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*St. James's, June 14.*

**A**N humble Address of the Captain General and Governour of the Leeward Caribbee Islands in America, and of the Lieutenant Governour Council and Assembly of the Island of Nevis, having been transmitted hither, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable Joseph Addison, Esq; one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

An humble Address of the High Sheriff, Justices of the Peace, Clergy, Gentlemen, Grand Jury, Freeholders, and other Inhabitants of the County of Surrey, assembled at their General Quarter Sessions of the Peace holden at Ryegate, in and for the said County, on Tuesday the 30th Day of April 1717, has been presented to His Majesty by Sir Nicholas Carew, Bart. accompanied by several Gentlemen of the said County, introduced by his Grace the Duke of Richmond, and they had all the Honour to kiss his Majesty's Hand.

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

*Madrid, June 7.* Some Days ago the Court removed from Segovia to the Escorial. Letters from Cadiz advise, that the Squadron designed for the Levant, consisting of 12 Men of War and four Frigates, will be ready to put to Sea the Middle of this Month. This Court having lately sent to forbid Sig. Aldobrandi, the Pope's Nuncio, to enter Spain, did at the same Time dispatch a Courier to the Pope to acquaint him with the Reasons of that Prohibition: That Courier is come back, and the Pope having complied with some Demands of this Court, Notice is sent to the Nuncio, who stays on the Frontier, that he may now come; and he is expected here in a few Days.

*Berne, June 12.* The Chancellor of this State is returned from Buren, whither he was sent lately on the Part of this Canton to confer with a Minister of the Bishop of Porrentru upon the Affair of Neuveville, which has been so long in Dispute between this State and the Bishop, and that Matter is now in a fair Way of Accommodation, that Prelate having given up most of the Points he has hitherto insisted upon. The French Ambassadour at Soleurre has paid to

each Canton one Year's Arrear of Pension; and the Deputy of this Canton, which went thither some Days ago to receive the Money, is returned. Letters from Savoy give an Account of the Arrival of the King of Sicily and the Prince of Piemont at Chambery, and that the Queen was expected there as soon as her Health would permit: That the King upon his Arrival had made several Alterations, that he had suppressed the Chamber of Accounts, and had appointed Intendants, as in France, through all the Districts of Savoy.

*Vienna, June 9.* The Imperial Army in Hungary has not yet made a y Motion: But the last Letters from Prince Eugene have put us in Expectation that he will very soon attempt to pass the Danube, which must necessarily be done before the Siege of B grade or any other Enterprize can be formed. Prince Maximilian, the d Son of the Landgrave of Hesse-Cassel, arrived here last Night; but the Regiment of 2300 Men which his Father sends under his Command to serve in Hungary, will not be there till the 20th Instant: This Prince is to be made a Lieutenant General.

*Brussels, June 19.* This Morning the Marquis de Prié received Letters by a Courier, who left Vienna the 10th Instant, advising, that Prince Eugene of Savoy was to march the 9th with the Imperial Army from the Camp at Futack, and to be joined by the Body under the Command of Count Mercy; that on the 15th his Highness designed to pass the Danube near Semendria, below Belgrade, under Cover of several Ships of War; that it was generally believed the Turks are not in a Condition to oppose his Passage, but in Case they should attempt it, 'tis said that Prince has 80 flat-bottomed Boats which were built last Winter at Ratisbonne, each of them large enough to carry 200 Men, sufficiently covered by Planks and Woolbacks from the Fire of small Arms. In these the Prince can carry over a Body of 16000 Foot, with which he proposes to take Post under Cover of the Cannon of the Ships of War, and to make a Bridge for the Passage of the whole Army, which 'tis said consists of 50000 Horse and Dragoons, and 70000 Foot, besides the Hungarians, Rascians and Wallachians, who together make above 20000 Men. The Marquis has also received a Letter of the 14th from Prince Kourakin at Paris,

