

Equivalent ought to be the Ground-work of the present Treaty. The *Sieur Hopp*, Envoy from the States-General, hath given Notice of his Character to the foreign Ministers, and received their Visits; he is to continue here with the rest, to interpose his Endeavours to prevent any ill Consequences which may follow upon an abrupt separation of this Assembly. All People here are very well satisfied, and more and more confirmed, That the late Alliance entred into by the house of *Lunenburgh*, will not only keep the two Northern Crowns from any open breach, but will also preserve these lesser States from any Encroachments of their more powerful Neighbours; the Ballance being now put into the hands of a Family, that is so well circumstantiated to keep it even: And we hear, That the Elector of *Brandenburg* is like to enjoy the same tranquillity in his Dutchy of *Prussia*, which seem'd to be threatened before the Advice came of the unsuccessful meeting of the Diet at *Grœna*.

*Colone, March 30.* The reports have often varied a long time of the Elector's Health, which we now hear is well established, and that he hath given Audience to the Envoy from *Bremen*, who hath been too long expecting it. The Cardinal Coadjutor is returned hither, and it is believed that it will not be long before he goes to *Liege*. There is great expectation, since the last Letters from *Rome*, That the Pope will confirm his Election.

*Hague, March 31.* Yesterday the Prince and Princess of *Orange* went to *Loos* to continue there till the first week in *May*. The States of *Holland* have sent some of their Deputies into *Zealand* to endeavour an Accommodation of some differences arisen between the two Provinces, upon the score of Impositions laid on several Merchandises carried out of one Province into the other, wherein they both find themselves aggrieved; as also to represent and press the Reasons which might induce the *Zealanders* to prohibit their Subjects to fetch their Wood from *Norway*, as those of *Holland* have done; the Province of *Zealand* being inclinable to continue that Trade, notwithstanding the disgusts of their Neighbours, and it hath been projected to fit up a convenient place near to *Willmistat* for the unloading of that Merchandize, and thereby, if possible, to engross that Trade, which is looked upon as very prejudicial to the City of *Amsterdam*, and destructive to those in eadures which are pursued to bring the *Danes* to a compliance in lessning the Impositions complained of, and one of the reasons for the Liberty granted by the States of *Holland*, sooner than was expected to fetch the *Swedish* Timber, was, to be beforehand with the *Norway* Merchanders, if they should persist to bring theirs from *Norway*. The *Sieur Brest*, Envoy Extraordinary from the Elector of *Brandenburg*, hath presented a Memorial to the States General, with a Letter from his Highness, complaining of the ill usage the Director of the *Brandenburg* Company in *Guiny* hath met with from the General *Swedes*, who profess there for the Dutch Company, the first of which being killed with the blows given him by the other's means, Satisfaction and Reparation is demanded. The States of *Holland* have writ a Letter of Thanks to the Prince of *Orange* for having made a Determination in the Differences so long depending between the Divisions of *North and South Holland*, so much to both their Satisfaction, and being so happily adjusted, that the said Payments hitherto obstructed will now regularly proceed.

*Paris, March 31.* The King will take this day to *Amiens*, and he is expected again at *Verdun* on Saturday next. They were from *Vienna*, that the Differences between that Court and *Bavaria* are now actually put into a way of accommodation. The *Hollanders* hath appointed Cardinal *Prebost* to negotiate this matter with the *Ambassador of the King*, a Frenchman, who is deputed by the *Marquis of Evreux*, and the *Sieur Landau*, Envoy from the *Republick of Venice*, hath the Office of Mediator between them, and now the Conditions are wrought to hear one another's Reasons. It is not doubted but the Mediation will be found out for restoring the former good understanding. It is said not only that the Conferences have been begun, but that they have made so good a progress, that it was he-

ped a few weeks would produce the wished for conclusion. We hear there is arrived at *Belgrade* an Ambassador from the Port, to notify the advancement of *Solyman* to the Throne, but that the bottom of his Errand is to insinuate some overtures towards a Peace, that he is expecting the Emperor's Passport to proceed on his journey to *Vienna*. The *Abbat Vite Passant*, Arch-deacon of *Tholose* is exiled for having been wanting in his Respects to the Arch-bishop of the Province, upon pretence that he had not yet his Bulls from *Rome*. The Duke of *Mertemar*, who hath been long ill, submitted on Sunday last to have his Side opened to let out an Impostume which had gathered below his Lungs, and it is hoped this Operation will effect his Recovery. *Mademoiselle de Montpensier* hath been taken ill with an Erysipela, which obliges her to keep her Chamber. The Duke of *Mantua* sets up a pretension to part of the Estate of the late *Mademoiselle de Guise*, which is alledged to have formerly belonged to the House of *Gonzague*.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury have appointed One *Thurs Pennison* for the poor Cripples belonging to the Chest at *Chatham*, which will be paid on the 9th of *May* next.

