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Westminster, March 2.

His Majesty having been pleased to grant a Commission under the Great Seal to several Peers for passing the Royal Assent to the Bills therein mentioned, Mr. Aston,

Esq. Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, was sent to the House of Commons with a Message, That the Lords Commissioned by His Majesty desired the House would presently come up to their Speaker, to be present at the passing of the Bills; Accordingly the House of Commons came up to the House of Peers, and the Royal Assent was given by Commission to Three Public Bills, and to One Private Bill, viz. An Act for the Attainder of the Pretended Prince of Wales of High Treason.

An Act for Punishing Officers and Soldiers who Absent themselves from Duty in England or Ireland.

An Act for continuing an Act, Entituled, An Act, for the Solemn Affirmation and Declaration of the Quakers shall be accepted in stead of the usual Form.

An Act for Naturalizing Charlotte, the Wife of High Bolcawen Esq;

Monday, March 4. This day the following Address of the Gentlemen, Bounders, Adversaries, Miners, and others, concerned in the Stanstead and the Duchy of Cornwall.

Most Gracious Sovereign, We are under all the Obligations of Duty and Gratitude to Your Majesty, our Deliverer, unto whom we owe the present full Enjoyment of our Religion, Liberty, and Property, and the happy Prospect of being continued down to our Posterity, we cannot, with the greatest Disdain and Abhorrence, reflect on the Vanity and Insolence of the common Enemy, that attempted to dispose of the Dominions where Your Majesty reigns in the Hearts of Your Subjects, to the French Idolatrous Worship, and Tyrannical Government, cannot but have an implacable Hatred to the English Constitution both in Church and State. We most humbly and heartily Congratulate the happy that appears in the Wishes and Resolutions of the People in their several Stations, to enable Your Majesty to resent this high Indignity and Injustice done to the English King. And since 'tis evident, through the Course of his Reign, that he has no Regard to the Honour and Solemn Ties that Divine Laws have prescribed, and Humane Policy found out, for Securing the Peace of the World, we doubt not but God Almighty, the sacred Guarantee of all the Oaths and Vowes he has made, is now ready, by Your Majesty's Hand, to punish in some exemplary manner the constant Oppressor of his Subjects, and perpetual Disturber of Europe. We are, Sir, That Your Subjects do still in a Zealously of the English Honour equal to that of the Ancients; the Effects of whose Courage France has felt, and seen its Crown placed on an English Head of that Kingdom; and whenever Your Majesty's Wisdom shall call upon us, we will, besides the Duty of our Prayers for Your Majesty's long and

happy Reign over us, be ready to sacrifice our Lives and Fortunes for Your Majesty's Honour and Safety, who for us have so often exposed Your Sacred Person to the utmost Difficulties and Dangers, whose Interest is inseparable from that of Your Subjects, who make no other use of Power than to do Good, and whose peculiar Prerogative it is above all the Kings that ever Reigned in this Nation, That Your Majesty can have no other Aim but to procure the Welfare of Your own People, and by their Assistance to influence the General Happiness of Mankind.

Which Address His Majesty received very Graciously.

Naples, Febr. 7. N. S. The Duke of Escalona our new Viceroy is still at Palermo in Sicily, being detained there by contrary Winds; The Duke of Medina Celi, who quits this Employment, is preparing for his departure to Spain, and intends to be going as soon as his Successor is arrived. The Collateral Council, who have here the chief Direction of the Finances, have Orders to raise forthwith 400000 Ducats for the pressing Occasions of the Government, and particularly to pay the Forces, among whom there is great Murmuring, being in great Arrears; And 'tis said, the Council have resolv'd to raise the best part of this Money upon the Merchants by the way of a Loan. The Bank of the Annunciata have begun to sell the Lands and Effects they are possessed of to satisfy their Creditors, and 'tis believed, the Bank of St. Salvadore will be obliged to do the like, their Debts which they have all called in not amounting by far to the Sums they owe.

