

Week was held here an Extraordinary Council of State upon the Proposition of converting the Truce into a Peace, after which Expresses were dispatched to Rome, Raisbonne, and Paris. The Letters from Poland tell us, That according to the Project resolved on for the next Campagne, the King intends to advance with the main Body of his Forces towards Hungary, to join the Imperial Army if there be occasion, leaving the rest of his Troops and the Cossacks under the Command of the Prince his eldest Son, who are to join with a Body of Moscovites to cover the Ukyain and Padolia, while the Army of the Czars invades the Crim Tartary. This week were tryed here several pieces of Cannon and Mortars of a new Invention, which succeeded very well. The Count de Staremberg is preparing his Equipage, but 'tis not yet known whether he will command in Hungary or Croatia. The Cardinal de Collonitz, Bishop of this City, the Count de Staremberg, and several other Persons of Quality, receive thrice a week at the Doors of the principal Churches of this City, the Charities that are given towards the maintenance of the Hospitals for sick and wounded Soldiers.

Hamburg, March 11. The Letters from Copenhagen give an Account, That the Queen of Denmark was the 5th of this month brought to Bed of a young Prince. We have Advice, That the Sieur Bilniski, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Poland to the Elector of Brandenburg, arrived at Berlin the 7th Instant.

Hague, March 14. The States General, to remove the difficulties arisen about the Ceremonial with the Foreign Ministers, resolved yesterday to lay aside their late Resolution concerning this matter. The States of Holland re-assembled the 12th Instant; The chief Subject of their present deliberation, is the raising a Fond to pay the Arrearages of the last War. The Deputies of the Admiralties continue their Conferences with those of the States about the Equipage designed against the Algerines. The Marechal de Schomberg is still here.

Paris, March 15. The Count de Lobkowitz, Envoy Extraordinary from the Emperor, having, as well by word of Mouth, as in Writing, assured his M. C. Majesty in the Name of the Emperor, That his A. M. will Religiously observe the Truce as well after the War with the Turks is ended, as during the continuance of it; And that He is ready to enter upon a Treaty for adjusting the Limits, and establishing a Peace between the Empire and this Crown upon the Foot of the Truce, in such manner and method as is agreeable to the practice between Sovereign Princes, and that he will contribute all that lies in him for the bringing the same to a happy Conclusion. His M. C. Majesty has thereupon declared to the Count de Lobkowitz, that he has an entire Confidence in the Assurances the Emperor has given him, being persuaded, that they are sincere, and that 'tis without any Reserve his Imperial Majesty promises ingiolably to observe the Truce, so that the Complaints that have been brought before the Dyet at Raisbonne, and the Works that have been begun at the Battell of Humingen, and in the Isle of Germersem, which his Majesty is resolved to finish for the Security of his Frontiers, shall not be made use of as a Pretext to break the Truce. On this Foundation his Majesty declares, That he will continue on his part, to entertain a good Correspondence with the Emperor and the Empire, not only during the time of the Truce, but likewise so long as they shall on their part correspond with his Majesties good Intentions. The Cardinal Ramuzzi had the 12th Instant a private Audience of the King at Versailles.

Paris, March 15. The 11th instant the solemn

service for the deceased Prince of Conde, was performed in the Church of *Nostre Dame*, with extraordinary Pomp and Magnificence. Several Archbishops and Bishops, the Parliament, the Chamber of Accounts, the University, and the Magistrates of this City assisting thereat; and the Prince de Conde, the Duke de Bourbon, and the Prince de Conti, being Chief Mourners, accompanied with a great number of Persons of the first Quality. The Ambassadors of *Syam* parted from *Brest* the 2d instant; The Squadron which the King sends with them to *Syam*, is composed of 3 Men of War, and 4 other Ships, which have on Board several Companies of Soldiers. The Cardinal Nuncio, it's said, acquainted the King at his last Audience, That the Queen of *Sueden* has voluntarily quitted the Franchises of the Quarter adjoining to her Palace at Rome. We have an Account, That the Cardinal de Bouillon who has been dangerously ill, begins to recover.

Whitehall, March 7. This day the Heer Van Dyckvelt had Audience of his Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark, Conducted by Sir Charles Cottrell Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, March 8. His Majesty has been pleased to make Colonel James Porter Vice-Chamberlain of his Household, who was this day Sworn accordingly.

Advertisements.

William Harman, of a low stature, pretty fresh complexion, a round Visage, full of Pockholes, grey Eyes, and a Dowy-look, having on a black Suit, and a dark grey Coat lined with black, between 20 and 30 years of age, Run away the 21st Instant from his Master with a considerable Sum of Money, and a Silver Minute Pendulum Watch, made by Robert Wilkins in London. Whoever shall secure him, and give Notice of him to Mr. Lawrence Durvill at his Grace the Duke of Norfolk's House in Great Queen-street, shall have Two Guinea's Reward.

Two Libraries of two Gentlemen deceased, Containing a large Collection of English Books in Divinity, History, Law, Physick, Travels, Romances, Poetry, &c. As also of French, Italian, Spanish, and Dutch Books, which are to be Exposed to sale, by way of Auction, at Jonathan's Coffee-house in Exchange Alley in Cornhill, on Monday the 21st Instant. Catalogues whereof are distributed gratis at Mr. William Notts at the Queens Arms in the Pall-Mall, Mr. John Welds at the Crown betwixt the Two Temple-gates in Fleetstreet, Mr. Samuel Wallals at the Bible and Heart near the West end of the Royal Exchange in Cornhill Bookfellers, and at the aforesaid Jonathan's Coffee-house the place of Sale.

Lost on Wednesday the 3d Instant, a Pair of Diamond Tags, with a black Ribon about half a yard long, betwixt St. Clements Church and Whitehall, supposed to be dropt in a Hackney Coach. Whoever gives Notice thereof to Mr. Jones a Watchmaker at the Inner Temple-gate, shall have Two Guinea's Reward.

Lost a small Cabinet opening with two Doors, inlaid with several coloured Woods with in it a square Diamond Ring Enamelled with Blue, a Lockett, a Jewel cut pointed Oval fashioned flat on the other side with three loose Pearls, and edged with gold, one Pearl broke off; a Purse embroidered with some Pearls lined with Cherry-colour Taffaty, Five Gold Rings, one Cornelian Ring, two Silver Boxes, one with a Spread-Eagle Engraved on the Lid, with several other things in the Cabinet, a Petticoat flower'd blue gold colour and white, a gold colour'd silk Fringe loole in it. Notice is desired to be given to Mr. John Philips in Basinghall-street, who will give Three Guinea's Reward.

If any Persons have Occasion for Artichoke Plants of the Red Kinds, they may be furnished by Thomas VVrench, who liveth at the Paradise Garden in Oxford, for 5 s. the Hundred.

On Wednesday next, the 16th Instant, at 3 in the afternoon, will be Exposed to Sale, by the Candle, at the Marine Coffee-house in Birch-lane, 76 Pieces of Conyack Brandy in 32 Botts. The Goods are now lying at Ralph Key in Thames-street near Billingsgate, and will be exposed to View on Tuesday next, being the day before the Sale.

Lost the 28th last past, two Lockettes for the Arm; One set with a large Emerald set round with 14 small Table Diamonds; The other a Lockett with Hair in it on the Backside, Engraven, The Blessing of the Lord makes Rich. R. W. G. W. tied together with a black Ribon. Whoever gives Notice of it to Mr. Edward Harrison Goldsmith at the Hen and Chickens in Cheapside, shall have a Guinea Reward; Or if already bought, reasonable Satisfaction.