

the Town-house, Count *Papenheim*, as Hereditary Deputy to the Elector of *Saxony*, rid, attended by the Emperor's and his own Guards, with a Silver Measure, (containing about a Peck,) to a great heap of Oats, (600 Bushels being the customary Donative to the Poor,) where he measured two or three Pecks, which he threw among the People, and leaving them to scramble for the rest, he carried the Measure (which is his Fee,) to the Emperor. Then the Elector of *Branza*, as Archdeputy, rid in his Robes to the Kitchen, where a whole Ox was roasting, whence taking a piece in a Silver Dish, he carried it to the Emperor, after which the Ox was distributed among the People. Next the Ambassador of *Berndsburch* rid to the place where the Wine was to run, and filling a Silver Cup (his Fee,) carried it to the Emperor. Lastly, the Elector *Palatine*, Arch-Treasurer of the Empire, scattered Gold Medals three times out of a Window, his Deputy riding among the Crowd, and throwing Silver ones among them in great Quantities, (the Device is a Sword wreathed with Laurel, with these words, *Aureo & Imore*;) The Emperor and the King looking all the while out of the Windows. At the upper end of the Hall was a Table raised three Steps, under a Canopy, for the Emperor and King, at each end of which was a Side-board with little Tables between for the Emperor's and King's Crowns to be laid upon. Each of the Electors had a distinct Table raised one Step, under Canopies. When the Emperor and King were set, the Elector of *Monte* laid Grace, Counts of the Empire carried up the Meat, preceded by Count *Papenheim*, the Prince of *Hesse* held the Towel for the Emperor, and the Prince of *Wartenburg* for the King, the Landgrave of *Hesse Darmstadt* carried, the Margrave of *Baden* gave the Emperor Drink, and Count *Lamburg* to the King. The Electors were attended by their Guards, and served by their Gentlemen, having Carvers also, and Waiters: The Emperor's Table was served with Gold Plate, and the Electors with Silver; and at the end of the Hall were Cupboards of Plate belonging to every Elector: The Tables for *Saxony* and *Berndsburch* had three covered Dishes on each, but no Body sat at them: There was likewise a Table towards the Lower end of the Hall for the three Princes of the Empire; and a Gallery for the Music, which play'd all the while. And the Cannon was several times discharged round the Town. About 7 a Clock they rose from Dinner, and *Munz* waited upon the Emperor and King to the Palace. The next day all the publick Ministers had Audience of the Emperor and King, to compliment them on this Occasion.

Rome, Febr. 27. The 20th instant arrived here an Express from *Rome* with the News that the Pope had on the 13th made a Promotion of 11 Cardinals, who are, *Toussaint de Francon* Bishop and Count of *Benevais*, and Peer of *France*: *Bandino Panciatichi* of *Pistoia* Patriarch of *Jerusalem* and *Dacary*: *Signior Caracini* Neapolitan formerly Nuncio in *Poland*, and now at the Emperor's Court: *Signior Davia*, *Nuncio* Archbishop of *Anafia*: *Signior Ruvini* Venetian Bishop of *Vincenza* the Popes Nephew: *Francis Aghani* of *Persia* in the State of *Urbis*, Secretary of the Briefs: *Charles B. de* of *Siena* Auditor-General of the Chamber: *Joseph Rin* *Imperiale* *Genoese* Treasurer General of the Chamber: *John Baptista* *Coffa* *gari* Roman Dean of the Clerks of the Chamber: *Louis Homedy* *Mianez* Clerk of the Chamber. And *Francis de Granada* likewise Clerk of the Chamber. There is much talk of a Circular Letter that's sent to the several Bishops of this Kingdom to exert all the Religious Houses and Communities to send their Plate to the Mint to be converted into Money. The Kings Journey to *Compagne* continues med for Monday next.

Berwick, Febr. 15. There was lately off away to the Southwards of this place a small Frigate, which is supposed to be the Dutch Convoy bound with some Merchant Ships to *Scotland*.

Plymouth, Febr. 14. Their Majesties Ship this day, his, since my last, by night in here two *Prizes*, from *Spain*, *France* to *India*. Here is also arriv'd the *Portugallian* from *Jamaica*.

Plymouth, Febr. 16. This day two Dutch Privateers, one of 20, and the other of 18 Guns, brought in here a French Ship belonging to *St. Malo*, of 26 Guns, bound for the *West Indies* with Provisions, Merchants Goods, and several Passengers: They had a very good Store, and the Captain of one of the Captains was killed, and several Men kill'd on both sides. The *Andalusian* of *London*, and the *St. Peter* of *Portugal*, are arriv'd in this Port from *Portugal*. The Fleet of ourward bound Ships is still here.

Portsmouth, Febr. 16. The 14th instant sailed from *Spithead* the Fleet with the Queen of *Spain*, but the Wind

changing soon after, they came to an Anchor at *St. Helens*. *Dept*, Febr. 18. The 14th instant several Merchant Ships with their Convoy, sailed out of the Downs, but the Wind coming contrary were forced back again on the 16th, and still continue in the Downs.

