

*Wirtzburg, Novemb. 20.* The Troops of Saxony, Lunenburg and Hesse, having joyned the 15th Infant at *Minzenburg* near *Fridburg*, are now marching towards *Hochst* within a German Mile of *Frankfort*; where the Elector of Saxony arrived yesterday with the Princes of *Lunenburg* and of *Hesse Cassel*: These Forces have with them a very good Train of Artillery. Three Bailiwicks of this Bishoprick, which lie the most exposed to the French, have agreed to pay them 40 thousand Crowns for the Contributions they demand. The Circle of *Franconia* raises two new Regiments of Horse, two of Foot, and one of Dragoons; with which and their Troops that are coming back from *Hungary*, they will form a Body of 10000 Men.

*Brussels, Novemb. 23.* We hear from *Cologne*, That there being now a very good Garrison in that City, the Magistrates have absolutely refused the Neutrality proposed to them by the French Minister. The French Troops in that Electorate have demanded 200000 Crowns of the Country of *Juliers*, to be paid in eight days, upon pain of Military Execution. They have granted a Neutrality to the County of *Meurs* on the *Rhine*. We are told from *France*, That there has been published an Ordinance by which the King declares, That whereas a third part of all Prizes taken by Privateers did heretofore belong to him, his Majesty, the more to Encourage his Subjects to fit out Ships against his Enemies, does order, that all the Prizes they shall take for the future shall entirely belong to them. Our Governor General has sent the *Marquis de Bedmar* to *Nieuport*, to view that place, and to give such Orders as he shall think necessary for its Security. And at the same time our *Maisre de Camp* General is gone to visit the Frontier places of this Province. We hear that great Preparations are making in all Parts of the Empire, against the Spring.

*Portsmouth, Novemb. 23.* This day the Lord *Dartmouth* came well to *Spithead*, with 43 of His Majesties Ships, after the late ill Weather; the rest of the Fleet being put into other Ports, one Hospital Ship only excepted, which is suspected to be lost.

*We want Two Mails from France, and as many from Holland, and Flanders.*

October 18. 1688.

The Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of *London* did Agree to Revive an Order, made on the Eleventh of *September* last, touching the *Outropers Office*, as followeth;

Whereas an Ancient Office (called, The *Outropers Office*) hath been Established and Used within this City and Liberties thereof, and the Borough of *Southwark*, for all Publick Sales of Goods, with certain Fees for the Exercise of the same; Which hath been Ratified to this City by divers Royal Grants, as well of the King's most Excellent Majesty, as of His Royal Ancestors; In order to the Revival of which Office (for the benefit of the Orphans, to whom the Chamber of *London* is Indebted) the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of this City have lately made an Agreement with *Thomas Puckle*, Citizen and Ironmonger, for the Exercise thereof, and Admitted him thereunto: And the West-Pawn of the Royal-Exchange being the Place now Prepared for the purpose aforesaid; It is Ordered by the said Court, That Publick Notice be given hereof, to the End All Persons making Publick Sales of their Goods, by Outcry, Auction, Candle or otherwise, may thither repair to the said *Thomas Puckle*, his Deputies or Assistants for the doing thereof; And that no Person or Persons do hereafter take upon them the like Selling of Goods by any manner of Publick Sales, as aforesaid, within the said City and Liberties at their Peril.

Wagstaffe.

Advertisements.

ONE *John Averil*, a tall young Man about 18 years of Age, wears a *Perriwig*, his own Hair short and black, little Eyes, an high Nose, big and reddish, stoops in the back, wear from the Countess of *Orrery's* on Friday last, with a new dark coloured Cloth Coat and Breeches, trimm'd with Gold and dark coloured Buttons and Loops, the Sleeves bound about with Gold, a Scarlet Serge Wastecoat trimm'd with black Buttons and Loops, and a great dark coloured Hanging Coat faced with Scarlet. Whoever gives Notice of him, or brings him, to the Countess of *Orrery's* House in *Park-Place*, shall be well Rewarded.

LOST or stolen from the House of *Mr. Joseph Bailey* at *Eltham* in *Kent* upon Tuesday night last, Nov. 20. a Liver colour'd and white Spaniel Dog about a year and half old, with a Scar upon his Eyelid. Whoever brings him to the said *Joseph Bailey*, or *Sir John Shaw* of *Eisham*, or to *Mr. Robert Townson* in *St. Lawrence Pountney Lane* in *Cannon-street*, shall have a Guinea Reward and Charges.