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Vienna, March 23.

**O**N Sunday last arrived here an Express from the Blockade of *Canisa* with this account: That the Garrison being reduced to the last necessity, divers Turks (the Season favouring them) crept out among the Gardens and Fields to pick Herbs and Roots to eat, but were discovered by the Germans, and driven in. That on the 5th Instant six Turks, very well mounted and armed, with 10 or 12 others, made a Sally; but one of them was killed, and the rest beaten back. On the 6th two old Turks with their Arms, and others came out, demanding Quarter, and assuring them the Town could hold out no longer. On the 7th several Christian Slaves and Prisoners were sent out, with other useles Mouths, and among the rest a Christian Woman was ordered by one of the chief Turks to declare, that if they were a-new summoned, they would surrender; whereupon a Summons was sent on the 10th: The Bassa demanded, that seeing he had not in a long time received any Intelligence from *Turkey*, and it was reported, that the Imperial Arms were advanced as far as the *Moravia*, and consequently there were no hopes left them of any Succors, he might be permitted to send two Persons to *Bosnia*, to inform themselves of these matters, promising upon their return, in case they confirmed the same, immediately to surrender the place. But this Proposal being absolutely rejected, on the 16th the Bassa sent out two Aga's to Treat, who agreed upon the Conditions brought hither by this Express, (being almost the same as were granted to *Syzeb*, *Alba-Regalis*, and *Agria*) which were signed by the Emperor, and sent back yesterday morning. We have advice likewise, that *Great Waradin* is reduced to such a Condition, that the Garrison will not be able to subsist much longer. The Council of War meets daily to direct the Preparations for the Campagne as well in *Hungary* as in *Germany*. We are assured, that the Imperial Army on the *Rhine* will be composed of above 30000 Men of the Emperor's Forces, 8000 Bavarians, and 10000 of the Circles; besides the Forces of *Saxony*, *Brandenburg*, *Lunenburg*, *Munster*, and other Princes of the Empire, which will act in seperate Bodies.

*Frankfort*, March 29. Several Boats arrive daily with Provisions that are ordered to be laid up here for the use of the Imperial Forces, which will now very quickly be in motion. The late Floods have broke the Bridge of Boats at *Philipsburg*.

*Hamburg*, March 31. The *Lunenburg* Troops that are quartered at *Winsen*, and other places thereabouts, are, we hear, removed from thence; and, 'tis said, they are to march towards the Spanish Netherlands. We are told from *Berlin*, that 3000 Men of the *Brandenburg* Forces will begin their march the next week towards the *Rhine*; and that as many

more will follow the week after. The Baron *Taube* raises here 1200 Seamen for the Service of the Crown of *Sueden*, to be employed on the Men of War that are now fitting out at *Carlskrona*. There are Letters from *Poland* which tell us, that the Dye had unanimously resolved to continue the War against the Turks, till they be reduced to such a condition, as that a lasting and Honourable Peace may be made for all the Princes engaged in the present Alliance against them.

*Cologne*, March 31. The Letters from *Geneva* give an account, that the *Vaudons* who were in the Valley of *Pragelas*, had joined those of the Valley of *Lucerne*, having forced their way to them with great slaughter of the French who kept the Passage. The Confederate Troops quartered in this Diocesis are ordered to be in a readiness to march by the middle of the next month. An Express is passed through this place with the news of the surrender of *Canisa*.

*Brussels*, April 2. On the 28th past marched out part of this Garrison to join some other of our Troops, in order to observe the French, who are drawing together about *St. Guislain*. We hear likewise, that the Enemy are moving towards *Dinant* and *Philippeville*. The Governor of *Mons* has caused the Castle of *Boslu*, situated near that place, to be demolished, not thinking it worth the keeping so strong a Garrison there as was necessary to defend it. The Letters from *Vienna* bring the welcome News of the Capitulation of the strong and important Fortress of *Canisa* in *Hungary* after a Blockade of above three years.

*Hague*, April 4. This day Count *Berka*, the Emperors Plenipotentiary, had his Publick Audience of the States-General. The Baron *de Crofbecke* is arrived here in the same Quality from the Duke of *Holfembuttel*, and has assisted at the Conference of the Allies. The Baron *de Bomgars*, who is now here from the Duke of *Juliers*, is going for *England*. Prince *Waudeck* will, it's believed, part from hence this week towards the Frontiers. The Heer *Van Heenskerk*, who is named Envoy Extraordinary from this State to the Emperor, is preparing for his departure: And the Heer *Van Amerongen*, and the Heer *Van Haren*, will be likewise very speedily dispatched with the same Character to the Courts of *Denmark* and *Sueden*. *Canisa* is surrendered to the Emperor.

