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Rome, Jan. 23. N. S.

THE Viceroy of Naples has sent a Deputy hither to Ascumolare the Difference between this Court and that Government, concerning the Ecclesiastical Immunities which hath been on foot ever since the Insurrection at Naples in 1701. at which time the Duke Della Riccia, one of the Persons concerned in it, was seized in the Church of Sora in that Kingdom; whereas it is insisted upon here, that the Churches are Places of Refuge, where no Violence ought to be offered to any one. The Queen-Dowager of Poland is upon her departure from hence towards Graz in Stiria; where it is said she intends to meet the Electress of Bavaria her Daughter, and the two Princes, James and Constantine Sobieski her Sons, whom the King of Poland has promised to set at Liberty. His Majesty has declared, That notwithstanding the Bishop of Pöten has been in actual Rebellion against him; yet, out of his great Regard to the Privileges and Immunities of the Church, he is willing to deliver him up into the Hands of the Pope, in order to his being proceeded against as he shall think fit.

Venice, January 30. The Diversions of our Carnival have Invited hither a great number of Foreigners, and among them several Persons of Note. The Senate daily receives Complaints from the Brescian of the great Disorders committed by the French in that Province, who plunder the Inhabitants in the same manner as they would do if they were in an Enemy's Country. This Matter has been represented to the Grand Prior their General, but no redress has hitherto been obtained; and on the contrary, he has lately caused three Peasants to be hanged for having killed one of his Soldiers, though they had done it in their own Defence, upon that Soldier's coming, with several others, to pillage their Houses. The Grand Prior continues to observe the Imperial Troops Commanded by the Count de Leiningen. A Detachment of them has lately formed a lying Camp at Buffolengo near the River Adige, from whence they daily make successful Excursions into the Dutchy of Mantua. There is Advice, That 4000 Sacks of Corn, and a very considerable Sum of Money, have within these few days been brought to Trent for the use of the Count de Leiningen's Army.

Berlin, Feb. 7. Monsieur Bulau came hither the 3d instant Express from Hanover, with the surprizing News of the Death of Elizabeth Sophia Charlotte Queen of Prussia, who lately went thither to partake of the Diversions of the Carnival; and being taken ill with an Inflammation in her Throat, which afterwards seized her Lungs, died the 31st past at night. This excellent Princess was the Daughter of Ernestus Augustus Elector of Hanover, and of the Princess Sophia Daughter of Frederick V. Elector Palatine and King of Bohemia, and Grand-Daughter by her Mother's side of James I. of Glorious Memory, King of Great Britain; was Born the Twentieth of October 1668, and Married the Sixth of October 1684. to Frederick the III. the present King of Prussia.

His Majesty is extremely afflicted with so great a Loss, insomuch that his Health is endangered thereby; and it has been thought convenient to let him Blood: He keeps his Chamber, but intends to appear in Publick to morrow; on which day all Persons are to be in the deepest Mourning. Upon this Melancholy News an Express was immediately sent to the Prince Royal at the Hague, that he should forthwith return hither. We hear her Majesty is to lie in State at Hanover: After which she will be brought to this Place, in order to her being Interred. Several of the great Officers of this Court, with two Troops of the Horse Guards, all Clothed in Mourning, are to receive the Body on the Frontier, and conduct it hither; and in every Province through which it passes it will be attended by the Nobility, and other principal Inhabitants. In the mean time the Bells are to be toll'd throughout the King's Dominions from 12 at Noon to One for 6 weeks; particular Prayers are appointed to be said for the Preservation of the Royal Family; and all manner of Diversions are forbid for a year. The Elector of Hanover has sent hither Monsieur Ilten, one of his Council, with a Compliment upon the Death of the Queen, his Sister: He arrived two days ago, and yesterday morning had Audience of his Majesty; who, among other things, told him, He might Assure the Elector his Master, that the Queen's Death should not any ways lessen his Kindness and Esteem for the House of Hanover. Yesterday and this day two Battalions of the King's Foot-Guards arrived here from Prussia. The Prince of Anhalt Dessau is come hither to wait upon his Majesty, and give him an Account of the Condition of his Forces in Bavaria. His Highness will return thither very speedily, and hasten as much as is possible their March into Italy.

