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Milan, April 22.

**T**HE Troops of this State are now compleatly Recruited, and in few days will march to the General Rendezvous. The Princes and States of Italy, who are Feudatories of the Empire, and have not yet paid the Contributions demanded of them, have been again summoned to pay the same, in default whereof other Measures will be taken to oblige them to a Compliance herein.

**Turin, April 28.** The Marquis de Leganez, Governor of Milan, arrived here last night to consult with the Duke of Savoy, and General Caprara, about the Preparations and Designs of the next Campaign. The Enemy continue very quiet on these Frontiers; The Marechal de Catinat is now at Susa. His Royal Highness has his Ague still; and yesterday took the Jesuits Powder, which was the first time he has made use of it.

**Vienna, April 29.** The Imperial Troops, who have wintered in Hungary and on the Frontiers, have orders to leave their Quarters on the first of the next Month, and to advance with all the diligence they can towards Essecke; Whither the Regiments that were quartered farther off are already on their march. The ill Weather has hitherto hindered the designed Attempt upon Gyula and Jeno; but all things are in a readiness for the execution of this Enterprize so soon as the Season is more favourable. On the 25th Instant was dispatched from hence a Courier to Berlin with the Emperor's Ratification of the Treaty about the 6000 Brandenburgers that are to serve this Campaign in Hungary; They are by this time arrived on or near the Frontiers of Silesia, where they will be mustered and received into the Emperor's Service. The Elector Palatin has likewise agreed to assist his Imperial Majesty with 2000 Men, who are to serve as Recruits for his Troops in Hungary; and 4000 Men are expected from Bavaria for the same Service. The last Advices from Turkey say, that the Enemy had drawn some of their Troops together about Temeswar, in order to relieve Gyula and Jeno in case they be attack'd by the Imperialists; That the Vanguard of the Ottoman Army was come to Nissa; That the Viceroy had sent great Presents to the Cham of Tartary, to oblige him to hasten his March to Hungary, and that to encourage their Troops, 'twas given out, that the Grand Signior would make the Campaign in Person.

**Frankfort, May 6.** The Count de Hohenlo, Envoy from the Emperor, is gone to Wurtzburg, to regulate several Matters about the March of the Saxon Forces, who are expected on the Rhine about the end of this month. Prince Lewis of Baden, who has been several days at Gantzburg, intends to return from thence to-morrow to Esslingen; and in the mean time has sent Orders to the Imperial Forces quartered in those parts to begin their march on the 10th of this Month to the Rendezvous between Esslingen and Hydelberg; Preparations are made by the Confederates for the laying a Bridge over the Rhine near Philipsbourg; and several small Vessels that use to be employed on the Neckar, are for this purpose brought together at Hydelberg. The Enemy are drawing together about Neustadt.

**Cologne, May 8.** They write from the Upper-Rhine, that the Confederate Forces had Orders to march towards Esslingen and Hydelberg, and that the Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel has promised to join them with all his Troops. The French are forming a Camp between Landau and Neustadt in the Palatinate. General Chaurvet, who is to command the Saxon Troops continues still at Frankfort; and the Elector of Saxony is shortly expected there, the Duke of Lorraine's House being made ready to receive him. Yesterday and this day passed through this place 200 Men in their way towards Nimwegen, being part of the new Levies that have been made in

Switzerland, and the Country of the Grisons, for the Service of the States General of the United-Provinces.

**Hamburg, May 8.** The Letters from Berlin tell us, that the Elector of Brandenburg went thence on the 3d Instant towards Cressen on the Frontiers of Silesia, to take a Review of his Troops that are marching to Hungary; after which he intends to go to Carlsbad.

