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Cadix, Decemb. 28.

THE Indulto of the Fleet, which lately arrived in this Port from *New Spain*, is sorted at 550000 pieces of Eight, and the Ships will accordingly begin to un-lade to-morrow, or the day following. Four Spanish Men of War are ordered to Sea, for the security of the Ships expelled from *Buenos Ayres*; which, as we hear, are put into *Rio di Ginero*. On the 4th instant sailed from hence the *R. Service* Frigate, with divers English Merchant Ships for *Malaga*.

Madrid, Jan. 7. The King of *Spain* having resolved to reinforce his Army in *Catalonia* with a considerable Body of Horse and Foot, new Levies are making for that purpose in the several Provinces of this Kingdom; and 'tis said, that the Constable of *Castile* has undertaken to raise a Regiment of Horse at his own Charge. The Indulto of the Spanish Flora is adjusted; and the Com-morce is to pay 550000 pieces of Eight for the same. Orders are sent to hasten out the Galeons which are designed this year to *New Spain*. Directions are likewise given for refitting the Armada with all possible diligence.

Turin, Jan. 9. General *Caprara* went hence on the first instant for *Milan*, where he will continue till all Matters be fully adjusted concerning the Winter-quarters for the Imperial Forces, and the Contributions that are demanded of the Princes of *Italy* for their Subsistence. The Preparations for the next Campaigne are carried on here with great Application. The Duke of *Savoy* designs to go in few days to view the Garison and Fortifications of *Com. 'Tis confirmed, that the French have lost above 3000 men, and a great many Horses in their retreat out of Piedmont; The Vaudois were particularly very troublesome to them, having taken 400 Mules, with a great number of Arms, and the Baggage of divers French Officers. We hear from Casal, That the Garison of that place is very much weakened by Sickness.*

Milan, January 11. Some of the German Troops are marching from *Monferrat* to take their Winter-quarters in the Darchy of *Mantua*. The Duke of *Parma* offers a Sum of Money in lieu thereof, and has sent an Envoy hither to Treat about this Matter. The Count *de Caprara*, General of the Emperors Forces in *Italy*, arrived here some days ago from *Turin*, and has since had several Conferences with our Governour.

Copenhagen, Jan. 16. The Ships mentioned in my last to have been driven by the Ice out of this Road, were first the most part put ashore upon the Island of *Salsbolme*; Some of them are since got off again; but 7 or 8 are still aground there, and 3 are utterly lost, one of them being a French Ship of 500 Gun, laden with Wheat.

Vienna, Jan. 13. The States of the *Lower Austria* met on the 11th instant in the great Hall of the Palace, and the Emperor being Seated on his Throne, the Vice-Chancellor of *Austria*, by his Command, made a Speech to them, to let them know in the first place the great Satisfaction his Imperial Majesty has in the many Marks they give him of their Fidelity and Zeal for his Service; Secondly, To acquaint them with the great Preparations that are made by the Turks on one side, and the French on the other, against the next Campaigne; And lastly, To shew them the necessity the Emperor is under, to do the like on his part, for preventing the dangerous designs of their Enc-

mies, and to demand of them such Subsidies as may be suitable to the present Urgency of Affairs: After which, he gave them the Emperors Proposition, or Demand in Writing. Then the Emperor himself made a short Speech to them on the occasion of their Meeting; and the Count *de Traun*, Marchion Speaker of the Assembly, answered in General and Submissive Terms, thanking his Imperial Majesty for his favourable Expressions to them, and assuring him, that although the Country was already exhausted by a long and cruel War, which had laid waste many Towns and Villages, yet considering the great Dangers that threatened them, they would readily contribute their utmost towards accomplishing his Imperial Majesties good Intentions for their common Defence and Preservation; referring the consideration of particulars to the Assembly, and concluding with Wishes of a happy Reign to his Imperial Majesty, and Prosperity to his Arms. The Affairs of *Italy* are still under Consideration at this Court: Among the other Troops designed thither, will be sent 2000 Hungarians, the Emperor intending to have in *Piedmont* the next Campaigne above 20000 men of his own Forces.

Frankfort, Jan. 24. It rines very hard again; and the Saxon and other Confederate Forces are ordered to draw nearer to the *Rhine*. A great Magazine is provided here of Meal, Oats, and Hay. The French are very busie to Recruit their Troops, forcing all the young Men they like into the Service, but many of them Desert, and of these 50 are come to *Rhinfeldt*.

Cologne, Jan. 16. On the 13th instant, the Elector of *Cologne* was unanimously chosen Coadjutor of *Hildesheim*, of which advice was brought hither by an Express. The Brandeburg Troops quartered in this Diocese, and the Neuburgers who lie in the *Eyfeldt*, are ordered to be in a readines to march.