Whitehall, Febr. 13. This day the Right Honourable Sir *Henry Goodrick*, Kt. and Bar. Lieutenant-General of Their Majesties Ordnance, was, by His Majesties Command, Sworn one of His Majesties most Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

Whitehall, Febr. 19. His Majesty has been Graciously pleas'd to constitute *William Cheney* Esq; Sir *John Knatchbull* Bar. and Sir *William Pulteney* Kt. his Commissioners for executing the Office of Keeper of the Privy Seal.

Whitehall, Febr. 19. The Court of Councils Envoy Extraordinary from the Emperor, had the 17th instant Audience of the Queen-Lowager, and this day of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of *Denmark*, being conducted by Sir *Charles Cornwall* Master of the Ceremonies.

Advertisements. This present Thursday, the 20th, will begin, as also on Friday and Saturday the 21st and 22nd instant, will continue, the Sale of a curious Collection of Paintings and Limnings, &c. at the Barbado's Coffee-house in Exchange-alley in Cornhill; the Sale beginning precisely at three of the Clock each Afternoon, where are Conveniency of Galleries, for Ladies, &c. Attendance is given for viewing: And Catalogues are distributed by Mr. Gillyflower in Westminster-hall, Mr. Miller in St. Paul's Church-yard, Book-sellers, and at the place of Sale.

De Jure Maritimo & Navali: Or, A Treatise of Affairs Maritime and of Commerce. By Charles Molloy Barrister at Law. A Book very useful for all Captains of Men of War, Captains and Masters of Merchant Ships, Merchants and Foreign Traders, &c. Sold by Abel Swaine at the Uricon at the West-end of St. Paul's Church-yard, and at most Sea-Port-Towns in England.

There is now published the True and Exact Picture of the Right Reverend Father in God Gilbert Lord Bishop of Sarum, and Chancellor of the most Noble Order of the Garter. Painted from the Life by John Riley, Principal Painter in Ordinary to Their Majesties. Done in Mezzo Tinto by J. Smith; and is to be sold by R. Tomlin at the Sun in Bedford-bury, and E. Cooper at the Three Pidgeons in Bedford-street, and most Picture-shops in London and Westminster.

At the Outcrops Office in the West-end of the Royal Exchange will be sold by Auction a very large and most curious Collection of Paintings, on Wednesday the 26th of this instant February, at Two after Noon, and so continued daily till all be sold; which will be expos'd to view from Friday the 21st insto, until the time of Sale. Catalogues whereof may be had at the said Office.

The Music-Meeting that was lately held in Villiers-street in York-Buildings, is removed to Exchange in the Strand; the Entrance is at the West-door of the said Exchange; and will begin at the Hours as formerly, every Monday.

Dispers'd out of the Honourable Colonel Curtis his Regiment, from his own Company Joseph Berlin, born in Huntingtonshire, a thick middle bred Man, light coloured Hair, thin faced, having a grey Suit with black Buttons: Oswald Gibbens, born at Wecherby in Yorkshyre, middle stature, well set, lightish brown Hair, aged 26. From Sir William Winklers Company, to be dispersed a tall Man, black Visage, short curl'd Hair, a red Coat lined with black and white Lining, and red Barret faced with the same, with black and white Lining. From the Right Honourable the Earl of Bessington's Company, James Dyeper, a tall Man, dark Hair, aged 20, born in Drifkoll: John Dennis a pale faced Man, more brown Hair, his Knees bending inward, aged 20, born in St. Andrews Holborn; both with red Coats lined with Isabella coloured Lays, red Surcous faced with Isabella Lays with Isabella and white Lining. From Captain Foxons Company, Thomas Palmer a middle statured Man, black Hair, a middle field Man, short black Hair. Whoever secures them, and brings them to Colonel Curtis in Soho-square, or to Major Foxons at the Hook-New-Tavern on Tower-hill, shall have five Guineas Reward for each.

Between Ware-breech and Witham in Essex, the 10th instant, a Gold Watch, with two Seals, one Gold, and the other Silver, tied to it with a Crinifen and white Ribben, the Gold Seal the Arms on it is three Sea-Coats, the Silver one the same, marked with three Tufts. Whoever brings the said Watch and Seals to St. Edward Southgate at Witham in Essex, or to Mr. Preston Trenchard maker in Drury-lane against Anglsey House, shall have three Guineas Reward.

Between the 5th and 6th instant, a Traveller with four Equips of Hols, and a Picture in the middle of it in Gold, tied in a black Silk Tote, one of the largest of the back-side K.T. and the other top of it. Whoever brings them to St. Peter Throld's Boat in St. Dun's Church, shall have two Guineas Reward.

Trow they are and then we be propoled here are no from *France de Gravelle* ying taken few days on advice from great Provid that he ex conduct this Kingdome ar Coffacks ar Mosevoites *Genoua*, on Sunday the Algeri Slaves, whi near 3000, be restored to confer Instruktion *Spain*. *Legborne* Great Duk *Venice*, sel arriv'd *Napoli di* and that t means whe future wit been hith General C he had t thereabout been prom take the F had caused the Passag panto and that the thence ve Forces for Vessel tic Turks are in *Abau* *Belgaria* hither, ar City. *Vienna* arriv'd at 3.ys. and