

That Deputies were come from *Chelm*, to assure his Majesty of the Loyalty of the Nobility of that Palatinate, and to acquaint him with their having entered into the Confederacy last mentioned; that there was Advice of the Palatinate of *Polandia's* having done the same: And that his Majesty was expecting the coming up of the Succours from *Muscovy*; and in the mean time made Preparations for the laying of a Bridge over the *Wassel* near *Sandomir*.

Vienna, April 30. The two Deputies who were lately sent hither by the Rebels of Hungary, set out from hence this afternoon on their Return thither, with the Emperor's Proposals about a Cessation of Arms, and other Preliminaries, in order to a Congress to be held either at *Prasburg* or *Tirnavu*, for the composing of those Differences. The English and Dutch Envoys are to be there. Our Advices from Hungary say, that Velt-Marshal-General *Heister* having supplied the Town of *Newhausel* with Provisions, Ammunition, and other Necessaries, returned the 27th Instant to *Comorra*; and it was believed his next Endeavours would be to drive the Malecontents out of the Ile of *Schat*. In the mean time Prince *Ragotzi* has made himself Master of *Erla*, and is marched with the main Body of the Malecontents towards the Island of *Ratzennark* below *Buda*, where he intends to pass the *Danube*, as 3000 of his Horse have already done. Yesterday Major-General *Thierheim* went from hence towards *Reids*, in the Upper *Austria*, to command a Body of 4 or 5000 Imperialists, which is posted in the Neighbourhood of that Place.

Philipsbourg, May 5. There being Advice, That the French had got together a considerable quantity of Materials in order to the laying of a Bridge over the Rhine near *Spire*, our Governour sent out an Ensign and 37 Soldiers to endeavour to set them on fire, wherein they were so successful, that in less than 3 hours they burnt 160 Beams and 7000 Planks, and came home without the loss of one Man.

Frankfort, May 8. The French continge their Preparations in order to the sending of a Reinforcement to their Army in *Swabia*; for which purpose (it is said) they intend to drain their Garrisons in *Allace*, and are to be joined by a considerable Body of Troops from the *Moselle*, under the Command of Monsieur de *Coigny*; and that while the Marshal de *Tallard* with their main Army is employed in this Expedition, Monsieur de *Laubanie* with another Body will endeavour to make a Diversion between *Philipbourg* and *Idantz*. The Allies on their part neglect nothing that may be necessary to oppose preventing the Enemy's Designs, which they are in great hopes of doing, now that the Forces of *Lunenburg* and the 15 Dutch Battalions are to remain in *Germany*. The Forces of the Circle of the Upper Rhine are marching to their several Posts.

Mastricht, May 11. The 8th Instant the Duke of *Marlborough* came to *Ruremonde*, where his Grace was saluted with a triple Discharge of the Cannon, and was complimented by the Bishop, who met him at some distance from the Town, and afterwards by the Magistrates. His Grace gave the necessary Orders that evening for the building of the Bridge, over which the English Troops designed for the *Moselle* are to pass the *Maese* the 14th. Yesterday about noon his Grace came to this Town, and had the same Honours paid him as at *Ruremonde*: Soon after Monsieur d' *Auverquerque*, Velt-Marshal, and the other General Officers of the Army near this Place, came from the Camp to wait on him; and this morning his Grace went thither, and saw the first Line of the Army drawn out, as he did the second Line after Dinner: Then his Grace returned hither, intending to continue here 4 or 5 days more, and afterwards to proceed to the Country of *Jubiers*, where he will join the Forces in their March towards the *Moselle*. The French Forces are still cantoned within their Lines.

Hague, May 13. N. S. The young Prince of *Nassau*, Stadholder of *Friseland*, took the usual Oaths the 10th Instant in the Assembly of the States General, as General of Foot, against which the Deputies of the Province of *Zeland* protested, as they had done against his being preferred to that Command. The Resident of the *Hanse* Towns has presented a Memorial to the States, desiring their Interposition with the King of *Sweden* in the behalf of the City of *Danzick*, for which the *Swedes* have lately made some new and high Demands; but that Town having declared their Disposition to come into the Confederacy, it is thought that the *Swedes* will be more easie with them. Letters from *Germany* say, That the Elector of *Bavaria* and the Mar-

shal de *Maxen* had left a Body of 8000 Men on the *Danube*, and were marching with the rest of their Forces to the number of about 28000, to attack the Imperial Army under General *Thungen*, who guards the Passes of the *Black Forest*.