Whitehaven, Feb. 4. About 16 Sail of light Colliers are come in here since the first instant from Dublin: Yesterday the Hopewell of this Port, Samuel Bowman Commander, set Sail for Virginia.

Falmouth, Feb. 5. Yesterday arrived here the Lisbon Pacquet-Boat in 9 days from Lisbon. The Commander says, That when he came away the Squadron Commanded by Sir John Leake was making ready to go to Sea; that four of his Ships were out a Cruising, and two more ready to Sail.

Plymouth, Feb. 6. Yesterday came in here Her Majesty's Ship the Triton, with a Privateer she had taken called the Royal, of St. Maloes, of 24 Guns; and another French Prize, being a Merchant-men of 18 Guns, laden with Wine, Malaga-Soap, and Bérilla, from Alicant. This day came in Her Majesty's Ship the Rupert from Ireland, with 4 English Merchant-men under her Convoy, viz. One from the East-Indies, one from Guinea, and two from the West-Indies.

Bristol, Feb. 6. The Port-Royal, a Merchant-man, Captain Thomas Eldridge Commander, arrived here the 2d instant from Jamaica: He gives an Account, That he left the Island very healthy: That the Enemy was very quiet in those Parts, and they had heard but of one Man of War of theirs, and six Merchant Ships, that

that were at Hispaniola; of which last, one of 23 Guns and 130 Men, very richly laden, going for Petit Guavas, was on the 6th of November last, met off of Cape Nicola, by Her Majesty's Ship the Mermaid, which took her and carried her to Jamaica.

Portsmouth, Feb. 9. Yesterday arrived at Spithead Her Majesty's Ships the Crown, Worcester, Gosport, and Litchfield-Prize; the Worcester having brought in two Prizes laden with Wine and Sugar.

Deal, Feb. 8. This morning came into the Downs the Severne from Lisbon, the Genoua Galley from the Streights, the Sarah and John both from Oporto, and two other homeward-bound Merchant men.

Sheriff appointed for Nottinghamshire, *Patricius Choworth Esq;*

The Dutch Mails of Tuesday and Friday last are not yet come in.

His Royal Highness the Lord High Admiral of England is pleased to direct, That Notice be given that Tuesday in every Week is appointed the day for receiving into Her Majesty's Royal Hospital at Greenwich, all such disabled Seamen as shall be appointed to be Entertained in the said Hospital, upon their applying to Captain John Clements, Lieutenant-Governour thereof.

Whitehall, Feb. 8. Whereas it has appeared to the General-Officers of the Army, That the several private Soldiers hereafter named, have lately Deserted from Her Majesty's Two Regiments of Foot-Guards, viz. From the First Regiment, Arthur Chambers, (of Lieut. Col. Durck's Company) a fat Man, whitey look'd round-visaged, of about 5 Foot 7 Inches and an half high, sometimes goes in a black Wig, and sometimes in a fair one, and wears sometimes a black Coat, and at other times a light coloured one, and often with a red Coat over them, aged about 27 Years; Francis Lee, (of the late Lieut. Col. Montague's Company) a tall Man, of about 5 Foot 8 Inches high, full faced, with a Scar in his Cheek, wears a black Wig, with a loose light colour'd Coat with a Cape to it, and a black Waistcoat, aged about 34 Years; From the Coldstream Regiment, John Smith, (of the Lord Cutt's Company) 5 Foot 9 Inches high, of a fresh Complexion, pock-fretten, wearing his own Hair, being curl'd, and of a dark brown, aged about 34 Years; Simon Ring, (of Col. Braddock's Company) near 5 Foot 6 Inches and an half high, of a fair Complexion, wearing a white Wig, aged 26 Years; Henry Hewitt, (of Lieut. Col. Rivett's Company) a tall slender Man, upwards of 6 Foot high, with Pockholes in his Face, wears a long bog Wig, disabled of two Fingers on his Right Hand, aged 26 Years; William Bunce, (of Lieut. Col. Moor's Company) about 5 Foot 8 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, wearing a brown bog Wig, aged about 30 Years; Lawrence Corbett, (of the same Company) above 5 Foot 8 Inches high, of a fresh Complexion, wearing a very light bog Wig, aged about 24 Years; John Filerwood, (of the same Company) about 5 Foot 7 Inches high, of a brown Complexion, wearing a dark brown bog Wig, aged about 28 Years; Thomas Smith, (of the same Company) about 5 Foot 8 Inches high, of a fresh Complexion, round visaged, wearing a brown bog Wig, aged about 26 Years. These are to give notice that whoever shall secure the said Deserters, or any of them, and there-of give Information to the said General Officers at the Great Chamber of the Horse-Guards, or shall discover them, or any of them, so as by such Discovery they come to be Secured, shall have and receive a Guinea Reward for each.

