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Barcelona, Decemb. 10.

**T**HERE has been lately some Disturbance in this Countrey, which was chiefly promoted by two Persons, who had a great part in the Disorders of the year 1687, when the Marquis de Leganez was Viceroy: These Men, the one named Joseph Soler, and the other Torres, having seduced many of the Countrey People, and got together to the number of about 3000 Men, they seized upon the Spanish Soldiers, that were quartered in divers Villages, whom they disarmed and made Prisoners; and began to beter the Passages to this City. Our Viceroy, the Duke de Villa Hermosa, upon the News of it, drew together what Troops were quartered here, and sent them against the Rebels, who, no sooner saw them appear, but they fled to the Mountains. In the mean time, the Nobility, and principal Towns of the Province, sent Deputies to his Excellency, to assure him of their Fidelity and Assistance. But our Viceroy having published a Pardon, upon condition they delivered up the Authors of this Commotion, it was presently laid hold on, and the Head of Soler was presented to him; But Torres made his Escape into France; From whence he and his Companion were encouraged to this Revolt.

Madrid, Decemb. 14. Great Preparations are making here against the Queen's Arrival. We have an account, by an Express from Barcelona, that the late Disturbance in Catalonia was appeased, and that the Viceroy had published a General Amnesty. Larache is taken by the Moors, and the Garison carried to Macquines. The Galeons are fitting out at Cadix with great diligence, and it's believed they will depart from thence towards the end of the next month.

Warsaw, Decemb. 12. The Little Diets are well ended in several Provinces; and from the good disposition there appears at these Preliminary Meetings, People promise themselves a happy Success of the General Diet that is summoned against the 15th of the next month. The Court continues still at Zolkiew; And we are told, that the King has named the Abbot of Tremesna, to go in the Quality of his Envoy Extraordinary to the Pope, to sollicite Succors against the Turks. We hear from Moldavia, that a considerable Body of Tartars was entred into that Countrey, where they pretended to quarter this Winter: And that there was a report, that the Cham had, upon the repeat-

ed Invitations he had received from the Grand Signior, resolved to repair again to *Adriamople*, to assist that Court with his Advice, how to provide for the defence of the Ottoman Empire, in the present ill posture of their Affairs. The Moscovites make great Preparations for the next Campaign; and the Cossacks, who had refused to serve under *Knees Galitzen*, late General of the Czar's Forces (whom they accused of having Intelligence with the Tartars) have, since the late Change in that Government, promised to bring a very considerable Body of Men into the Field, and to joyn the Moscovite Army at their Rendezvous.

Vienna, Decemb. 25. The News we had the last week, of the Albaneses having defeated a Party of Turks near *Tertora*, and taken a great Booty, is not only confirmed, but we hear farther, that they were forming themselves into a Body, in order to the making some more considerable Attempt upon the Enemy: They are a very Warlike People, and may be of great Use to the Imperialists in the prosecution of this War. General *Heustler* has now the Command of the Imperial Forces in *Transylvania* and *Valachia*; and the Marquis de *Nigrelli* is to command at *Cassovia*, and in *Upper Hungary*, in the place of the Count d' *Aspremont*, who is sent for, to serve in the Army on the *Rhine*. The Turkish Envoys here have declared, that they are impowered, by the Instructions they received by the last Courier *Mustapha Aga*, to offer *Temiswarer*, *Giula*, and other places on the River *Theyffe*, in exchange for *Belgrade*, and the other Conquests the Imperialists have made beyond the *Save*; and that if this Proposal was rejected, they could not consent to any other. But the Imperial Court seems resolved rather to continue the War, than to part with that important place; for which the necessary Preparations are accordingly making, and there is a discourse of raising several new Regiments in *Hungary* and *Servia*, to reinforce the Army that is to be employ'd on that side.

Heydelberg, Decemb. 23. We work on the new Fortifications of this place with

all the diligence possible, and hope, in a short time, to have brought them to a considerable Perfection. A Bridge will be laid this week over the Neckar, the Boats necessary for this purpose being already provided. The French fortifie *Germerheim*, and are making there a Redoubt on the *Rhine*; their Workmen being covered by Detachements of Horse and Dragoons from *Philipsbourg*.

*Hamburg, Jan. 2.* All our Advices from *Stockholm* assure us, that the King of *Sueden* does make Preparations, in order to give the Allies great Assurances the next Campaign. And we have Letters from *Copenhagen* which say, there was a discourte at that Court, that an Alliance was treating between the King of *Denmark* and the Confederate Princes. The Troops of *Lunenburgh*, that were employed in the Siege of *Mentz*, are coming back towards these parts.

*Edinburgh, Dec. 31.* The Letters from *Ireland* give an account, that his Grace the Duke of *Schomberg* was return'd to *Lisburne*, from visiting the Frontier Garisons, which he found in a good Condition, and well furnished with Provisions. We hear, that four Regiments are to go from hence for *Ireland*.

*Plymouth, January 5.* The first instant came in here Their Majesties Ship the *Advice* from Cruising. There is a Galliot Hoy, laden with Sugars, sunk in *Cat-water*; but it's believed this Vessel, as also the French Privateer, that was sunk the 25th past, may be got up again the first fair Weather. The Lord *Berkeley* continues in this Port with the Squadron under his Command.