**Paris, May 8.** The French King has now fixt his Journey for the 16th of this month; He intends to go that day to Chantilly, to stay there the 17th, and to be the 18th at Compeigne; where he will declare which way he designs to go farther. The Duke of Orleans is made General of all the Forces appointed for the Guard of our Coasts; and is to have his Head Quarters at Laval, with the Marechal d'Humieres, who is to serve under him; From whence he may send his Orders, as there shall be occasion to the Marechal de Bellegarde commanding in Normandy, the Marechal d'Estree in Picou, the Duke de Chaulnes in Britany, and the other General Officers on the Coast of Guyenne. At the same time Directions are given for raising the Arriertan of the several Provinces, who are to join with the standing Troops designed for this Service; which will put the Country to an Expence it is little able to bear at a time when there appears so much Misery and Poverty in most parts of this Kingdom. The last Letters from Breff say, that the Marechal de Tourville was shortly expected there. We have yet no news of the Count d'Estree's being sailed from Toulon.

**Brussels, May 10.** The Enemies Troops are still moving in several places, but have not yet begun to encamp; Most of their Foot lies in the Villages between St. Quentins and La Capelle, and about Mons and Tournay. They have likewise some Troops about Rosselaer and Hariebecke. They have of late made several Detachements towards their Sea-Coasts; and we have advice, that they are now sending 8 Battalions more, with some Regiments of Horse and Dragoons towards Normandy. The Marechal de Boufflers was on the 8th Instant at Conde, and was to go thence to Mons, where the Marechal de Luxembourg is daily expected; The Enemy give out, that they are to encamp on the 15th Instant at Perwez or Givry. Yesterday marched from hence 3 Regiments of Foot, who have posted themselves between this place and Malines, and 3 other Regiments are come hither in their stead. All our Forces lie ready to march into the Field; which they will now do in few days. Yesterday was hanged on a Tree without one of the Gates of this City a Spy, who had been an Officer in the French Service.

**Hague, May 12.** His Majesty came hither last night from Leo; and will be going in few days to Breeda. The Weather has been very cold this week, which may retard the Armies marching into the Field. The Count d'Albici, Envoy Extraordinary from the Great Duke of Tuscany to the Elector of Bavaria, is arrived here from Brussels. Count Oxensjerne is going to Vienna with the same Character from the King of Sweden.

**Edinburgh, April 29.** Yesterday the Parliament proceeded upon the farther Consideration of the Report of the Committee for the Security of the Nation, concerning the Fonds to be raised for the support of the Government, and maintenance of the Forces, and it was Voted and Resolved that 45000 l. Sterl. shall be raised by an Additional Excise upon Malt Liquors, payable quarterly in a year and half; And that Ten and a half Months Cefs, amounting to 65000 l. Sterl. be paid within the same time, over and above the 7 Months and a half that still remain to be paid of the former Cefs. These Fonds, together with the Poll, which is now under Consideration, and which will raise about 45000 l. Sterl. will maintain 6300 Men till Martinmas 1694, fill the Magazines with Arms and Provisions, and satisfie the Countrey for their Arrears, &c. The List of the Absent Peers from the Committee for Controversed Elections was read over; Several were Excused on account

account of their Minority and Absence out of the Kingdom, and others who have not appeared in any Sessions of this Parliament, and have not taken the Oath of Allegiance and Assurances, were Fined conform to the Act of Parliament. After which the Parliament Adjourned till Tuesday next.

### The Parliament of Scotland's Answer to His Majesty's most Gracious Letter.

May it please Your Majesty,

**W**E Your Majesties most Loyal and Dutiful Subjects, the Lords and Commissioners of Shires and Burroughs in Parliament Assembled, do Return Your Majesty our most hearty and humble Thanks for the Fatherly Care You are pleas'd to Express in Your Gracious Letter of the Concerns of this Your Ancient Kingdom, particularly for giving us the hopes (which we with all Duty lay hold on) that we shall have the Honour of Your Majesties Presence amongst us, as soon as that can be: We are fully persuaded, that as we owe all the happiness of the state we are in, to Your Majesties coming to Britain, so we can only owe to Your Majesties being in Person amongst us the finishing and entire Settlement of it.