Paris, Jan. 25. The Marschal *de Castinat* has since his arrival from *Piedmont*, had several Conferences with the Ministers of this Court; and its said, that he will suddenly return thither, to prepare things for an early Campaigne. The Deputies of the States of *Artois* had on the 17th Audience of the French King, being preferred by the Duke *d'Elbeuf*, Governour of the Province. We have Advice from *Germany*. That a Fire lately happened at *Brissac*, which has done much damage to the Cittadel there: And that the Grisons have granted passage through their Territories to the Troops which the Emperor is sending to reinforce his Army in *Italy*. The Deputies of the Parliament of *Paris*, and the other Tribunals, with those of the Clergy, and the principal Merchants of this City, met again the last Week, to consider of farther ways for the Relief of the poorer sort of People; those that have already been made use of not being sufficient for the great numbers of them that are found in and about this City.

Brussels, Jan. 24. Since the return of the Frost, the French double their diligence in the Preparations they are making for some present undertaking; They have marched both Horse and Foot from very remote Garisons, to *Metz* and *Tournaay*; and a great Detachment of the Garisons of *Charlmon* and *Dinant* is come to *Namur*. On the other hand, our Troops are every where upon the Frontiers in a very good Condition to receive the Enemy in case they attempt any thing upon us; and Orders have been sent to keep all the Villages between this Town and *Torwandre*, to keep

thir Stables and Barrs empty in order to receive such Bodies of Horse as are deliged to be quartered there during the continuance of the Frost. The Letters from *Tourney* say, That the French Officers had searched all the Houses and Cloisters of that place, and taken away all the Corn except what they thought necessary for the Subsistence of the Persons that owned the same, for two Months. On Friday last was Hanged here a Horse Merchant for having sold Horses to the French. Monsieur *Faireau*, Viscount de More, who is lately made Governour of *Arche*, went from hence yesterday with a Parry of 60 Horse to take possession of that Government. The Earl of *Arline* went the same day to *Louvain* to take a Review of that Garrison. This Afternoon came in Advice, That the French are marching to *Anderiecke*, with a design to burn that place, and most of the Inhabitants are already come thither to save themselves.

Brussels, Jan. 27. The Report we had here on Sunday last of the march of some French Troops towards *Anderiecke* proved a mistake; however, his Electoral Highness has sent thither a Body of Spaniards to protect that place. All the Accounts we receive from the Provinces agree, that there is such a want both of Bread and Money among the French, as is scarce credible, and that the Soldiers, and even the Officers, as well as the People, suffer extremely by it. They write from *Nimur*, That the greatest part of that Garrison is drawn out, and posted in the Villages along the *Muse* and the *Sambre*, to hinder the Parties of the Allies from passing those two Rivers, and obliging the Country to pay them Contributions; They have also drawn out the greatest part of the Garrisons of *Dinant* and *Charlemont* for the same Reasons. On the 25th instant arrived here the Baron de *Witcz*, and brought our Elector the News of his Brother the Elector of *Cologne's* being chosen Countja or to the Bishop of *Hildesheim*.

Hague, Jan. 26. Monsieur *Lembke*, the Danish Envoy, has given in another Memorial to the States General about the Dutch Ships that are in the *Sound*; and according to all appearances this matter will be speedily accommodated. The Duke of *Holstein Plom* goes hence to morrow for *Mallines*, and the Duke of *Wesembattel* with him. The Parties of the Admirals are come thither to Confer with those of the States.

Hague, Jan. 29. N. S. The Baron de *Schutz*, Envoy from the Elector of *Brunswicke Lunenburg*, arrived here two days ago, and designs with the first Convoy to pass over to *England*. The Pleasur of the States of *Holland* for the raising the 100 Penny twice this year was Published here yesterday. We do not hear of the motion of any French Troops on the Frontiers of *Flanders*, tho' the Frost still continues.

Dublin, Jan. 22. We have Advice from the County of *Kerry*, That on the 8th instant two French Privateers, of 32 and 24 Guns apiece, came into the River of *Kilmaree*, and took two English Merchant Ships, one of them called the *Elizabeth* and *Anna*, of 240 Tuns, of *Bristol*, bound home from the *Barbadoes*, and the other a Vessel of 40 Tuns in the *Canaries*; That on the 9th, as the Privateers were sailing with their Prizes out of the said River, the *Sheerness* Galley, Captain *Lance* Commander, came up with them, and engaged them from 3 in the Afternoon till Night, when another of Their Majesties Ships coming in up on the Noife of the Gun, the Privateers bore away with all the Sail they could make; and the *Sheerness* afterwards came up with the said Merchant Ships, and recok them both; The other Frigate giving Chace at the same time to the two Privateers.

Westminster, Jan. 25. His Majesty came this day to the House of Peers, attended with the usual Solemnity, and being in his Royal Robes, seated on the Throne, and the House of Commons being sent for up, His Majesty gave the Royal Assent to

An Act for Granting to Their Majesties an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year, for carrying on a vigorous War against France.

An Act for Restraining of such Parts of several former Acts, as Relate to Prohibit the Importation of Foreign Brandy, Aqua Vitæ, and other Spirits, and Bicon, except from France.