*Edinburgh*, March 27. On the 25th Instant Their Majesties High Commissioner, and the Lords of the Privy Council, in pursuance of His Majesties Pleasure signified to them by His Royal Letter, issued forth a Proclamation for continuing the Adjournment of the Parliament from the 27th of this Instant March to the 15th of April next; Certifying all the Members of Parliament, that the Parliament will then sit, and requiring all the Members thereof to attend that day in the usual way, and at the ordinary place, and upon the accustomed Ceremonies.

tifications. On the 22th Instant Colonel *Donep's* Regiment of Danish Horse set sail from *Greenocke* with a fair Wind; And yesterday Colonel *Sefed's* Regiment marched from *Glasgow* in order to embark there. This day were brought hither by two Troops of Horse ten Prisoners, who were taken by an English Frigate as they were going to *Dublin*.

*Newcastle, March 29.* Yesterday the *Phoenix* Frigate, with about 100 Sail of laden Colliers, sailed out of *Tinmouth* Haven; and many more will follow the next Tide.

*Pembroke, March 26.* On Saturday last sailed out of this Harbour Sir *Clouesly Shoue*, with the Squadron under his Command, for *Huyplake*. Yesterday came in here Their Majesties Ship the *Kings-Fisher*, being bound for *Bristol* and *Bidford* to Convoy the Forces that are ready there to be Shipt for *Ireland*. Just now are come in two Men of War more.

On Board Their Majesties Ship the *Duke Three Leagues* from the *Groynes*, March 16.

On the 7th Instant we sailed out of *Torbay* with a very numerous Fleet of Merchant Ships. The 8th we were driven back as far as the *start*; but soon after the Wind came again fair for us. That night and the next morning we lay by for the *West-India* Ships from *Plmouth*, but they not appearing we made the best of our way. The 10th in the morning a Dutch Privateer informed us, that he saw 20 Leagues to the Westward of us about 30 Men of War, and 20 other Ships, which he supposed to be French, going for *Ireland*. The 11th the *Sereights* Fleet and the Ships bound for *Biboa* parted from us. We are now in sight of the *Groynes*, where we hope to Land the Queen of *Spain* this day. The *Deptford* has taken two Prizes which were going for *Ireland*.

*Holyhead, March 26.* By Letters from Captain *Bings* Commander of the *Dover*, we are advised, of his having taken a French Ship which came from *Brest* with the French Fleet that are gone for *Ireland*; And Their Majesties Ship the *Ruby* hath also taken a Vessel bound for *Dublin*.

*Falmouth, March 27.* Yesterday came in here Their Majesties Ship the *Northumberland*, having been separated from the rest of her Company in their return from the *Groynes*.

*Plmouth, March 28.* Yesterday arrived here Their Majesties Ship the *Hope*, and four Dutch Men of War, having together with the other Ships mentioned in my last, left the Fleet under the Command of Admiral *Ruffel* within 3 Leagues of the *Groynes*. In their return they met with a Ship that came from *Bylon* in *New-England*, having on Board the late Governor and his Family. Some of the Passengers came on Board the *Hope*, and whilst they were there, a Storm arising, they lost the Company of their own Ship. This day a Dutch Caper brought in here two French Prizes bound from *St. Malo* with Salt and Brandy for *Dubim*.

*Plmouth, March 30.* Their Majesties Ship the *Plmouth*, with four Dutch Men of War sailed from hence this day to the Eastward. This day likewise set sail two *Greensey* Vessels, with about 200 French Prisoners that have been exchanged, for *St. Malo*.

*Weymouth, March 31.* Yesterday came into *Portland* Road a Dutch Ship of 24 Guns from *Surrinam*; with two French Prizes laden with Tobacco and Sugar, which she took in her Voyage hither.

*Chester, March 31.* Sir *Clouesly Shouell* arrived yesterday with Their Majesties Ships under his Command at *Wigolake*. The Navy Yacht is likewise arrived there from *Belfast*, whence she came on Friday last. They say the *Danes* are all Landed: And that they had advice, that the French Succors, being

about 5000 Men, landed the 14th Instant in the South of *Ireland*. Colonel *Cutt's* Regiment of Foot came hither on *Saturday*, and will march to morrow to *Higblake*, where they are to embark for *Ireland*.

*Portsmouth, March 30.* On Friday last the *Woolwich* Frigate, with about 50 Sail of small Vessels, sailed from hence for the *Dornes*. The same day were brought to this place from the Isle of *Wight* about 40 French Prisoners taken by Dutch and *Ostend* Capers.

