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St. James's, April 26.

THIS Evening the Sieur Kroyenberg, Resident from the Elector of Hanover, had a private Audience of Her Majesty, at which he deliver'd his Letter of Credence; being Introduced by the Right Honourable Mr. Secretary St. John; and Conducted by Sir Clement Cottrell, Master of the Ceremonies.

Berlin, April 25. N. S. On Wednesday last in the Evening a Courier arrived here from Vienna, with the melancholy News of the Emperor's Death, and went immediately to wait on the King at Neuendorf; from whence his Majesty came yesterday to Furstenwald, and from thence this Morning to Keppenick, a Place about two Miles distance from hence. This Morning all the Ministers of State repair'd thither by Order from his Majesty, who is expected here to Morrow, and then it may probably be known what Alterations the Death of his Imperial Majesty will make in the King's Resolutions, especially in relation to his intended Journey into Holland. On the 21st Instant the Dean, Syndic and Secretary of the Chapter of Hildesheim arriv'd here, being sent with a Deputation to his Majesty from the said Chapter, and propose upon the King's return hither to be admitted to an Audience. Monsieur Mardefeld having been appointed by the King to go as his Majesty's Envoy to the Court of Dresden, Monsieur Westphal, the King of Poland's Resident here, went immediately to Monsieur Ilgen, and represented to him, that the Person of that Minister would not be acceptable to the King, his Master; and having declar'd that what he did was by the Order of his Polish Majesty, the King thereupon revoked the Commission of Monsieur Mardefeld, who is a Swede by Birth, and Brother to General Mardefeld, who commanded the Swedes at the Battel of Califf.

Ghent, May 3. N. S. We are advis'd from Arras, that the French have left only three Battalions and a Spanish Regiment of Horse in the Town, and two Battalions in the Cittadel. Marshal Villars has made it his principal Care to encourage the Inhabitants of that Place, notwithstanding which they continue to be under great Apprehensions of a Siege. There being a general Scarcity in the Army the Soldiers grow very sickly, inasmuch that the Hospitals begin to be full already. The Right Wing is supplied with Forage from Cambray, in which Place they have their most considerable Magazin, and the Left being furnish'd from Arras, which Place is not so plentifully provided, it is thought that Magazin will be in a manner exhausted in eight or ten Days time, if Care be not taken to supply it with Stores drawn out of Peronne, Corbie, and the adjacent Garrisons. The precipitate March the Cavalry was oblig'd to make has very much incommoded their Horses, many of which have been left lame at Dourlens, and other Places. They write from Valenciennes, that Monsieur Luxembourg arrived there the 26th past, and is to continue there 'till he receives farther Orders from Court. It being thought advisable to lay part of the Suburbs of that Place under Water, People have been hard

at Work about it since the Arrival of that General. The Recruits for the Army are order'd to continue their March towards Marquion as fast as they arrive. They are chiefly drawn out of the Militia, and consist of raw undisciplin'd Men, forced for the most part into the Service. They pretend, the late Elector of Bavaria will have an Army of thirty Battalions on the Rhine, besides his own Forces, with which they hope he will be in a Condition to make some advantageous Diversion; but little Credit is given to this, since it is not likely the French will venture to weaken their Army by any Detachments at this Conjunction.

Brussels, May 4. N. S. We have receiv'd no Letters from the Confederate Army at Orchies since those of the 30th past, so that we have as yet no Account of their March from thence, and their passing the Scarpe as it was intended on the 31st. According to these Letters the Enemy continue in their former Camp, having their Right at Oisy, and their Left extending towards Arras, with the Senfet in Front; as likewise the Scarpe as far as Vitry, from whence it is turn'd into the Senfet. They have lately made several great Detachments of Horse towards the Somme, for their more convenient Substantance, Forage being already something scarce in their Army. The Body of Troops that were posted in their new Lines near Denain, at which Village the Schelde is fordable, have been reinforced for the better Security of that Place. We are advis'd from Valenciennes, that Marshal Villars arriv'd there the first Instant, and went immediately to visit the late Elector of Cologn. His Brother, the late Elector of Bavaria, continues at Compeigne, nor does it yet appear what share he is to have in the Operations of the ensuing Campaign. Our Letters from Paris of the 1st Instant advise, that they had received an Account from Toulon, that the Pembroke, a French Ship, commanded by the Sieur Marquisan, and the Phoenix, and two other Men of War, having attack'd a British Ship off the Port of Vado, some of the Men of War riding there under the Command of Sir John Norris came out to her relief, and engaging with the Enemy, they took the Pembroke; but the other French Ships with much difficulty escaped.