Corunna, Febr. 24. The Spanish Expedition Pacquet Boat arrived here yesterday from Falmouth, and will sail again tomorrow. Letters from Madrid of the 15th Instant say, the Levies which are making there to recruit the Spanish Forces go on very slowly, as do likewise those which the several Towns are ordered to make at their own Expence, which they look upon as a very great Hardship. The Suppression of divers Publick Offices, and other extraordinary Methods which the French take to augment the Publick Revenues of Spain, do give a general Dissatisfaction both to the Grandees and the People. Letters from Barbary say, the Moors have not only reinforced their Army before Centa, but have also besieged their Army before Velez, a Spanish Castle on the Coast of Barbary between Tetuan and Alcutia.

Warsaw, Febr. 16. The General Diet being broke up without making any Provision for the Security of the Kingdom, and having likewise left undetermined divers other Matters which are necessary to be considered in the present Conjuncture, the King of Poland ordered that they should forthwith be laid before the Senate; but by reason of the Indisposition of the Cardinal Primate and the Crown General, their Meeting was deferred till this day. Prince Sapieha Great General of Lithuania, and the Great Treasurer of that Duchy his Brother, are

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are arrived here, and have confirmed the Agreement lately concluded by their Deputies with those of the Confederated Nobility; but we hear the Sieur Oginsky, (who, since the Defeat he received from the Swedes, is retired to Muscovy.) is dissatisfied with this Treaty, and continues to sollicite the Czar to assist him with Forces against the Swedes. 'Tis said, a new Rokotz or Confederation is on foot among the Nobility of Poland. In the mean time we hear from Lithuania, that the Swedish Army is entred into that Dutchy, and that 'tis given out they are marching hither; and there being no Forces at hand to resist them, the King of Poland has resolved to retire to Cracow, and has already sent to that City the Train of Artillery, and all the Ammunition which were here, and has dispatched Orders for his Forces to march thither from Saxony.

**Dantzick, Febr. 22.** Letters from Warsaw of the 17th Instant say, the King of Poland having summoned the Senate to meet, to consider what is proper to be done in the present Conjunction, they sat for the first time the 16th. The King has resolved to retire to Cracow, and has dispatched Orders to Prince Furstemberg, who in his Absence has the Administration of Affairs in Saxony, to send what Troops he can to his Alliance. The King of Sweden continues his March towards Warsaw; but has been very much retarded therein by the rainy Weather and bad Ways. They write from Livonia, that the Muscovites make great Preparations to attack that Country; but the Swedes look upon it to be sufficiently secured by the Forces they lately sent thither from Courland, which are to be joined by the Nobility and the Militia there, who are all ordered to draw into the Field.

**Hamburgh, Febr. 28.** The new Levies for the King of Denmark's Service are continued in these Parts with very good Success. They write from Hanover, that the Elector of Hanover has ordered his Forces to draw together, intending in few days to take a Review of them. Letters from Berlin say, the new Levies which the King of Prussia is going to make will amount to 6000 Men, and that several Persons of Quality offer to raise Regiments at their own Expence. The Accounts from Dresden say, one of the Treasurers of Saxony was gone to Leipsig, to borrow a considerable Sum of Money for the use of the King of Poland, and that Orders were given to the Saxon Forces to be in a readiness to march upon the first notice they should receive. The Swedish Forces in Pomerania are ordered to be ready to march by the 15th of the next Month.

**Paris, March 11. N. S.** The French King declared the 7th Instant, That he had appointed the Duke of Burgundy to Command his Army in Flanders the next Campaign, and under him the Marshal of Boufflers; and that the Count de Tolose, Great Admiral of France, should command the Fleet. They write from Toulon, that part of the Foot designed to Italy, which lately embarked there, are landed at Final, and the rest would be shipped off in a short time. Letters from Milan of the 26th Instant say, the Duke of Vendome had been to view the French Posts on the River Adia from Lecco to Pieveghittone; that the Troops called the Gens d'Arms, lately sent to reinforce our Army in Italy, were arrived at Pavia, and that the rest of the Horse followed by the way of Piedmont. The Imperial Forces keep Mantua very closely blocked up; Count Tesse, who commands the French Garrison, had made some Salies, in order to drive the Germans from their Posts, but without any Success.

**Deale, Febr. 28.** His Majesty's Ship the *Tisbury*, Captain Delavall Commander, is arrived in the Downes with the hired Merchant Ship that went out with him, having on board the English Captives redeemed in Barbary.