By the Receiver-General for Prizes.

Whereas the Ship St. Barnard of Bayonne, taken by Her Majesty's Ship Exeter, hath been Condemned and Sold as Prize; and the Neat Proceed thereof being now adjusted:

The Receiver-General doth hereby give Notice, That on Monday the 19th day of February instant, at the Office for Payment of Captors, in the Little Piazza's, Covent-Garden, he will then pay each Captor his just Proportion of the said Prize, according to the Direction in Her Majesty's most Gracious Declaration for the Encouragement of Her Ships of War, &c.

Whereas a Letter was sent without a Name to it, to the Right Honourable the Earl of Exeter, by the Post of Saturday last, proposing a discovery of several Matters very Material to his Lord's Ships Affairs and Interest: If the Author of the said Letter will either apply himself to the said Earl, or to Mr. Noah Steele of Stamford, and make out what in his said Letter he has proposed, he shall not only be well Rewarded for the same, but shall be concealed who he is.

Whereas Debentures are Issued out for Payment of the Arrears due to the Noncommissioned Officers of the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Barrymore's Regiment: Late Sir John Jacob's; the Hon. Colonel Blood's, late Sir Matthew Bridges's; and the Rt. Hon. Lieut. General Ingoldsbys Regiment, from April 1. 1692. to the respective times they went off the English Establishment: All Persons entitled in the said Arrears are desired to come with proper

Certificates to Mr. John Wilson in Manchester-Court near the Palace-Card, Westminster, where they shall receive the same, the 19th and 26th of February current, and the 5th of March next, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the Forenoon.

Advertisements.

This day is published, The Third Part of the Roman History; being a new Continuation of Mr. Echard's First and Second: In which is included the whole History from the Removal of the Imperial Seat to Constantinople, and the Ruin of the Empire in the West, to its Restoration by Charlemagne; which Period of Time is particularly remarkable for the Rise of the Papacy to the Sovereign Power of Rome, as it is as large related in this Volume; with an exact Index to the whole Three Parts. Printed for W. Freeman, J. Walker, T. Newborough, J. Nicholson, and R. Parker. Price 6s.

