, not curled, stutters much in his speech, about 24 years old, who served Sir Thomas Garrard as a Falkner, went away from his House, the first Instant, with a chestnut coloured Horse, a rafe of white on his Forehead, a white snip on his Nose; two white Feet behind, and a tie near Top before white, about 14 hands high. Whoever gives Notice of the said James Wybert to Mr. Walter Thomas in Catharine Wheel-yard in White-Chappel, or to Sir Thomas Garrard aforesaid, at Green-street in Eastham Parish, shall have a Guinea Reward.

William Leech, a Corporal, a tall Man, of a ruddy Complexion, stips in his speech, about 31 years old; and Walter Douglas, likewise a tall Man, aged about 37 years, Run away out of Capt. Macgarry's Company quartered at Hull. Whoever gives Notice of them, either of them, so as that they be apprehended, shall have a Guinea Reward.

The Sarazens-head Inn in Uxbridge is to be Lett, and the Goods in it to be sold. Inquire at the Sarazens-head Inn in Uxbridge, or at Mr. Longlands Spectacle-maker at the Ship in Cornhill, and you may know further.

Tolen out of the Stable of Mr. Robert Ridal of Ufford in Suffolk, the 29th past, A brown Gelding, about 15 hands high, a Star on his Forehead, two white Feet behind, a cut Tail, and a Feather on the near side of his Neck, all his paces, and hitches a little in his pace. Whoever gives Notice of the said Horse to Mr. Randal aforesaid, or to Mr. Tobias Trere at his house in Idle lane over against St. Dunstons Church in the East, shall have a Guinea Reward, and their Charges paid.

Off, the 3d Instant, from the Dog and Partridge at the Upper-end of Peadilly, A dark bay Gelding, orpelt short, trots hard, paces a little, the hair off at the neck shoulder, and also upon his Back under the saddle. The hair has been off of both his knees, and is very apt to bite, and to lie down in the water. The person suspected to have rid away with the aforesaid Gelding, hath red hair on his Head and Face, habited like a Baker. Whoever gives Notice either of Man or Horse, at the Dog and Partridge aforesaid, shall be very well rewarded.