

put into a good State of Defence by the Care of Sig. Loredano, and that our Fleet was in a Readiness to fail to cover that Place, if the Turks should attack it as they threaten to do. 'Tis also advised, that the Command of the Turkish Fleet is given to an English Renegade.

Hague, May 7. M. Heems has received Orders from the Emperour, of the 15th past, to make pressing Instances to the Czar, for the Removal of his Troops out of Mecklenburg, for the Liberty of the Lubeck Ships to Trade freely, counterband Goods excepted; and for the Payment of such Arrears as are due for the Vessels that Town was obliged to furnish the Muscovites last Year towards the Descent in Schonen. General Weyde has published strict Orders in Mecklenburg on the 16th past, forbidding the Inhabitants to retire, or send their Corn, Cattle, or other Subsistence out of the Country. On the 3d Instant the Duke of Queensborough arrived here from Flanders, and designs to stay some Days. The Deputies of Utrecht and Groningen have communicated to the States the Resolution of their Principals for continuing the Military Establishment of last Year, for a long Month, or 42 Days more, to begin the 7th Instant; and 'tis believed the Consent will be general. The States of Holland have agreed to contribute to the Repairs of the Frontier Places, especially Zutphen and Nimeguen in Guelderland, which will be an Example for the rest of the Provinces. The Receivers of the Admiralty of Holland have been ordered to continue the Levy of the hundredth, and the two hundredth Penny, on all the Obligations owing by them, as far as they belong to the Inhabitants of this Province. M. Meyndershagen has again, by Memorial, demanded Satisfaction for the Ship taken under the King of Prussia's Colours, and some mention is there made of using Reprisals, in case Satisfaction be delayed. Yesterday Mr. Leathes set out from hence on his Return to his Residence at Brussels.

His Majesty thinking it necessary that new Farthings and Halfpence should be coined and made of the finest British Copper, the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury give this Notice thereof, so as all Persons who are minded to supply His Majesty's

Mint with the finest British Copper for that Purpose, may give in Proposals to their Lordships, in Writing, sealed up and left with their Secretaries, or one of them, at any Time before the 25th of May next.

The Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs having received a Letter, dated at Deal the 15th Instant, signed Polewheele and Barroe, giving an Account of several Frauds and Abuses in that Revenue; the said Commissioners do hereby give Notice, that if the said Persons, or one of them, will attend the Board any Morning at the Custom-House, and make out what is set forth in the said Letter, they shall meet with all fitting Encouragement.

The Paymaster of the Civil List Lottery, Anno 1713, hereby gives Notice, that he hath reserved Money in his Hands to discharge and pay off the Principal on all the standing Orders to No. 6 inclusive, in the 4th Course of Payment, with Interest due on the same to this 30th Day of April, 1717: Which being satisfied, the whole Principal discharged on the said Lottery amounts to the Sum of 39270 l.

Advertisements.

THE King's Head in Norwich, being an ancient and well-accustomed Inn and Tavern, standing in the Market-place, and by its Situation is the most convenient and commodious Inn there, it having a large Dining Room fronting the Market, convenient Lodging Rooms, and good Stabling for above 100 Horses; is to be let at Midsummer next, the Rent about 90 l. per Annum. Inquire of Mr. Thomas Baret in Norwich, or of Mr. Edmond Clarke, who lives next Door to the said Inn, and may be spoke with at the Green Dragon Inn, in Bishopsgate-street, London, for eight Days next after the publishing hereof.

WHEREAS Henry Barrett, of Sutton Waldron in the County of Dorset, Yeoman, is lately dead, and his Leasehold Estate is fallen to his Son Henry Barrett, who lately lived with Mr. Rounds at Shoreham Castle in the County of Kent; if living, is desired to write to some of his Friends, or else to Mr. Philip Thomas, Steward to Sir Nath. Napier, Bart. at Moore-Critchell in the said County of Dorset, who can give the best Account of the same.

STolen from Offley Place in the County of Hertford, on Saturday Night or Sunday Morning, being the 27th or 28th of April, 1 Silver Crewit Stand with 3 Silver Castors and two tops of Crewits and a pair of small waiting Salvers, about 15 Ounces, the Arms engraved Party per pale indented Gules and Argent; and thereupon in an Escutcheon of Pretence, the Field Gules, 3 Crofs Crofslets saby, with a Fes Or; and quarterly Argent and Gules in the second and third a Fret Or, over all a Bend Sable charged with three Escallops of the first Or; one Pair of Salvers of about 40 Ounces, the Arms in a Lozenge, the Field Gules Crofs-Crofslets saby, with a Fes Or; a pair of Snuffers and Snuff Pan, the Arms Party per pale indented Gules and Argent; one very old Quart Tankard, two old Salts, several old Spoons, the Crest a Griffon's Head in a ducal Coronet; and one little Silver Strainer. Whoever brings them to Mr. Anthony Nelmes, Goldsmith, at the Golden Bottle in Amen Corner, shall have 20 l. Reward for the Whole, or proportionable for any Part: Or, if any of the Persons concerned will discover his Accomplices, so as one of them may be convicted, such Person shall receive 20 l. as a further Reward.

STolen April the 24th, from Mr. Robert Haldenby at Reedness, in Marthland, Yorkshire, a bay Mare about 14 Hands high, with no white upon her, a round black Spot on the Inside of one of her fore Legs above the Knee, the bigness of half one's Hand, a switch Tail, seven Years old, supposed to be come Southward; whoever brings her to William Deane at the Last in Shoe-maker Row, Black-friars, London, or to the Place aforesaid, shall receive two Guineas Reward.