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*St. James's, April 22.*

**A**N Humble Address of the Inhabitants of the Borough of Wendover in the County of Bucks, has been presented to His Majesty by Richard Hampden, Esq; introduced by the Right Honourable the Marquess of Wharton.

*Which Address His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.*

*Vienna, April 14.* This Court has received Letters from Constantinople of the 10th of January, which say the Turks intend to act defensively this next Campaign against the Venetians, and to divide their Army against the Emperour into three Bodies, whereof one is to cover Belgrade, a second to make a Diversion towards Walachia, and the third to form a flying Camp to be made use of as Occasion may require. The Advices from Hungary tell us the Troops are all in Motion towards the Rendezvous at Futack, where a Camp is marked out, and where all the Regiments from Transylvania, except four, are already arrived. Some Boats with Officers of the Emperour's Household, are gone up the Danube as far as Ratibon, to bring hither the Dutchess of Wolfenbuttle-Blankenberg, the Emperess's Mother. The Emperour, in Consideration of the faithful Services of the Count de Cifuentes, lately Viceroy of Sardinia, has given him the Dutchy of Mandas and the Marquisate of Villa-Sidro and Palmas in that Kingdom, which Estates are to descend to his Heirs, and are of the yearly Income of thirty thousand Florins.

*Genoa, April 13.* The Regents of this Republick, upon Information privately given them, sent Orders a few Days ago to the Governor of Final, to seize two Brothers Inhabitants of that Place, named Alizzeri, together with a Relation of theirs one Mantilieri, a Franciscan Fryar: The two first were seized

accordingly; the Fryar being also taken, was intrusted to the Superiour of his Convent to be kept in safe Custody, but he afterwards found Means to escape. By the Papers seized with these Persons it appears, that they with several other Inhabitants of Final, had engaged in a Design to surprize one of the Gates of Savona, and put that Place as well as Final into the Hands of a foreign Power. This Discovery has put this State into a great Alarm, and the Regents have dispatched an Expres to the Emperour to prevent the whole Affair to him. Last Week 700 Men were sent from hence to Savona, and the Garrison of that Place was ordered to Final; also Bombs and other Ammunition are sent to Savona, and the Officers of the Artillery there are changed.

*Geneva, April 19.* 'Tis advised from Turin, that the Court is gone to la Venerie, and that the King of Sicily is to set out very soon for Nice to see his Fleet which is expected there from Sicily, and he is to come from thence to Savoy to meet the Queen and Prince of Piemont, who will be in a few Days at St. Jean de Mauriennes, where the Prince is to drink the Waters. The whole Court is to proceed afterwards to Chambery, where the Castle is already fitted up for their Reception. His Sicilian Majesty has of late authorized a very advantageous Establishment made at Turin, by the Charity-Hospital of that City, for the Relief of the Poor. The Directors of that Hospital having got together all the Beggars, and others in great Want, to the Number of 600, of both Sexes, cloathed them all, and on the 7th Instant they marched through the chief Streets of Turin in solemn Procession, at which all the Fraternities, Religious Orders, and secular Clergy assisted. After the Procession they were all placed at Tables in the Square before the Castle, and Victuals was served up to them by several Gentlemen and Ladies of the Court. Their Sicilian Majesties saw this Procession and Entertainment from the

the Castle, and the Garrison stood drawn up round the Tables. These Poor are to be maintained in the Hospital, with the Revenues belonging to it, and the free Contributions of the Publick, which are to be collected twice a Year, and no more Beggars are to be seen in the Streets of Turin. 'Tis advised from Berne, that the Marquess d'Avarey, Ambassadour of France to the Helvetick Body, is to make his publick Entry on Tuesday next at Soleurre, the Place of his Residence, and he has written to all the Cantons, to desire them to send Deputies thither the 25th of this Month, in order to hold a Diet as usual for the receiving his Credentials, and for performing the other Formalities which are observed on the like Occasions.

*Hague, April 27.* On the 20th Instant Count Raventlau, President of the Finances at the Court of Gottorp, arrived here, and on the 22d he presented his Credentials to the President of the States General. The Czar is gone from Brussels to view the Town of Dunkirk, and the Works and Sluices at Mardyke before they are demolished, and from thence will proceed to Paris: He had notified his Design to the Regent by the French Ambassadour before he left this Place: He has not sign'd the Orders for the March of his Troops out of Mecklenburg; but 'tis assur'd, that Vice-Chancellor Schapfiroff who followed him on the 17th Instant, will still endeavour to persuade him to it. On the 21st the Czarine with Count Golofkin the Great Chancellor, and the rest of her Court, set out for Amsterdam. 'Tis doubtful whether she will return hither, or proceed from thence by Wesel to meet the Czar at Aix la Chapelle or the Spaa, which Place of the two he may chuse. M. Kniphafen, the Minister of Prussia, and M. Loos, the Minister of Poland, design to follow the Czar to Paris.

