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Milan, Febr. 9. N. S.

THE Prince of Vaudemont and the Count de Tefse are returned hither from Alexandria, where they took a Review of the French Forces lately come by Sea from Anibes, making together about 8000 Men, who are since marched into Quarters at Cremona, Lodi, and other Places in this Country, from whence they may draw together into a Body in two days time; and a greater number of French Forces are daily expected here from Provence, part whereof are already landed at Vado, and other Places in the Territories of Genoua, and Orders are given for providing them Quarters. Twenty Pieces of Cannon, and a good quantity of Ammunition, are sent from the Arsenal of Parma to Cremona; and two French Battalions are put into Garrison in that Place, and are to be reinforced by several Squadrons of French Dragoons. The Inhabitants are obliged to furnish Quarters for the Soldiers, and to supply them with several Necessaries; and 'tis said, new Taxes are intended to be raised in this Country, to defray the publick Expences in this Conjunction.

Venice, Febr. 18. The Duke of Mantua intends to return in few days to Mantua; and the Count de Lemos General of the Gallies of Naples, and divers other Persons of Quality, who came hither to partake of the Diversions of the Carnival, are likewise upon their return home. The Cardinal d'Esrees has had several Conferences with the Deputies of the Senate appointed to treat with him, but his Negotiation not succeeding according to his desire, he will depart from hence in few days, and intends to go to Modena, and other Courts of Italy. They write from Rome, that the Emperor's Ambassador has acquainted the Pope, That his Imperial Majesty will accept his Mediation about the Spanish Succession, upon condition the Dutchy of Milan, and the Kingdoms of Naples and Sicily, be put into the Hands of the Pope and the Venetians, till the Mauer be adjusted. This State continue to provide for their Security; All hands are at work to repair the Fortifications of Verona, Brescia, and other Frontier Towns. The 500 Soldiers which lately arrived from the Levant are at the Lazaretto, and as soon as they have performed their Quarantain, will be sent to reinforce the Garrison of Verona. Three Venetian Men of War, commanded by Signior

Marc-Antonio Diedo, which have cruized some time in the Gulph of Venice, returned hither the 9th Instant, and are ordered to be laid up. Letters from Dalmatia say, the Venetian and Turkish Commissioners have in several Conferences settled Matters in relation to the Limits, but the latter being unwilling to Sign without the Direction of the Grand Signior, had sent an Expreß to Constantinople, whose return was daily expected.

Revel, Jan. 21. The King of Sweden is marched with his Army against a Body of 30000 Muscovites, who lie intrenched on this side Pleskow. An Order has been Published here, That all the Nobility do mount on Horseback with as many Men as they can maintain, completely Armed, in order to join the King of Sweden's Army before the end of this Month. All the Officers of the Czar's Army which were made Prisoners at the Battel of Narva, are brought hither under a strong Guard; The Muscovites are closely confined, but the Duke de Croy and the other German Officers have the liberty of going about the Town upon their Parole.

Copenhagen, Febr. 19. Commissioners have been appointed to treat with the Muscovite Ambassador, who began their Conference this day. They have here began to fit out a Squadron of Men of War; and Admiral Paulsen is sent to Hamburga, to Liff 1000 Sea Men for this Service.

Vienna, February 16. The Imperial Regiments are recruited. Orders are given for raising 10000 Hussars, and Levies are likewise making for adding 2 Troops to each Regiment of Horse, and 4 Companies to each Regiment of Foot. The Emperor will send 37000 Men into Italy, part of these Forces are on their March, having with them 20 Pieces of Cannon, and the rest of the Forces, and Train of Artillery will soon follow; Magazines are already provided for them in the Country of Trent, sufficient to serve them for 6 Months. The Regiments are likewise on their March towards the Rhine, and several Boats are sent up the Danube with Cannon and Ammunition. The States of Hungary are exempted from the extraordinary Subsidies that were demanded of them in this Conjunction, in Consideration of the Offer they have made, to recruit and maintain the Imperial Forces that are to remain in those Parts, to the number of about 30000 Men. Cardinal Lambert is arrived here from Venice.

Francfort, February 19. The French Forces which were drawn together near Metz, have begun to file off, some towards Luxembourge, and the rest to Alsace, and 2 Battalions of them are entered into Landau. Orders are given to several Regiments of the Elector Palatine's Forces to march from their Quarters in the Palatinate, towards the Countries of Berg and Juliers. The Sieur Silwitz, Envoy from the Duke of Saxe Gotha, passed lately by this Place in his Journey to Paris.