An Act for the Repair of a Clo in the Statute made in the Four and Twentieth and Thirtieth Years

of King Henry the Eighth, by which Justices in Wales are Limited to Eight in each County.

An Act for the Importation of Fine Italian, Sicilian, and Napies, Thrown Silk.

An Act to Enable John Vivian Esq; and Thomas Vivian his Son, to Sell some Part of their Estate for Payment of Debts, and making Provision for Younger Children, and for Setting other Part of their Estate in Lieu thereof.

Advertisements.

An Admirable Collection of Pictures will be exposed to Sale on the second of Feb. next at Mr. Parry Walters in Lincoln-Inn-fields, being Originals of the following Masters, Titian, Titmore, Paulo Veronese, Michael Angelo de Battalia, Guido Reni, Claude Lorrain, Salvator Rosa, Francis Mola, Carlo Menar, Reubens, and Vandieck, and several others; They will be exposed to view 3 days before the Sale, and a Post Folio of Drawings all of Sir Peter Lely's Collection.

Memorials of the most Reverend Father in God, Thomas Cranmer, sometime Lord Archbishop of Canterbury, wherein the History of the Church, and the Reformation of it, during the Primacy of the said Archbishop are greatly Illustrated, and many singular Matters relating thereto, now first Published. In 3 Books. Collected chiefly from Records, Registers, Authentick Letters, and other Original Manuscripts. By J. Strype, M.A. Fol. Printed for R. Chiswell at the Rose and Crown in St. Pauls Church-yard.

The Natural Method of Teaching. The First Book. Being the Accidence in Questions and Answers, Explained, Amended, Abridged, and fitted to the Capacity and Use of the lowest Form &c. Into which is inserted, 1. A Vocabulary of English and Latin Words, &c. 2. Sentences in English, English and Latin, &c. The Third Edition. By Samuel Hoady, Teacher of a private School in Hackney. Sold by B. Aylmer at the 3 Pigeons in Cornhill.

A Practical Discourse concerning Christian Conversation. Partly written to vindicate and Improve the Religious Societies, of late Years Erected in the Cities of London, Gloucester, &c. By Philoparris and Philadelphus, Members of the Church of England. Printed for T. Bassett at the George in Fleetstreet, near St. Dunstons Church.

Bibliotheca Blewitiana; being an excellent Collection of Books in all Faculties and Languages, especially the Oriental Tongues, Gr. Lat. Fr. Ital. Span. and Frig. the Library of the Reverend Mr. Blewit, lately Deceased; To be Sold by Auction at Tom's Coffee-house adjoining to Ludgate, on Wednesday the 31st instant, at 3 after Noon. Catalogues may be had at Mr. Hargraves in Holborn, Mr. Partridges at Charing cross, Bookellers, Mr. Batsons Coffee-house against the Royal Exchange, and at the place of Sale, where the books may be viewed.

At Rolls's Auction-house on the North-side of St. Pauls, on Wednesday the 31st instant, at 4 after Noon, will begin the Sale of the Bibliotheca Luculama, being a Collection of the Gr. and Lat. Fathers, Commentators, Grecian and Roman Historians, Classic Authors, &c. By Edw. Millington. Catalogues are distributed by Mr. Partridge at Charing-Cross, Mr. Hargrave in Holborn, Mr. Southby in Fleetstreet, Bookellers, and at the place of Sale.

About the 15th instant, Nicholas Heritage of Capt. Gorges Troop in the Honourable Brigadier Leveions Regiment of Horse, Deserted with all his Accoutrements; He is a short well-set Man, aged about 40, brown lank Hair, his Coat Red lined with Buff colour. Whoever gives Notice of him to Lieut. Collings at Stratford on Avon, or to Mr. Chutleworths Coffee-house near Charing-Cross, so as he be taken, shall have 5 l. Reward.

John Marshall at the Archimedes and Spectacles in Ludgate-street, London, has found out a new Method of Grinding Spectacles true, which was shewn to the Royal Society, and approved by them: He makes all manner of Microscopes, Telescopes, and other Optick Glasses, and they are Sold by Wholesale or Retail.

Whereas there is lately Invented an excellent new way for making only Superfine Tallow into Candles, excellent for Service and Beauty, which are made in Molds of mixt Metal, which Molds are made and Sold by Ant. Redhead, Pewterer, over against the Mitre Tavern in Fenchurch-street, London.

Taken out of a Stable in Eagle-street near Red-Lion-square, Holborn, on Thursday the 11th instant, an Iron Japoyney Gelding, about 15 hands, all his Paces, and Rans at the Heel about 6 years old; and a Sorrel Gelding, with a little whitedo on his Face, goeth lame at first going out, a little pained on the side about 12 years old. Whoever gives Notice of them to Mr. John Chalkley, Meatman, in Eagle street above said, shall have a Reward and Charges.

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