*Portsmouth, April 1.* On the 30th past Their Majesties Ship the *Advice* came to *Spitthead* from the Eastward.

#### Advertisements.

\* \* A Collection of Forms of Prayer for Private Devotion out of the Common-Prayer-Book, by the Author of the Weeks Preparation to the Sacrament, and Preparation to a Holy Life, &c. With the Feasts and Fasts of the Church of England explained; Also a Table readily to find any Text of Scripture quoted in the Common-Prayer. Printed for Sam. Keble at the Turks-Head in Fleetstreet, and Dan. Brown at the Bible and Swan without Temple-Bar.

\* \* Bishop Overall's Convocation-Book, M DC VII concerning the Government of God's Catholick Church, and the Kingdoms of the whole World. Printed for Walter Kettilby at the Bishop's Head in St. Paul's Church-Yard.

Whereas the Creditors of Alderman Backwell, deceased, were desired to meet Mr. Backwell and the Trustees on Friday the 4th of April at Garraway's Coffee-House, to sign and seal the Deeds settled by Council on both sides, the meeting is put off till Friday the 11th of April at the request of some of the principal Creditors that could not be then present.

Henry Hungate, a Soldier in Capt. Wenworth's Company in the Lord Colchester's Regiment, being tall and slender, aged about 40, having a light colour'd bob Wig, his own Hair pretty long and black, dark coloured Clothes, a grey Watcoat with white Buttons, and Jack-Boots, made his escape on a grey Horse above 14 hands, having murdered one John Brace late Soldier in Captain Phinick's Company in the same Regiment. Whoever apprehends the said Henry Hungate, and gives notice to Alderman Tyas in Worcester, or to Mr. Henry Bengough at his Coffee-House in Queen-street near Cheap-side, London, shall be well rewarded.

There is a very good Close Wagon to be sold, little used, convenient and fit for any Officer, with a set of very good Harness or without, it is to be seen at the Earl of Litchfield's Stables in Downing-street near the Cockpit, Westminster.

On Tuesday in Easter-week next a Plate of about 20 l. value will be run for on Lamborn-Downs in the County of Berks, 3 Heats, Gentlemen to ride, 12 Stone weight; The Horses to appear at the starting Post on Tuesday next before Easter-day in the forenoon, where the size, colour, marks, &c. are then to be entered: He that is no Subscriber must pay 5 l. and is not obliged to make such appearance and entry till the day the Plate is run for; the winning Horse is to be sold for 30 Guinea's. On the next day another Plate of about 10 l. value will be run for, 3 Heats, 11 Stone, the Horses also to appear at the time aforesaid, and the winning Horse to be sold for 20 Guinea's. The Contributors are desired to pay their Subscriptions to Mr. Passell at the Kings Arms in Cheap-side, Goldsmith.

Emanuel, a tall, slender, long faced Black, mark'd with the Small Pox, high No's'd, in black Cloaths, went away about 13 days ago from Newcastle-house in Clerkenwell-Close. Whoever apprehends him, and gives notice to the Porter at the aforesaid place, where he is, so as that he shall be apprehended, shall have Two Guinea's Reward.

At Thane-House in Alder-gate-street will on every Tuesday be sold by the Country Lace-Men all sorts of Lace, where all Persons may be readily furnished from Six in the Morning till Two in the Afternoon: It began on Tuesday the first Instant.

Stolen the 22d past out of Mr. Turners Stable in Hereford, one grey Mare, with a long Tail, (or since docked) above 14 hands high, coming on 5 years old, having two white Feet behind, and a kind of a star in her Forehead, being something whiter than her colour, she hath a Bunch a little above her off-Knee, and a Scar going from that Bunch on the inner side the Leg up towards her Bricket, trots all. Whoever gives notice of the said Mare to Mr. Richard Andrews, Post-Master in Hereford, or to Mr. John Short at the General Post-Office in London, shall have 20 s. Reward, if in case that she can be recovered.

Stolen out of the Stable of Edmond Trimmer on Wandsworth-hill, a dark-brown Stone-Horse, all his Feet white, a star in his Forehead, above 15 hands, walks fast, trots and gallops; a light furred Gelding, his Face and some of his Legs a little white, his off-Eye bald, about 14 hands, thorough-paces and gallops, carrying his Nose out, his Mane is full of grey Hairs, bob Tail; a dark bay Gelding, about 15 hands, all his paces. Whoever gives notice of them to Mr. Edmond Trimmer at the Bear at Bear-Key in Thames-street, shall have six Guinea's Reward.

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