The Right Honourable the Lord's Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury will be ready at the Treasury-Chamber in Whitehall on Tuesday the 17th Instant, to receive all such Proposals (Sealed up in Writing) as any Persons will then make to their Lordships, for Remitting 50000 l. a Month to Holland, by Bills payable at Sight (for ready Money to be paid here) for the Pay of His Majesty's Forces abroad.

The Commissioners appointed by an Act of Parliament for Revising and Continuing an Act, Entituled, An Act for Taking, Examining and Determining the Debt due to the Army, &c. do hereby give Notice, That they sit every day for the Dispatch of the said Business, at their Office

in the Piazza in Covent-Garden; And will present the first place, to the Stating the Accounts of the Officers of the several Regiments, Troops, and Companies of the Command of His Majesty's Natural-born Subjects, pursuant to the Directions of the said Act; who are required to cause their Accounts forthwith to be laid before the said Commissioners in the Method formerly prescribed, to prevent the Delays and Inconveniencies attending the Accounts imperfect; of which Method they may take View, or take a Copy at the said Office. And the Commissioners have under their Consideration the Directions for Transport-Service for the Year 1693. with Intention to give Publick Notice when they shall be prepared to issue the Debitures.

Whereas several Debitures for Transport-Service for the Years 1693. and 1697. were made out by the Commissioners of Accounts before the Expiration of the said Act of Parliament in April, 1701. which were not paid for by the Persons concerned; These are to Give Notice to such Persons who have a right to the said Debitures, that they call for them at their Office in the Piazza, Covent-Garden, so that the Books wherein the Comptrolers of such Debitures are contained may be closed, and delivered to the Parliament direct, and the Inconveniencies avoided which otherwise may attend such Persons who shall neglect to take out the said Debitures.

*Advertisements.*

Proposals are published, for Printing at Oxford a new Edition of Robert Stephens's Latin Theatrum, with great Improvements, in 4 Vol. in Folio, containing about 700 Sheets. The Price to Subscribers will be 4 Guineas the small paper, or 6 Guineas the large, only such Gentlemen as pay 12 s. 6 d. before the 20th of May next, shall have a Deduction of 7 s. 6 d. and a 10th gratis for 9 Subscriptions, which reduces the Price of each small Paper Book to 3 l. 10 s. 8 d. being not half the present Price of the Lyons Editions; and by Printing the 4 Volumes concurrently, 'tis hoped the Subscribers may have their Books in little more than one year from the 20th of May next. Subscriptions are to be taken by the Undertaker T. Bennet, the Half-Moon in St. Paul's Church-yard, and most other Booksellers.

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The History of the Works of the Learned; or, An Impartial Account of Books lately printed in all Parts of Europe; with a particular Relation of the State of Learning in each Country: For the Month of Febr. 1702. To be continued Monthly. Done by several Hands. Printed for H. Rhodes near Fleet-bridge, T. Bennet in St. Paul's Church-yard, A. Bell in Cornhill, and D. Midwinter and T. Leigh in St. Paul's Church-yard.

Here is a Yacht to be sold, now lying at Ensworth in Suffolk (late belonging to a Person of Quality deceased) well furnished, and lately built. A farther Account may be had concerning her of Mr. Jonathan Challoner, at the Rt. Hon. Lord Ossulston's House in Soho-Square.

Whereas Robert Dowey, a very little Man, aged about 30. Pock-broken, somewhat thick Lipp'd, warm Eyed, had on a white Coat, black Waistcoat and Breeches with Silver Buttons and Holes, and black Stockings; was lately taken up in Northallerton in the North-Riding of the County of York upon an Information of Horse-stealing, and has since made his Escape: Whoever secures him, and gives notice to the Constables of Northallerton aforesaid, shall be well Rewarded, and all reasonable Charges paid.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against John Johnson, late of Covent-Garden, London, Mercer; All Persons that owe him any Monies, 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.

On Wednesday the 2th Instant, a Plate of 12 l. value will be run for at Stamford in Lincolnshire, to run 3 Heats, the Weight 11 Stone, the winning Horse, &c. to be sold for 100 l. no Horse above 8 years old to run. The next day, a Plate of between 40 and 50 l. value will be run for at the same Place, by any Horse, &c. of what Age or Price soever, to run 3 Heats, the Weight 10 Stone.