Whereas there was a Robbery committed in the Collegiate Church of St. Peter in Westminster, on Monday-night the 30th of December last past, of several things of great value, to wit, Two large Silver Candlesticks gilt, a large Silver Basin gilt; Three Suits of rich Velvet Ornaments, (one of them being embroidered, with a Gold Fringe and Lace round the same,) for the Use of the Communion-Table and the Pulpit; Three Damask Table Cloathes, and three Napkins; the Covers of the great Bible and Common Prayer Book. Upon humble Application, of the Dean and Chapter of the said Collegiate Church, to His Majesty, to promise His Gracious Pardon to any Person or Persons concern'd in the said Robbery, in case the same be restored within Forty days, or any of the Accessories discovered: His Majesty hath been Graciously pleas'd to grant their Request, and doth accordingly hereby declare, That in case any Person or Persons shall restore the said Plate and other things aforementioned, or make such Discovery as aforesaid, He will grant unto him or them so doing His Gracious Pardon for the said Robbery.

*Westhall, Jan. 2, 1689.*

The Dean and Chapter of Westminster do likewise promise the Reward of One Hundred Pound

*Nottingham.*

to do likewise promise the same Conditions aforesaid.

To the Right Honorable Dean of Westminster.

Whereas Divers Letters have been committed to Persons who have hitherto taken in Letters to be carried to the General Post-house, within the Limits of East-Smithfield, Wapping, Ratchiffe-Cross, and Lincolns, &c. whereby many Letters have miscarried: For the preventing whereof, for the future, there are appointed Three fit Persons at the places aforesaid, to receive and take in Letters every hour in the Day, on the General Post-days, and with half an hour after Ten of the Clock at Night, without any manner of Charge, the Postage only excepted, viz. Mr. John Ward Tailor-Chandler in East-Smithfield, Mr. Samuel Gibb Tobaccoist near King Edward's Stairs, and Mr. Daniel Wilkison at Ratchiff Crois, who will carefully and safely convey all such Letters to the General Letter-Office in Lombard-street; And all other Persons whatsoever are to forbear taking in or receiving any Letters by Ring of Bell or otherwise to go by Post, within the Limits of Tower-hill on the West to Blackwall on the East, and from White-chapel Street on the North to Wapping on the South, as they will answer the contrary.

#### Advertisements.

\* \* \* The Lord Maitland's Excellent Collection of Prints and Drawings, by the most Eminent Masters of Europe, curiously preserved, and well conditioned, will be sold by Auction on Monday the 20th of this instant January, at the late dwelling House of the late Lord Chancellor Jeffreys in Duke-street, Westminster. Catalogues are distributed by Mr. Parker in Cornhill, Mr. Chiswell in St. Paul's Church-yard, Mr. Wilkinton and Mr. Dring in Fleet-street, Mr. Lownds in the Strand, Mr. Partridge near Charing-Cross, Mr. Nott in the Pall Mall, Mr. Willk in King-street, Westminster, Mr. Morlock and Mr. Gyll-Bower in Westminster-hall, Mr. Clements in Oxon, and Mr. Dawson in Cambridge, Book-sellers.

A Discourse concerning the Church, in these following Particulars. 1. Concerning the Visibility of the True Church. 2. Concerning the Church of Rome. 3. Concerning Protestant Churches. 4. An Answer to this Question; Where was your Church before Luther? Never before printed. Written by Dr. Robert Sanderson late Lord Bishop of Lincoln; with a Preface by Dr. Ashton Rector of Berkenham in Kent.

The Plain-man's Devotions. In Two Parts. 1. A Method of daily Devotion. 2. A Method of Devotion for the Lord's Day. A Second Reply to the Catholick Millionaries, about the Infallibility of the Church of Rome. The Child's Monitor against Popery; for the Use of the Child who hath Popish Parents. The Country Parson's Admission to his Parishoners, persuading them to continue in the Protestant Religion. By Dr. Ashton Rector of Berkenham in Kent. Both Printed for Richard Wilde at the Map of the World in St. Paul's Church-yard.

Holland's Leagur, near the Bankside in Southwark, a Sugar House is to be Lett, ready fitted, with three Pans, and all Utensils proportionable. Inquire at the House aforesaid, or of Captain South, at Exchange-ture, on the Barbadoes-Walk, and you may know further.

Taken out of Stables in Brewers street near Golden Square the first instant a bright bay Gelding, above 14 hands, a star and snip, a big Hunter, a little low back, trots altogether; also a brigar brown bay, with a blaze, and saddle back; at the same time a dun Gelding, a black list on his back, and cloudy face, full 15 hands; and a brown bay Gelding, above 15 hands, with fore eyes, all belonging to Gentlemen of his Majesties Guards. Whoever gives notice of them to Captain Armstrong in Brewers street, shall have two Guineas Reward for each.

Taken or stray'd out of the Marsh near Snallard in Tennerden in Kent, in the Occupation of Theophilus Beach, a bright bay Gelding, without any White, 14 hands and a half high, 8 years old, having all his Paces, and indifferently well shaped. Whoever gives Notice of him to the said Theophilus Beach in Crambrook in Kent, or to Mr. Joseph Wilson Goldsmith against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street, London, shall be well rewarded.

Taken away from George Decon, the first instant, on Hounslow Heath, two Geldings, with several parcels of Goods; they put the Goods into three Meal-Sacks, on a black Gelding with a cut Tail, the off Eye out, some grey Hairs on his Head, about 15 hands high, full aged. And a bay Gelding with a cut Tail, a Star in his Forehead, Saddle-spots, the Hair rubb'd off his sides with drawing, is 15 hands high, and 7 years old. Whoever gives Notice of the said Horses to Mrs. Stone at the George Inn in Little Drury-lane, London, or to Richard Elkington at the Greyhound in Colebrook, shall have a Guinea Reward, and Charges.