In the mean while we humbly Acknowledge Your Majesties Goodness in Calling us together so seasonably, and with so Gracious a Confidence, even in Your Absence from Britain, when the putting this Nation in a good posture of Defence is so necessary for the security of it, and for quieting the Minds of all Your Majesties good Subjects, who cannot yet calmly reflect on the posture it was in the last Spring, during the apprehensions of an Invasion whereto, we hope things will show, that nothing could have happened more for Your Majesties Service, and the good of Your People, and more acceptable to all good Men than the Meeting of Your Parliament at this time.

We are sensible of the good Choice Your Majesties has made of the Duke of Hamilton to be Your Commissioner, whose Capacity, Faithfulness and Zeal in managing upon such Occasions the Common Interest of Your Majesty and Your People, are from frequent and good Experience well known to both; And we are resolv'd to concur with him in doing whatsoever shall be found necessary to be done at this time for securing the Peace and Quiet of this Kingdom, and for calming or removing those Differences about Church Matters, that raise or entertain Heats and Animositities amongst us: We doubt not but to fall on such Methods as will conduce to Peace and Union, and put an end to the vain Hopes as well as the Practices of bad Men, whether at home or abroad. And we shall endeavour to Conclude with that Calmness and Despatch Your Majesty requires. And we hope by our Proceedings upon this and all other Occasions to evidence to the World, as we have hitherto done, how much We Your Majesties most Loyal Parliament, are persuaded, that next to the Favour of God Almighty, the Safety and Happiness of this Kingdom depends wholly upon the stability of the present Settlement. And to convince all Men how deeply sensible we are of the great Duty we owe to Your Majesty, as our Deliverer, as well as our Dread Sovereign,

SIR,

It remains, That we add our Prayers to God Almighty to Bless Your Majesty and the Queen with a long and happy Reign; and in particular, to preserve Your Majesties Person from the Accidents of War, and the Machinations of Your Enemies; and to Continue to prosper You in Your Endeavours to Deliver from Danger this Nation, and those other parts of Europe which You have saved from Ruine.

Signed by Warrant, and in Name of the Estates of Parliament, by,

Edinburgh,  
April 21.  
1693.

May it please Your Majesty,

Your Majesty's most Humble, most Faithful, and most Obedient Subject and Servant,

TWEEDALE J. P. D. P.

*Plymouth, May 2.* This day arrived here several Merchant Ships, with their Convoy, bound to New-England. The same day pass'd by this Port to the Westward Their Majesty's Ship the *Prince of Orange*, with about 12 Sail of Merchant Ships bound for *Bristol*.

*Dover, May 4.* This morning the Fleet Sail'd out of the Downs with a fair Wind for *Spitzhead*.

*Portsmouth, May 5.* Yesterday in the Afternoon Lieutenant Admiral *Assomond* arriv'd at *Spitzhead* with Five

Dutch Men of War, 3 of which carry above 90 Guns apiece. On the 3d Instant Their Majesties Ships the *Rochester* and *Soldadoes* came to an Anchor at *St. Helens*, having been out a Cruising.

The Auditor of Their Majesties Receipt of Exchequer gives notice, that the Act for securing certain Revenues and Advantages upon Surveyorship and Annuities, doth direct that the Lives of such as have advanced any Moneys thereupon before the first day of May, be nam'd by the several Contributors, their Executors or Administrators, or such as was employ'd by them, to pay in the said Moneys within 14 days after the 24th of June 1693.

#### Advertisements.

**Scrinia Reserata:** A Memorial Offer'd to the Great Deliverings of John Williams, D. D. who some time held the Places of Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of England, Lord Bishop of Lincoln, and Lord Archbishop of York. Containing a Series of the most Remarkable Occurrences and Transactions of his Life, in relation both to Church and State. Written by John Hackett, late Lord Bishop of Litchfield and Coventry. Printed for S. Lowndes against Exeter-Exchange in the Strand.

