

Paris, Decemb. 25. The King, upon the Advice he received on Monday last of the Queen of England's Arrival at Calais the 21th instant, has lent the Sieur Beringhan with his Coaches, to conduct her to the Castle of Vincennes, which is preparing for her Reception. Since the return of Monsieur de Saignelay from visiting the Maritime Places, it has been resolv'd to demolish all the Fortifications lately made at Cherbourg in Normandy; And, it's said, that in stead thereof, several Redoubts will be built at convenient distances on that Coast, near a place called Hougue. They write from the Palatinate, that Orders were given for the demolishing of Manheim. And from Vienna of the 9th instant, that it was not doubted but a Peace would be very suddenly concluded with the Turks. Two new Companies are added to the Regiment of Swiss Guards. It's said that the Sieur Gabaret, who was to have commanded the Squadron of 12 of 15 Ships that is now fitting out, dyed the last week suddenly at Rochefort. The Marquis de Villars is come back from Minicke, without seeing Prince Clement, for that he would not give him the Title of Electoral Highness. There is a Report, that all the French Effects have been seized in Portugal, by way of Reprizal, for the Goods which the Merchants of Portugal have lost in the Dutch Vessels taken by the French Privateers, and which were condemn'd for good Prize, notwithstanding the Representations of the Portugal Minister residing here. It's said that a Declaration of War against this Crown has been resolv'd on in the Diet at Ratisbenna. The Count d'Avatix is arrived here from Holland; And the Dutch Ambassador, the Heer Van Starckenberg, will part from hence to morrow on his return thither.

London, Dec. 20. This day, the Lord Mayor being indispos'd, the Aldermen and their Deputies, with some of the Common-Councilmen of each Ward, by order of the Common-Council, waited on his Highness the Prince of Orange, to Congratulate him on his Happy Arrival at St. James's; which was performed by Sir George Treble our Recorder in an eloquent Speech, and very favourably received by his Highness.

St. James's, Decemb. 20. The High Sheriff, Nobility and Gentry, of the County of Cambridge, having sign'd an Address to his Highness the Prince of Orange, wherein they not only beg his Highness's Protection, and implore his Aid to rescue these Kingdoms from Slavery and Popery; But also assure him, that they will contribute their utmost Endeavour in perfecting so glorious a Work. And return his Highness their unfeigned Thanks for the Progress he has already made therein, with great Cost, Labour, and Hazzard, both by Sea and Land; Several of the most consi-

derable of the County are come up with it to Town, and were this day introduced to his Highness by Colonel Cutts; And his Highness was pleas'd to receive them with particular Marks of his Favour.

On Wednesday last in the Evening, their Royal Highnesses Prince George, and the Princess Ann, of Denmark, return'd in perfect Health to the Cockpit; where they were presently after visited by his Highness the Prince of Orange; Who was that Afternoon likewise to visit the Queen Dowager at Somerset-House.

Dec. 22. The Lords Spiritual and Temporal assembled at Westminster did this day make the following Order.

VVE, the Lords Spiritual and Temporal Assembled in this Extraordinary Conjunction, Do appoint Francis Gwyn Esquire, for Us, and in Our Names, to Sign and Subscribe such Orders as shall be from time to time by Us made. Dated at the House of Lords in Westminster the 22th day of December, 1688.

Thos. Ebor.	Thancr.	R. Eure.
Norfolk.	Scardale.	P. Wharton.
Somerset.	Clarendon.	Pager.
Grafton.	Burlington.	North and Grey.
Ormond.	Suffex.	Chandos.
Beaufort.	Mablesfield.	Montague.
Northumberland.	Radgor.	Grey.
Hallifax.	Berkeley.	Maynard.
Oxford.	Nottingham.	T. Jermyn.
Ken.	Rochester.	Vaughan Carbery.
Bedford.	Bauconberg.	Tho. Culpeper.
Pembrooke.	Mordaunt.	Lucas.
Dorset.	Newport.	Delamere.
Devonshire.	Weymouth.	Crew.
Bullingbrooke.	Hartton.	Lunley.
Manchester.	W. Adaph.	Carteret.
Rivers.	Fran. Ely.	Ofluffton.
Stamford.	La-warr.	

These are to give Notice, That all Persons, who shall have any Goods taken out of the Resident of Florence his House, are to bring the said Goods to Sir Charles Cottrel in St. Martins lane in the Fields, who will give the Discoverer a Reward: And whosoever shall conceal any of the Goods, and not bring them forth, will be proceeded against as Felons and Robbers.

Advertisements.

ON Wednesday the 19th instant, between 8 and 9 at Night, there was taken away an Iron Chest, with 400 l. Sterl therein, out of the Paymaster-Generals Office in the Horse Guards, being Money for the Use of the Forces. Whoever secures those that took it, and gives Notice thereof to the aforesaid Office, shall have 10 Guinea's Reward; or if they return the said Sum of 400 l. they shall receive 50 l. Reward, without prosecution against them.

AN Hair Postmanteau Trunk, bought of four Soldiers, between Honlow Heath and Twickenham, supposed to be taken from the King's Wagons belonging to the Train of Artillery on Honlow Heath, is secured at the Faulcon in Twickenham, where the Right Owner, describing the Trunk, and the Goods in it, may have it again, paying reasonable Charges.

Lost the 12th instant out of Piccadilly, a bright bay Gelding about 15 hands, with a Scar of white upon one Eye brow. Whoever gives Notice of him to Mr. Jonathan Stiff, Corn-chandler in Piccadilly, shall be well rewarded.

A Gentleman by mistake took a plain hair coloured Camblet Cloak at Mr. Man's Coffee-house on Sunday last was fortnight instead of his own of the same colour; 'tis desired the person who hath such a Cloak, will give notice to Mr. Man, the Gentleman who hath made the mistake being ready to return it upon such notice.