*Paris, April 28.* On the 19th the King, accompanied by the Duke of Orleans, was present at a general Review of the French and Swiss Guards. On the 26th the Prince of Dombes, Son of the Duke du Maine, set out Post for Strasbourg, on his Way to the Court of Vienna, the Regent having given him Leave to serve as a Volunteer in Hungary the ensuing Campaign. The Czar is expected here the Beginning of next Week, and Apartments are fitting up for him in that Part of the Louvre where the Council of War used to sit, which the Regent has ordered to be held (during his Czarish Majesty's Stay) at the Marshal de Villars's House.

Office of Ordnance, April 23, 1717.

*This is to give Notice, that on Monday the 29th of this Instant April, several Quantities of old Iron will be sold by Auction in the Tower of London, where the same may in the mean Time be viewed in their respective Lots, and the Terms of the Sale be likewise seen.*

Royal Hospital at Greenwich, April 20, 1717.

*The Directors of His Majesty's Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, do hereby give Notice, that such Persons who are willing to supply the said Hospital with a Stock of Sea-Coals, of the Sort commonly called Hutton and Benwell, sufficient for the current Service of the Year, and will deliver them at the said Hospital before Midsummer, may give in their Proposals to them sealed up, on Saturday the 4th of May next, at Ten in the Morning, in the said Hospital.*

*Notice is hereby given by the Agent to the Captains, That the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship the South-Sea Castle, may, on Thursday the 9th of May, 1717, at Lloyd's Coffee-House in Lombard-Street, receive their respective Shares of the Bounty-Money for the Men on board a French Privateer called the Cerf Volant, taken by the said Ship; and those Persons who shall not then attend, may receive the same every first Thursday in the Month, in the Afternoon, for Three Years, at the Place aforesaid.*

*A General Quarterly Court of the Corporation of the Amicable Society for a Perpetual Assurance Office, will be held at Sadlers Hall in Cheapside, on Thursday the 2d of May next, from Ten in the Forenoon till Six in the Afternoon, for chusing Directors for the Year ensuing, and no Lists will be received after Six a Clock: And all Members who are five Quarters in Arrear to the said Society, will be excluded at the said Court by their Names. N. B. The Office is removed to the 12th House beyond the Globe-Tavern in Hatton-Garden, on the same Side of the Way.*

#### Advertisements.

**T**HE King's Plate of 100 Guineas will be run for on Marrow-Downs near Guildford in Surry, on Tuesday in Whitson Week next, by any Horse, &c. that shall be six Years old this next Grass, reckoning at May-Day, 1717. and no more, to be certified under the Hand of the Breeder, to carry 12 Stone, the best of three Heats: The next Day a Galloway Plate will be run for, Value 20 Guineas, by any Galloway under 14 Hands, 9 Stone the highest, allowing Weight for Inches, paying one Guinea at Entrance. The Thursday following the Contribution Plate of 50 Guineas will be run for by Horses, &c. that never won the Value of 50 Guineas at one Time, 10 Stone Weight, paying 2 Guineas at Entrance. All these Horses must be entered and shewn on or before the Monday before Whitson-Week, at Mr. Searle's Coffee-House in Guildford, and to be kept within 2 Miles of the Course. N. B. There will be a Cock-Match for 51 a Battle, and 501. the odd Battle.

**I**N Devonshire, near Chudleigh, within nine Miles of Exeter, to be sold the Barton and Mannor of Bellamarth, about 2001. per Annum; it is a fine Estate; pleasantly situated, well timbered and wooded, and capable of great Improvements. Enquire of Mr. Atrian in Exeter, Robie Sherwin at Lincoln's-Inn, Esq; and of Joseph Browne, Esq; High Sheriff of the County of Somerset.

**A**LL Persons that have any Demands from the Estate of George Soley, late Citizen and Vintner of London, deceased, are desired to meet on Friday the 3d of May next, at the Ship Tavern in Threadneedle-street behind the Royal Exchange, London, at Three in the Afternoon, and bring with them a true Account of their Demands, out of the said Soley's Estate, the same being then intended to be settled and adjusted.

**L**OST or mislaid, in February or March 1715, four Bank sealed Bills of 1001. each, N<sup>o</sup> 8634, 8635, 8636, and 8637, all dated the 30th of June 1715, and payable to Mr. Dyer: Whoever brings them, or any of them, to Mr. Shackleton at the Castle-Tavern the Corner of Fetter-Lane, Holborn, shall receive four Guineas Reward for each Bill of the said Mr. Shackleton, and no Questions asked, Payment being stopt at the Bank.

**O**wen Williams, Son of William Owen Thomas of Gelly in the Parish of Lanellthey in Carmarthenshire, South Wales, who went to Sea, and has not been heard of since (his Father and eldest Brother being dead,) is desired, if alive, to come and enjoy an Estate; if not, his Brother Thomas Williams will take Possession of it.