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**T**HE Pope has Abolished the Office of Cardinal Protector of *Loretto*, and has ordered that for the future, the three Cardinals of the Palace, with Signior *Jacometti* Auditor, and Signior *Filippucci* Under-Datary, shall manage the Affairs which relate to that Church. The Cardinal *de Bouillon*, having on the 10th instant received an Express from *France*, had Audience the next day of the Pope, and afterwards was a long time in Conference with Cardinal *Spada*. It is said, his Chief Business was to press this Court to come to a Conclusion in the Affair relating to the Archbishop of *Cambray*, and that the Pope has accordingly ordered, that the Congregation appointed to consider of the same, which met but once a week, shall for the future hold their Conferences 3 times a week; however, it is much doubted whether this Matter will be so soon Decided as the French Desire, the Clergy here being divided in their Opinions thereupon.

*Genova*, Aug. 19. Yesterday Signior *Conti* arrived here from *Rome*, and he will Embark in 2 or 3 days for *Lisbon*, to which place he goes with the Character of Nuncio from the Pope. They write from *Milan*, That the Prince of *Vaudemont* Governor of that Dutchy has given Orders to the Forces belonging to that State, to be ready to march in a few days to the Rendezvous which shall be assigned them, intending to Review them towards the latter end of this month. Our Letters from *Turin* say, The Duke of *Savoy's* Forces continue encamped near *Mondouli*, and have been lately joined by Detachments from the several Garisons of *Savoy* and *Piedmont*; and it is said, the Duke designs to go thither in a few days. They are at work in Repairing the City and Castle of *Nice*, and several pieces of Cannon, with a considerable quantity of Ammunition, have been sent thither from *Savoy*. We have received Advice, by a Felucca, which came hither some days ago from *Marseilles*, That the 14 French Gallies that have lately been upon the Spanish Coast, are returned there, and are laid up; and that one of their Men of War, which is Cruising against the Moors of *Sally*, has sent into that Port a Prize he had taken from them.

*Leghorne*, Aug. 20. By Letters from *Algiers* dated the 7th of the last month, we have received an Account of the Death of *Hadg Achmet* their Dey, and that they had chosen *Babba Hassan* to be his Successor, who so soon as he was entred upon the Government, confirmed the Articles of Peace with the English.

*Dantzick*, Aug. 26. Our last Letters from *Russia*, which are dated the 16th instant, bring an Account, That the King of *Poland* is arrived at *Lemberg*, having had an Interview with the Czar of *Moscovy* at *Rawa*, near that place, who viewed his German Forces encamped in that Neighbourhood, with a great deal of Satisfaction, and having had several Conferences with the King, continued his Journey to *Moscow*. The King, since his arrival at *Lemberg*, has given Orders,

that every thing should be ready in 8 days for his Armies taking the Field, the German Forces which are marching thither from *Hungary*, being expected in that time. It is uncertain whether he will undertake the Siege of *Caminiec*, or march into the Province of *Moldavia*; the Inhabitants of which are in great Consternation upon the Advices they have received, that the Port has ordered the Tartars to Plunder and Ravage the Country, because of the Inclination they have shewed to quit their Subjection to the Turks, and to put themselves under the Protection of *Poland*.

*Strasbourg*, Aug. 28. The Marquis *d'Uxelles* and the Sieur *de Fauban*, Chief Ingenier of *France*, having Visited the several Fortified Places that belong to the French in *Lower Alsace*, and having given Directions for the necessary Repairs to be made there, they returned hither this week, and are since gone to *Brisac* to hasten the Demolishing of the Bridge, and other Works near that place, in order to it's being delivered up to the Germans. They talk of Building a new Fort over-against *Brisac*, as likewise several other little Forts along the *Rhine*, of which a Draught having been sent to the French Court, and approved, it is believed this Work will be begun in a short time. We hear from *Nancy*, That the French have Evacuated that place, having according to the Treaty of *Ryswick*, demolished all the Fortifications of the new City, but the Bastions and Ramparts of the old City are left standing; and the Duke of *Lorraine* has the liberty to enclose the new City with a Wall. He designs shortly to Establish his Residence there, as did his Predecessors; and great Preparations are making for his Reception.