Hague, May 5. N. S. Our Letters that came in this Day from the Frontiers advise, that the Confederate Army broke up the 2d Instant from Orchies, and having passed the Scarpe, it is at present encamp'd with the Right within a League of Douay, and the Left extending towards Bouchain, on the Road leading from Douay to Valenciennes. Some of the Enemy's Troops appear'd on the Plains of Lens, and in the Neighbourhood of Vitry; but upon the Movement of our Army they instantly withdrew, and retired within their Lines. Marshal Villars continues encamped on the other side the Senfet, having his Head Quarters at Oisy. We are assur'd, that there is a great Desertion among their Troops, occasion'd chiefly for want of Pay, which is the reason that several Officers are still at Paris; from whence they write, that the Death of the Emperor had given occasion to many new Projects that were in Agitation there; and that among other Advantages with which they flatter themselves at this Conjunction, they seem assur'd, that the Prince of Savoy will not Command

Command in Flanders this Campaign. They say, the Marquis de Torcy was set out for Compeigne, where he is to confer with the late Elector of Bavaria, after which that Prince is to go to Valenciennes. The Conferences appointed to be held here, in order to accommodate the Differences between his Prussian Majesty and the Prince of Frise will speedily be open'd, the Commissioner nominated to assist on the Prince's part being arriv'd.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having ordered Fifty more Men to be put into Her Majesty's Royal Hospital at Greenwich, their Lordships are pleased to direct, that all such disabled Seamen and Marines as are minut'd to be taken into the said Hospital, do give their Attendance at the Admiralty-Office on Monday the 7th of May Instant, by 8 of the Clock in the Forenoon, in order to the making choice of fifty Persons out of them.

A Letter dated the 27th of April last, sign'd R. R. directed to the Lords of the Admiralty, having been receiv'd; their Lordships do hereby give Notice, that if the Person who writ the said Letter will attend them, and make out what he alledges, he will have all fitting Encouragement and Protection.

A Letter dated the 24th of April last, sign'd N. R. directed to the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty at their Office at Whitehall, having been receiv'd, their Lordships do hereby give Notice, that if the Person who writ the said Letter will attend them, and make out what he alledges, he will have all fitting Encouragement and Protection.

The Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs having receiv'd a Letter from a Port in Cornwall, mark'd B. T. dated the 19th of April, informing, That divers ill Practices are committed in those parts to the Prejudice of the Revenue; the said Commissioners do hereby give Notice, if the Person who wrote the said Letter will transmit to them Proofs of such Information, he shall find all fitting Encouragement.

All Persons owing Arrears of Rent for Wine Licenses, or whose Licenses are expired, are hereby desired to take Notice, that if they do not pay their said Arrears, and renew their said Wine Licenses with all speed, they will be forthwith Sued at Law for the same.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England Trading to the East-Indies do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East-India House in Leadenhall-street, London, on Friday the 4th Instant, from 9 in the Forenoon 'till 6 in the Afternoon, to chuse a Director in the room of a Gentleman who declines to take upon him that Office; at which Time and Place will be also chasen a Trustee for the General Society, and that the Transfer Books of the said Company will for this reason continue shut to the 5th of this Instant May.

Advertisements.

Just Publish'd, A new Edition of the Christian Hero, an Argument proving that no Principles, but those of Religion, are sufficient to make a Great Man. Written by Mr. Steele. Printed with an Elzvir Letter in a neat Pocket Volume, is as to be bound up with the 4th Volume of the Tatlers. Printed for J. T. and sold by O. Lloyd near the Church in the Temple. Price 9 d. stitch'd, and 12 d. bound.