Plymouth, May 2. Yesterday came in 3 Swedish Merchant Ships from *London*, bound for *St. Hubes*; the *Jehn* of and from *Middlebourg*, *Cornelius Loper* Master; the *Madona del Rosario* of *Venice*; the *Woolpenbourg* Privateer of *Flushing*, of 20 Guns, *Jacobus Stevens* Commander, with 3 Prizes, viz. the *Amiable*, *Peter Danara* Master, of 80 Tuns, laden with Provisions; the *Victory*, of 120 Tuns, with Wines and Linen, &c. both of and from *Bordeaux*, and bound for *Martinico*; and the *Concord* of *Roebel* from *Martinico*, with Sugars, of 14 Guns and 150 Tuns. This day failed hence the *Madona del Rosario* abovementioned; the *Betsy* Sloop of *Topham*; *Henry Dehurt* Master; and the *Jehn* of *Middlebourg*; all three for *Lisbon*.

Portsmouth, May 4. Yesterday failed from *Spithead* Her Majesty's Ship the *Norfolk*, with two or three other Men of War, and divers Merchant Men under their Convoy. The same day Her Majesty's Ship the *Maidstone* went out of our Harbour to *Spithead*, Sir *Cloudesly Shovel* continuing at *Spithead*, on board Her Majesty's Ship the *Burford*; as does also Rear-Admiral *Brag*, on board Her Majesty's Ship the *Ranelagh*; with several other of Her Majesty's Ships: And Sir *Stafford Fairborne* is still at *St. Hellens*, on board Her Majesty's Ship the *Shrewsbury*, with the rest of the Fleet.

The Commissioners for Examining the Accounts of the Army, and of the Trains of Artillery in Ireland, during the late War, give Notice, That their Commission determines upon the 30th of June next, That all Persons who have any Arrears in the said Trains may make their Claims with all Expedition.

Whereas a Petition was presented to his Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark, Lord High Admiral of England and Ireland, &c. by way of Complaint against Captain *Alfred*, Commander of Her Majesty's Ship *Solebay*, in name of the Ship-Masters and Inhabitants of the ancient Borough of *Lin*, signed by several Persons, amongst which were the Names of *John Clarke*, *Joseph Harvey*, *Edmund Quash Sen.* *Philip Mason*, *William Quash George Osborn*, *Henry Gardleson*, *Joseph Taylor*, *Thomas Robottom*, *Henry Chobury*, *Samuel Browne*; upon which Complaint the said Captain was tried at a Court-Martial by Rear-Admiral *Whetstone* in the Downs the 18th Inst, and acquitted; but is appearing at the said Court-Martial, that the Hands of *John Clarke*, *Joseph Harvey*, *Edmund Quash Sen.* *Philip Mason*, *William Quash*, *George Osborn*, *Henry Gardleson*, *Joseph Taylor*, *Thomas Robottom*, *Henry Chobury*, and *Samuel Browne*, were forged to the said Complaint: If any Person can discover who it was that forged their Names to the same, so as that he may be prosecuted and convicted as the Law directs in that Case, he shall have the Reward of Twenty Pounds, paid him by Mr. *William Wrightswarth*, Attorney at Law, in *Abchurch-Lane*.

Advertisements.

LOst the 3d Instant, a plain Gold Case of a Watch, lin'd with red Satin, supposed to be dropt between Temple-Bar and Chelsea Church. If any Person hath taken it up, and will give Notice thereof to Mr. Taylor's Watchmaker, at the corner of Fetter-Lane in *Babylon*, or at Mr. Saker's Coffee-House near Chelsea Church, he shall have a Guinea Reward.

Whereas there has of late been exposed various sorts of Beautifying-Waters, Washes, Powders, &c. and there not being any thing of that kind Experimented hitherto, but is found either dangerous to be used, or altogether insignificant to the purposes there intended: These are to give Notice, That there is newly Prepared a most Rich and Excellent Water, call'd THE PEARLE COSMETICK, being very Safe, and of admirable Virtue to clear and make the Skin become Fair, tho' (almost) of the brownest Complexion; which will be perceivable in a month or 6 weeks; and in much less time effectually takes away any kind of Heat, Redness, Pimples, &c. freeing the Face perfectly from all manner of Defilements, and bringing the Skin to an exquisite and lasting Beauty. Whereof Care is taken to have it list in Creditable Hands, to prevent Counterfeits. It is now to be had only at the Blackmoor's Head in *Exchange-Alley*, over-against the Royal Exchange, and at the Plough in the inner Walk of the New Exchange in the Strand. Price 2 s. 6 d. the Bottle. At either of which Places, such as are disposed to carry or send any of it into the Country may be supplied with what quantities they please.

There are to give Notice to all Persons, (who are fortunate Adventurers in *William Sydenham Esq.* his late Land Lottery.) That, in pursuance of an Order of the Court of Chancery, made on the 3d of May Instant, it is thereby ordered, That all such fortunate Adventurers, who have not already proved their respective Prizes and Demands before Dr. *Edisbury*, one of the Masters of the said Court, That they attend the said Master, and prove the same, before Ascension-Day next, otherwise they will be excluded from having any Benefit by the Decree made in their Behalf.

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