This day, being the 8th Instant, will be Published the Third Volume of Practical Discourses upon several Divine Subjects, never before Printed. Written by J. Norris Rector of Bemerton near Sarum. Printed for S. Manship at the Black Bull in Cornhill near the Royal-Exchange, where is to be had all Mr. Norris's Works.

The Second Volume of Historical Voyages and Travels over Europe: Containing all that is most Curious in Spain and Portugal. Done out of French. Printed for H. Rhodes at the Star the Corner of Bride-lane in Fleetstreet, and J. Harris at the Harrow in the Poultrey. Price 1s.

At the Barbadoes Coffee-House in Exchange-Alley, against the Royal-Exchange. On this present Monday, at 5 after Noon, will be expost to Sale by Auction, a choice Collection of valuable Pictures, and other Curiosities. Catalogues may be seen in most Coffee-Houses in London, and had at the place of sale, and so to continue by Solomon Glover.

The Commissioners and Assignees of the Estate of Adiel Mill have settled a present Dividend, but several of the Creditors not having fully proved their Debts; These are to give notice, that such Creditors as shall not perfect the proof of their Debts within 2 Months from this present Monday, will be excluded of all benefit of the Commission.

On the 5th Instant in the morning, between St. James's House and Charing-Cross, a Note of 500 l. dated since the 25th of March 1693. payable by Mr. Robert Fowles and Thomas Worton at the Black-Lyon in Fleetstreet, (but to whom it is not known.) Whoever brings it to Mr. R. Laffels, Goldsmith, in the Strand, shall have a Reward of 5 Guineas.

At the Kings-Head in St. Martins-Legrand near Aldersgate, are made and sold curious sorts of thick Paper Hangings of Indian and Japan Figures, in Pieces of 12 yards long, and near 3 quarters broad, at 2 s. 6 d. per Piece.

The Plates will be continued to be run for upon Stapleton Lease in Yorkshire, on Whitsun Thursday, usually. The Horfes, &c. for the Maiden-Plate are to be shewn and enter'd at Pontefract, on that day fortnight before Whitsun Monday, and those for the second Plate at Darrington the day before the Race-day, each Carrying Ten Stone weight, besides Saddle and Furniture.

The late great Bagnio in Long-Acre, known by the name of the Kings-Bagnio, is now rebuilt and divided into several Rooms for the Reception of Persons of both Sexes every day. all Persons being private to themselves, except they bring Company. The Price for a single Person is 5 s. if two or more come together 4 s. each. All that desire Beds may have them for 2 s. a night, which are fit for the Entertainment of Persons of Quality, contriv'd by the Italian.

Taken away the 24th of March last from Mr. Gregory Symons, by some Highway-men near Buckingham, a brown Mare 14 hands high, the Mane half thorn, 8 years old, trots and paces well, somewhat Greece fallen. Whoever gives notice of the said Mare to Mr. John Webster at the George-Inn in Buckingham, or to Mr. Nicholas Philips at the George-Inn in Westminchfield, shall have 10 s. Reward.

Lost about 2 or 3 days before Easter last, from Mr. Hungerford's House in Suffolk-street near Charing Cross, a large French Spaniel, very fat, with large, white, and Liver-coloured spots, with a remarkable scar a-cros his Nose. Whoever brings him to the said Mr. Hungerford's House, or to Mann's Coffee-House against Lincoln's-Inn in Chancery-Lane, shall have a Guinea Reward, and Charges.

Lost from Ripplefide in the Parish of Barking, in Essex, one roan Nag, hob Tail, a large-Blaze, pieb naturally, about 13 hands or better, 6 or 7 years old; one brown Nag, hob Tail, a little white in his Forehead, brisk mett'e, dull Eyes, about 13 hands, and about 6 years old; with one brown, and another bay Mare. Whoever gives notice of all or any of them to Mr. Taylor of Barking, or to Mr. Tur at his Coffee-House in Well-Smiffchill, shall have 20 s. Reward for each.

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