LOST or mislaid, a Navy Bill, dated January 22, 1708, No. 4373, for Iron Work, payable to William Norris of Sheerness, Anchor-Smith; also another for Tallow, payable to Philip Nichols, No. 4083; another for Timber, payable to William Phillips, Timber-Merchant, No. 631; also another, payable to William Andrews, Glass-grinder, No. 619. Likewise two Victualling Bills, one payable to Benjamin Rutland of Blasto in the County of Essex, Glasier, No. 1959, the other payable to Thomas Gopping of Hackney, Gent. No. 1877. Whoever shall give Notice to Mr. John Wren, at the Tick-

Office in Church-stairs, or Mr. Dawbeny at Dr. Grey's at the Golden Head in High Holborn, shall receive five Guineas reward, or proportionable for any part of them, Payment being stop'd, and they being of no use to any but the Owner, see any Questions ask'd.

ALL Persons that have any Plate, Rings, Watches, Jewels, or any other Effects pledged to Mr. Thomas Grainger at the Rose in Salisbury-court near Fleetstreet before the 25th of March, 1710, and are not redeem'd; this is to give Notice to all Persons having any Right or Claim in any of the Goods pledged as above-mentioned, that if they do not fetch them away by the 1st of July next ensuing, they will be disposed of.

Whereas there were several sorts of Goods Pawn'd to Mr. Edward Clark, Glasier, Deceased, in St. Paul's Church, London, and are in the Hands of Nathaniel Ford, Administrator, on Redriff Wall; these are to give Notice, that if they are not redeem'd in three Months, they will be disposed of.

Whereas in an Advertisement in the Gazette of the 21st of April last, William Davis of Rosemary-lane in the County of Middlesex, Victualler, a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 31st of April, and on the 12th and 21st of May Instant; these are to give Notice, that the said Commissioners will not sit on either of the said Days, and the said Bankrupt is therefore required to surrender himself to them on the 7th, 14th and 31st of May Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Browne of the Parish of Aldgate, London, Innholder, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 7th, 14th and 31st of May Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Charles Fary of London, Hostler, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 8th, 15th and 31st of May Instant, at Guildhall, London, at 3 in the Afternoon; at the first of which Sitings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

These are to give Notice, That the Assignees under a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Samuel Pendleton at Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Chapman, do intend to make a second Dividend of the Bankrupt's Estate on the 16th Instant, at the Eagle and Child Coffee-house in Manchester; at which time the Creditors of the said Bankrupt are to assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Moore of Bury St. Edmunds in the County of Suffolk, Taylor, intend to meet the 24th of May Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the Widow Waller's Coffee-house in Bury St. Edmunds aforesaid, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-mony, are then to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend: And all Persons who are any way indebted to the Estate of the Bankrupt, are required to appear at the same time and place, and to pay such Monies as shall appear due from them respectively, or they will be prosecuted for recovery thereof.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against John Hopkins, late of Birmingham in the County of Warwick, Ironmonger, intend to meet on the 22d Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the Sign of the Castle in Birmingham aforesaid, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-mony, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the said Dividend.

The Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against James Harcum, late of the City of Bristol Merchant, since Deceased, intend to meet on the 15th of May Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the Widow Leadbeater's Coffee-house in Bristol aforesaid, in order to make a further Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate.

Whereas William Halsted, late of Manchester in the County of Lancaster, Chapman, hath surrender'd himself (pursuant to Notice) and been examined, this is to give Notice that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th of May Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Whereas Richard Atkinson of London, Coach-maker, hath surrender'd himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; this is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 17th of May Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

Taken on the 23d of April last, out of Mr. Slade's Stable in Earnam-street in Lempiter, Herefordshire, a Mare, about 7 or 8 Years old, and about 15 hands high, of a Chestnut Colour with a white Fleece down the Face, and white Feet: Whoever gives Notice of her, so as she may be had again, at the Place aforesaid, shall be well rewarded for it.

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