Advertisements.

Whereas *J. Shou Barnes B. D.* and Senior Fellow of *Emmanuel College* in *Cambridge*, hath now almost printed his Book, called, *The History of the Life and Death of the most Victorious Monarch Edward III. King of England and France, and Lord of Ireland, together with that of his most Renowned Son Edward, Prince of Wales and of Aquitaine*, commonly called, *The Black Prince*, being a Work fitly and carefully collected from the best Authors, Manuscripts, and Records in large Folio, with curious Copper Plates. This is to give Notice to all Persons of Honour, and other Gentlemen, Lovers of History, who shall think fit by their Subscriptions to give and encourage the said Author in his so painful and chargeable Undertaking, that he hath appointed *John Hetherington, Doctor of Physick*, who lives in Great Knight-riders Street near Doctors Commons, London, to take Subscriptions. The Book will be ready for the Subscribers about Easter at the farthest. The Subscription is One Guinea per Book.

To be Sold by way of Publick Auction. A great quantity of dry French Sweet Meats, excellently well done, and of the choicest Fruits, and all sorts of Dry Fruit, at *Mr. Holzarth's* House, over against *Somerses House*, at the Sign of the Golden Star. The Sale begins on the 2d of *April* next, at 9 in the Morning, and continues till 12, and from 2 in the Afternoon till 6, and so successively till the whole be sold off. They will be exposed to view on Saturday the 31 of *March*. After the Sweet Meats are sold, several Paintings will be exposed to sale.

A Catalogue of the Library of the *Reverend and Learned Mr. Robert Wallis*, late Rector of *Elshorough* in *Buckinghamshire*, consisting of variety, valuable, Latin and English Books, in most sorts of Learning, will be sold by Auction the 2d of *April* next, at the Unicorn in *Pater-noster-row*, against the *Queens-Head Tavern*, where Catalogues are distributed gratis, at *Mr. Dier's* in the *Rail-Market*, or at *Mr. Weld's* between the Temple Gates in *Bleek-Street*, at the *Black Boy Coffee-house* in *Ave-Mary Lane*, and at *Mr. Wallis's* at the West end of the *Royal Exchange*.

The Commissioners of the Admiralty intend to meet at *Mr. Folters*, at the *Mermaid* in *Norwich*, on the 3 of *April* next, in order to receive Contributions; and take the proof of such Debts as live in *Norwich*, or in the County. Whereof all persons concerned may take notice, and come prepared accordingly.

*Richard Howard* (commonly *Howard*) Son of *John Heyward*, of *Walsell*, *Grippegate*, formerly about 17 years of age, small stature, brown curled Hair, down Looks, crooked Legs, with the Rickets, Run away from his Master the 2d Instant, wherever he comes, and gives Notice to his Master *Sahmuel Wilton*, at the *Uskinn* in *Wiltshire* Streets, that he has no Billings, nor provings where he hath Lodged since, shall have 10 Billings reward.

A Large New Brick house, called *Beare Court*, in the Parish of *Langbourn* in *Berkshire*, to be Let, with two good Gardens walled round, and well planted, two very good Orchards, Stables, Coach-houses, Pigeon-house, and a small Warren, which hath five Miles of Hunting, and one of the *Thames*. A farther Account may be had of *Francis Sedgwick*, Goldenhill, at the *Golden Keys* in *Fleet-Street*, London, or of *Mr. Noah Stirling* at *Reading*.

On the 1st Instant a small Spanish Bitch, very good Liver, was taken upon White Hoop Bars, thorn Head, mottled Legs, Mottled with Brighter to *Mr. Ditcher's* a Glover, near the Ship, *Faversham*, *James's-Street*, or at *Mr. Hicks's* in *Bridges-Street* in *Covered-Garden*, shall have a Guinea Reward.

The *High Court of Admiralty*, next door to the *Black-Apple-Street*, in *Chancery-Lane*, London, on any petition that shall be presented by or for any Ship, there accommodated, and Money will be lent at 5 per Cent upon Mortgages, though a great distance from London from 1000 l. to 10000 l. and at 6 per Cent upon Personal Security, from 100 l. to 500 l.