There is now Published, Historical Discourses upon several Occasions: viz. 1. The happy Progress and Success of the Arms of K. Charles I. of ever blessed Memory, from the 30th of March, to the 23d of November 1644. Written by his Majesty's especial Command, and corrected, almost in every Page, with his own Hand. 2. Memorials of his said Majesty's unfortunate Success in the Year following. 3. A Journal of several Actions performed in the Kingdom of Scotland, after King Charles II.'s Arrival there in 1650. 4. The Life and Actions of Thomas Howard, Earl of Arundel and Surrey, Earl-Marshal of England. 5. A full Answer to a Book entitled, Monarchy, or no Monarchy; being a confused Mixture of false, traitorous and contradictory Observations concerning King Charles I. published by William Lilly in July 1651. 6. Observations upon the Inconveniences that have attended the frequent Promotions to Titles of Honour and Dignity, since King James I. came to the Crown of England. 7. Observations on the Annals of the Reign of King Charles I. Published by Hamond L'Estrange, Esq. 8. A short Review of the Life and Actions of King Charles I. By Sir Edward Walker, Kt. Garter, Principal King of Arms, Secretary of War to his Majesty King Charles I. and Clerk of the Council to K. Charles II. Together with perfect Copies of all the Votes, Letters, Proposals, and Answers relating unto, and that passed in, the Treaty held at Newport, in the Isle of Wight, in the Months of September, October, and November, 1648. between his Majesty King Charles I. and a Committee of the Lords and Commons of Parliament. Entred by His Majesty's especial Command, by the same Sir Edward Walker, who was the Chief Clerk employed by His Majesty during that Treaty. Printed for Sam. Kneel, at the Turk's Head in Fleetstreet.

There will in a very short time be publish'd, The Fifth and Last Volume of the Roman History, from the Restoration of the Roman Empire by Charles the Great, to the taking of Constantinople by the Turks, containing the space of 653 years. Written by the Author of the 3d and 4th Volumes; and carefully Revis'd and approv'd of by Laurence Echard, A. M. With a large and exact Index to the whole 5 Volumes. Printed for Jacob Tonson within Gray's-Inn-Gate next Gray's-Inn-lane: Where all Persons may be supplied with any of the 4 former Volumes to compleat their Sets.

A Sermon Preach'd before the Honourable House of Commons, at St. Margarets Westminster, on Tuesday, the 30th of January last, the Anniversary Fast-Day for the Martyrdom of K. Charles I. By George Stanhope, D. D. Dean of Canterbury, and Chaplain in Ordinary to Her Majesty. Printed for R. Sare at Gray's-Inn-Gate in Holborn, and M. Wotton at the 3 Daggers in Fleetstreet.

The Present State of Europe; containing an Historical and Political Account of the Interests, Pretensions and Transactions of the several Courts: For the Month of January, 1704. Vol. 15. To be continued Monthly from the Original published at the Hague. Printed for H. Rhodes at the Corner of Bride-lane in Fleetstreet, and the Assigns of Eliz. Harris.

In the County of Middlesex, 10 miles from London, is the Manor and Manour-House of Hounslow, that was the late King's Hunting-House, with the Ancient Demesnes and Copyhold-Land, Situate at the Will of the Lord, with the Quit-Rents and Profits of the Fair, being 150 l. per Ann. to be sold: The House, Gardens, and Fish-Ponds, consisting of 8 Acres Walled in, with Pigeon House, Barns, Stables, Coach-Houses, and Out-Houses, with 16 Acres of Arable and Pasture-Land adjoining to it, is to be Sold separately, or with the rest of the Estate, if desired. Enquire of Mr. Douglas's Coffee-house in St. Martin's-lane near Charing-Cross.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Henry Johnson, late of Lombard-street, Merchant; All Persons that owe him any Money, or have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to the Honourable Thomas Wentworth and John Plumer Esqs. Assignees; And the Commissioners intend to meet on Thursday the 15th instant, at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall; where all the Creditors concerned are then and there to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution, in order to a Dividend.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Thomas Tomkins, late of London, Merchant; 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 as the Commissioners shall appoint; And they are desired forthwith to give notice thereof to Mr. William Wrigleyworth, Attorney at Law, in Abchurch-lane, London, one of the Commissioners.

Stole or lost the 3d. instant out of William Rogers's Wagon, a Box of Hats and Brushes, between London and Uxbridge. Whoever gives notice of them to John Poynter at the Saracen's-Head in Upper Snow-Hill, London, so as they may be had again, shall have a Guinea.

There is lately brought from Germany several Hundreds of Curly Birds of several Colours, and are to be Sold at Henry Lane's at the White-Hart in Abchurch-lane near London-Score.