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Cologne, Febr. 25. The Elector of Cologne arrived here the 23d Instant from Liege, the Differences he had with the Chapter there being adjusted. The Elector Palatine has reinforced the Garrisons of his Places towards the Spanish Guelderland; and 'tis said, this City have resolv'd, for their greater Security, to accept of the Troops that are offer'd them by the Bishop of Munster.

Hamburg, Feb. 22. The King of Prussia raises Forces, being to send a considerable Body of Troops to the Emperor's Assistance. Two Regiments of Foot are raising by the Duke of Holstein, which, 'tis said, he will put into the Service of the King of Sweden. Letters from Carlescrum say, Transport-Ships are providing there for 7 Regiments of Horse and Foot, which are to be sent to Livonia. Our last Advices from thence say, the King of Sweden march'd with his Army to attack a Body of Muscovites that were encamp'd on this side Pleskow, who, upon Advice thereof, quitted their Retrenchment, and retir'd farther into the Country; and the King put his Forces into Winter-Quarters.

Hague, March 1. The French Ambassador was the 27th past in Conference with the Pensioner of Holland, and yesterday he received an Express from Paris. Besides the 14000 Recruits that are raising for the Dutch Forces, the States have order'd a new Levy of 16000 Men to be forthwith made. Our Sea Preparations are continu'd with great Diligence. The last Advices from Namur say, the Dutch Forces at Mons had Orders to march out; but the like Orders are not yet dispatch'd for those at Namur and Luxemburg.

Bressels, March 1. The 1st of the four Dutch Battalions that were at Mons march'd out yesterday; 'tis said, Orders will be dispatch'd on the 3d Instant for the march of 12 Dutch Battalions that are in Namur and Luxemburg, who are to march out one Battalion a day. Three Battalions of the Dauphin's Regiment arriv'd here the 26th past, and continu'd their March the next day to Aachen. Three French Squadrons and 2 Battalions came in here the 27th, and yesterday 4 Squadrons of Carabineers, and this day a Battalion of the Regiment of Humieres, who are all to remain in Garrison in this Place. Lieutenant-General Coigny arriv'd here two days ago, and wait'd upon the Elector of Bavaria, being appointed to command the French Forces in Garrison at this Place, Lorraine, Mecklen, and Liege. The Regiment of Picardy is arriv'd into Antwerp, which much surpris'd the Inhabitants, who by a particular Privilege would never receive any Troops into their Town.

Paris, March 2. N. S. All possible Diligence is used in the several Ports of this Kingdom for putting the Fleet to Sea. Thirty three thousand Men are drawn out of the Militia, which are form'd into 57 Battalions, and Orders are given for raising 7000 Men more the same way. The King has caus'd an Edict to be published, for exempting all Officers who served in the last War from being arrested or prosecuted at Law for a year longer. Cardinal Coassin is daily expected here from Rome.

Whereas certain of the Commissioners for Surrey (appointed to put in Execution the late Act of Parliament, for granting an Aid to His Majesty, by Sale of the forfeited and other Estates and Interests in Ireland, and by a Land-Tax in England,) having upon Examination found, That William Gardner (one of the Collectors of the said Tax for the Parish of St. George in Southwark) doth detain in his hands, contrary to the Directions of the said Act, the Sum of 129 l. 18 s. 9 d. by him received of the said Tax; The said Commissioners have thereupon caus'd the said Gardner's Estate to be seized for Satisfaction of the said Debt, and have order'd this Publick Notice to be given. That in farther Execution of the said Act, they have appointed a General Meeting of the Commissioners for the said County, to be held at the Town-hall on St. Margaret's-hill in Southwark on Wednesday the 12th of March next, at 3 in the afternoon, for Sale of the said Gardner's Estate, in case the said Debt be not before satisfied; when and where the said Commissioners, and all Parties concerned, are desired to meet accordingly.

The Royal African Company will entertain Masters to serve them on the Coast of Africa, and will give such as are well Qualified very Good Encouragement: They may apply themselves to the said Company's Secretary, at their House in Leadenhall-street, London.

Advertisements,

Concio ad Synodum, ab Archiepiscopo Episcopo & Clero, Provinciae Cantuariensis celebratam. Habita in Paulina Londinensi die Februarii, A. D. 1700. Per Gulielmum Hayleium, S. T. P. Decanum Cicerentem. Editi Jussu Reverendissimi Archiepiscopi Cantuariensis. Londini, Impensis Jacobi Tonson subter Portam de Gray's-Inn.