*Hamburg*, Sept. 2. The Senate and Burghers of this City continue hitherto in the same Opposition one to the other. The several Meetings they have had of late, in which it was hoped they would have entred upon such Measures as might have given an end to these Differences, have had a contrary Effect, and the Resolutions that were taken in them were rather such as served to foment the Animosities between them, than tended any way to a Reconciliation. They were severally assembled on the 29th past, and sat till the next day at Noon, but all their time was spent in fruitless Debates, and they adjourned to Thursday the 11th instant. There is no Talk of Renewing the Conferences which were held some time ago at *Pinneberg*, for Settling the Matters in Difference between the King of *Denmark* and the Duke of *Holstein Gottorp*; And in the mean time, 'tis said, that Endeavours are used at the Court of *Sweden*, between the Ministers of that Crown, and the Baron *Juel*, Ambassador from the King of *Denmark*, to Adjust this Affair. They write from *Stockholm*, The Duke of *Holstein* is gone from thence with his Princess on their Journey to *Holstein*; And that the Count *d'Arvaux* was preparing for his return home, Count *Guiscard*, who is to succeed him, being expected in a short time. Our Letters from *Berlin* say, The Baron of *Lottum* is made Governor-General of the Country of *Cleve*, and Count *Dona*, Great Marshal of the Court in his

his stead. The Advices from Dresden, say, That the Queen of Poland, upon the Receipt of a Letter from the King, which was brought her by Express on the 25th, has resolved to begin her Journey thither in a short time by the way of Dantzick.

*Kinsale, Aug. 28.* Yesterday arrived here the *Bristol-Gally* of Bristol, Burthen 100 Tun, *Patrick Evinge* Commander from Antegoa, laden with Sugar, Cotton, and Tobacco, and bound for Bristol.

*Dublin, Aug. 29.* This day the Lords Justices of Ireland caused a Proclamation to be Issued for further Proroguing the Parliament of this Kingdom, which was appointed to meet the 13th of September, untill Tuesday the 27th day of the same month, at which time it is His Majesty's Pleasure, that they shall Sit for the Dispatch of Publick Business, of which notice is given, that the Members of both Houses of Parliament may attend accordingly.

*Plymouth, Sept. 2.* The 2 Sisters of Flushing, *Manuex Burgon* Master, sailed hence the 31st past; as did also, the *Richard* of London, *Dennis Rymar* Master, bound with Salt from France for Ireland. Yesterday came in the *Carolus* from *Gottenburg*, with Deals for this place. And this day the *Charles* of *Topsham*, bound with Salt from *Lisbon* for *Gottenburg*.

*We want two Mails from Holland.*

The Court of Directors for the English Company Trading to the East-Indies, do give Notice, That the Transfer-Books will be opened this day at Mercers-Hall in Cheapside, and will continue so from 9 to 12 in the forenoon, and from 3 to 6 in the afternoon, for Transferring what of the said Companies Stock hath been Bought and Sold since the Subscriptions; both Sellers and Buyers are required to be present.

And the said Directors do further give Notice, That a General Court of all the Subscribers to the Joynt Stock that have in their own Right 500 l. and upwards, will be held at Mercers-Hall on Thursday the 15th instant, at 10 in the morning.

*Sir Henry Furnese, Sir Theodore Janssen, Samuel Shephard, Gilbert Hatchcote, Thomas Vernon, James Bateman, Edward Allen, and Joseph Martin, Receivers for the Two Millions, do continue to give their daily Attendance at Mercers-Hall in Cheapside, from 8 to 12 at Noon, and from 2 to 6 in the Evening, to Receive the 2d Payment of each ones Subscription, and give Discharges for the same.*

Whereas His Majesty hath given Orders, That the Commission Officers of the several Regiments lately Disbanded in Ireland, shall be Incorporated into and do Duty with such Regiments as are to remain on the Establishment of that Kingdom; Publick Notice thereof is hereby given, to the end, that such of the said Reformed Officers as are now in England, may repair to Ireland accordingly, where it is expected they shall appear at their Posts by the 15th of November next; And the said Officers upon their arrival in Ireland, may be Informed at the Office of Secretary at War, or Master-General of that Kingdom, what Regiment they are respectively to be Incorporated into.

Whereas the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have received a Letter dated the 5th instant, signed J. W. advising, That he can give an Account of several of His Majesty's Embezel'd Stores; The Lordships do hereby give Notice, that in Case the Person who wrote the said Letter will attend them at their Office, and Inform them of the aforesaid Embezel'd Stores, he shall have their Protection and all fitting Encouragement.

The Commissioners for the last Land Tax for the County of Suxsex, have appointed a General Meeting on Tuesday the 20th instant, at the Star-Inn in Lewis, for Adjusting some Matters relating therunto, and desire that such as find themselves concerned therein, will attend that day at the Place aforesaid.

These are to give Notice, That on Wednesday the 7th instant, about 2 in the morning, the Grand West Mail coming to London was Robbed between Stains and Hounslow by 3 men, and that two Bank Bills dated the 2d of June 1698. Numb. 5427 and 5429, are supposed to be taken out of the same; Therefore all Persons are desired to stop the said Bills if Offered in Payment, and Secure the Persons who shall Tender the same, and give Notice to the Secretary of the Post-Master-General at the Post-Office in Lombard-street, and he shall be well Rewarded.