Whereas a Decree was made on the First of February in the High Court of Chancery, on the behalf of the Creditors of the late Lord Lovelace, for the Payment of his Debts; And that such of the Creditors as shall pay in their Contribution-money may have the Benefit of the said Decree; These are to give Notice, That the said Creditors have appointed John England, of King-street, Westminster, Brewer, to be the only Receiver in the said Contribution-money.

THE great Horse Fair at Rippon in Yorkshire, will begin on Monday the 17th of March next; And on Thursday the 20th of the same Month, the Fair for all other sorts of Cattel will be held there.

On the 1st, 2d, and 3d of May next, 3 Plates will be run for on Murrow Down near Guilford in Surrey; the first worth about 20 l. 11 Stone weight, by any Horse, Mare or Gelding, that never run for the value of 30 l. in Plate of Money, the winning Horse, &c. to be sold for 50 Guineas; The Horses to be shewn and enter'd at least 14 days before at the Town-hall in Guilford, and kept in the said Town till the day of Running; No Contributor to enter any Horse, &c. that has not been his own a Month before he's enter'd; and if not a Contributor's Horse, to pay 5 Guineas; which is for the 2d Horse; The Contributors to pay in their Opinions, to Mr. Reat, Goldsmith, at the Unicorn in the Strand, London, or to Mrs. Lawford at the White Hart in Guilford. The other 2 Plates are given by the Corporation, one of 25 l. value, and the winning Horse to be sold for as much; 11 Stone weight; by any Horse, &c. under 10 years old, that never won the value of 30 l. the Horses to be kept and enter'd as aforesaid, and to pay a Guinea when enter'd; The other above 10 l. value, to be run for by any Galloway not exceeding 12 hands and a half, or under it to be allowed weight, 8 Stone the highest; To be enter'd at least 7 days before, and to pay half a Guinea. There will be a good Ordinance for the Company, and Cock-fighting every day.

Went away from his Father in Lombard-street the 27th Instant, a light coloured Druggist Coat and Waistcoat, and Cloth Breeches near the same Colour, all new; stoops a little in the Shoulders, a fresh Complexion, and goes inward with his Feet. If he will return to his Father, he shall be kindly received; or whoever brings him to Mr. Sutton or Mr. Smith, Druggists, in Lombard-street, London, shall have 5 Guineas, and Charge.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Thomas Jones, late of Clerkenwell in Middlesex, Vintner; All Persons that owe him any Moneys, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their hands, are not to pay or deliver the same to any Person, but to such only whom the Commissioners shall appoint.

Lost, an Order, N^o 501, given out of the Chamberlain of London's Office about 5 years since for 777 l. 15 s. 2 d. 1/2, in the name of Henry Shalcrossle, (who married Abigail, the Daughter and late Orphan of Jeremy Green, Cutler, deceased.) Whoever brings it to Mr. Isaac Jackson in Paulgrave-Head Court near Temple-bar, shall have 20 s. Reward.

A Leasehold Estate of 297 l. per Ann. of several Houses in Drury-lane, and also a Leasehold Estate granted from St. Thomas's Hospital in Southwark, of several other Houses lying opposite to the Kings-Bench in Southwark, of about 80 l. per Ann. are to be sold. Particulars to be had of Mr. Robert Wakelin in Cateaton-street, London.

Myerscough-House in Myerscough, near Garstang in Lancashire, being a Messuage of above 200 Acres of rich Arable Meadow and Pasture Ground, Tythe free, with good new Buildings, Orchards, and Gardens, now the Estate of William Butler, Gent. worth 100 l. per Annum, is to be sold. Enquire of Colonel Rigby at Mrs. Holms in Ax-yard in King-street, Westminster, Mr. Brenaud at his Chambers in Holborn-Court in Gray-Inn, London, or Sir Chr. Greenfield in Preston in Lancashire.

On Monday the 3d of March next, will be expos'd to Sale at Selby in Yorkshire, above 1000 of large and tall Oak-Trees, fit for all Uses, much of it very fine Blank Wood, the whole growing on a Level, within half a Mile of the River Ouse. Any Shipwrights or others desirous to view the same, and have a Particular thereof, may repair to Wm. Maudslayi jun. of Selby aforesaid, Gent.

THE Collection of Pictures of Mr. Henry Cooke, deceased, consisting of several excellent Original Italian Pieces, the Copies of the Cartoons of Raphael, and many other extraordinary Copies made by his own hand, will be sold by Auction at his late Dwelling-house in Bloomsbury on Shrove-Tuesday, the 4th of March next, at 10 in the morning, and may be view'd till the Sale.

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