The Thetford 60 l. Plate, mentioned in a former Gazette to be Run for the last Friday of Septemb. instant, is already made, and consists of a large Monteeif, and a large Cup, Cover, and Salver; And the next day after will be Run for thereat a Town Plate of 10 l. and the Horses for this to carry 9 Stone, and not to be above 14 hands; the Winning Horse to be Sold for 10 Guineas.

#### Advertisements.

Whereas on the 24th of August last, an Arrest was made upon one John Holland, with whom, as appears upon Oath, was one William Battifill, who assisting Holland in resisting the Arrest, rescued the said Holland; in which resistance Zachariah Gardner, one of the Officers, was killed; and they both made their escapes: Since, by the Coroner's Inquest, the said Battifill and Holland are found guilty of the wilful Murder of the said Zacharia Gardner; and have absented themselves from their late Beings. The said Battifill is a lusty, black, middle-sized Man, about 30 years old, late of the Temple. Holland is also middle-sized, round visag'd, near 40 years old, and lately dwelt in Catharines-street in the Strand, and was late a Clark or Receiver of Rents, under Mr. Tilly in the Fleet-Prison. The Lord Chief Justice's Warrant being out against them, who ever apprehends them, so as they may be brought to Justice, shall have 10 Guineas reward, paid by Mr. Edward Cole, at Mr. Aylmer's Coffee-House in Exchange-Ally in Cornhill, London.

Whereas Frederick Lichtenstour, a German, speaks broken English, has absented himself with a considerable Sum of Money belonging to the Regiment of Horse-Guards Commanded by the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Portland, he being Clerk to the Agent of the Regiment: He has a long thin pale Face, great black brown Eyes, a long Nose, a Chin turned up, a black Hair, a fair Periwig, a brown coloured Coat with black Buttons and Button-holes, and a white Surcoat lined blue, with Prince Ruperts Merle Buttons, aged about 30, middle sized stature and lean, and a very particular remarkable mark on the backside of his Head. Whoever gives Notice of him, (so as he be secured) to Mr. Vander Elsch at the Cock-Pit in Whitehall, shall have 50 l.

The Present State of Europe, containing an Historical and Political Account of the Interest, Pretensions and Transactions of the several Courts for the Month of Aug. 1695. Vol. 9. To be continued Monthly from the Original Publish'd at Hague. Printed for H. Rhodes at the Corner of Bride-lane in Fleet-street, and J. Harris at the Harrow in Little-Britain.

Whereas there was some time since, 3 Tickets for His Majesty's Ship the Monmouth, for the Service of Lieut. Geo. Martin, John Bell, and VVill. Clarke, (his Servants) delivered to one VVilliam Butler to carry to the said Lieutenant, which he having not done; All Persons therefore are desired not to Buy or Lend Money on them, a Stop being put to the Payment by the Commissioners of the Navy: If the said Butler will bring or send the Tickets to Mr. Browns at the Old-Cole off Windor against the Navy-Office, they shall be received without any further Damage: But if any other Person brings the Tickets to the said place, they shall be very well Rewarded.

Lost the 3d instant in the Custom-House, 16 Exchange Bills of 5 l. each Numb. 90055, 80981, 135899, 80343, 116732, 135737. Whoever brings them to Mr. John Wright at the 3 Hats in East-Smithfield, shall have 2 Guineas Reward. They are kept at the Exchange.

Two Thirds in Number and Value of the Creditors of Peter Kingham, late of Moulsey in Surrey, Maulster, having Signed his Instrument of Composition according to the late Act, they and all other his Creditors are desired to come to Simps Coffee-house in Thames-street, right against Bear-Key, on Monday the 12th instant, between 8 in the morning and 2 in the afternoon, where Attendance will be given to pay their Composition Money pursuant to the said Agreement; And on Thursday following Attendance will be given at the Red-Lion-in Dorkin, Surrey, for convenience of paying of the Country Creditors thereabouts.

A Plate of 20 l. value or upwards, is to be Run for at Scencege near Amesbury in Wiltshire, the first Wednesday in October, 3 Heats, 4 Miles each, every Horse carrying 12 Stones. Any Horse may Run if he be at the Starting Post a fortnight before, paying to the Steward 10 s. The Winning Horse to be sold for 30 l.

Lost the 11th past out of the Parish of Caine in Wils, a Brown Mare, above 14 hands, 8 years old, with a Star in her forehead, her Feet white, a white stripe under her Belly, about 5 Inches long, near her Udder two white spots of each side of her Neck near the Shoulder; also a black brown Nag, 6 years old, a short Tail, a reddish Mouth, a Wart in the near side of his Mouth, near 10 hands high. Whoever gives Notice of them to Mr. Ward at the 3 Cups in Bread-street, or to Mr. Anth. Fry near Caine, aforesaid, shall have a Guinea Reward for each.