'tis, acquainting him that the Czar intends to leave that Place the 20th; that he proposed to pass by Charleville, and Namur; from whence he is to go down the Maese to Maestricht, and see Bois-le Duc in his Return to Holland. The Marquis has given Orders to receive his Czarish Majesty with all Marks of Honour, and to defray his Expences. There is also a Detachment of 25 Horse sent to Namur, to attend him to Maestricht. The Magistrates of this Town finding the Nations continue in their Obstinacy, have thought proper to put off the Assembly, which was to have been this Day; and 'tis not yet known when they will meet again. In the mean Time Things remain in great Confusion. On this Day Seven night they had in the Walloon Brabant the greatest Storm of Lightning, Thunder and Hail, that has been known in the Memory of Man; which has destroyed all the Corn and Fruits of five Villages between Namur and Nivelles. The Lightning burnt down several Houses, and the Hail broke the Tiles and Slates of a great Number of others; and Abundance of Cattle were killed in the Fields. It is affirmed that some of the Hail-Stones being taken up, after they had lain a considerable while on the Ground, weighed Three Pounds.

*Hague, June 22.* The States of the Province of Holland will assemble to Morrow; one main Part of their Business will be to fix on the 20 Swiss Companies which are to be broke, the Naming wher of has occasioned great Disputes by the Interest of the Parties concerned. It is expected here that the Czar will come to Amsterdam, in his Return from Paris, and go from thence to Hambourg. Two Days ago M. Copanitz, a Polish Starost, who had been sent to the Czar in the Name of the Republick, to desire that the Muscovite Troops might be removed out of Poland, returned hither, and is gone to Day to Saxony, having, as he says, succeeded in his Commission. The Provinces of Zealand and Over-Yffel having also agreed to the Project of Accommodation with the Elector of Cologne, 'tis believed that whole Affair will be settled to Day.

*St. James's, June 15.*

On the 10th Instant His Majesty went to Hampton-Court, saw the Horse-Races at Guilford the next Day, and on the 12th returned hither.

Yesterday His Majesty, with his Royal Highness the Prince, took a Review of the Regiments of Foot Guards in Hide-Park.

*Admiralty-Office, June 12, 1717.*

*The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having received a Paper signed J. B. relating to Abuses and Irregularities committed on board one of His Majesty's Ships; their Lordships do hereby give Notice, that if the Person who sent the said Letter will attend them at their Office and make out what he alleges, he shall have all fitting Encouragement and Protection.*

*The Court of Directors of the united Company of Merchants of England, trading to the East-Indies, do hereby give Notice, that a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East-India House in Leadenhall-Street, London, on Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup> of this Instant June, at Eleven in the Forenoon; and that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up from Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> Instant, till Tuesday the 16<sup>th</sup> of July next; and that the Annuity Warrants due at Midsummer will be ready to be delivered to the Adventurers on Thursday the 11<sup>th</sup> of the said July.*

*The Committee for letting the City's Lands in the Account of the Chamberlain of the City of London give Notice, that they intend to Let by Lease the Profits arising by the Monument on New Fish-Street-Hill; and a Tenement and Garden at the upper End of Gold's-Square in-Gratched-Friers, in Possession of Mrs. Thornbury, and several Tenements in Chain-Alley adjoining: And that the said Committee will sit in the Council-Chamber of the Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 19<sup>th</sup> Instant, at Four in the Afternoon, to receive Proposals for the Premises severally; of which more particular Information may be had at the Comptroller's Office in the Guildhall aforesaid.*

#### Advertisements.

†† The Present State of Europe, containing an Historical and Political Account of the Interests, Pretensions, and Transactions of the several Courts: I the Month of May, 1717. Vol. 28 To be continued Monthly from the Original Published at the Hague. Printed for H. Rhodes, at the Corner of Bride-lane in Fleet-Street, and the Assize of Eliz. Harris.

There are two Holes in Well Court in Queen-Street, Cheap side, one in the Possession of Mr. Trent, the other where the Clarity-School is kept; to be sold by Vertue of a Decree of the Court of Exchequer, before John Harding, Esq; Deputy-Remembrancer, at the Exchequer Office in the Inner-Temple.

His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales hath been graciously pleased to grant, by Warrant, to Mr. Joseph Fletcher at the King's-Arms in St. Paul's Church-Yard, to be his Leather-Gilder and Screen-Maker; who is also Leather-Gilder to His Majesty.

Report from a Lady's Side, Tuesday the 11th Instant, between eight and nine at Night, in Kennington-Gardens, a Gold Repeating Watch-Case pierced and grav'd: Whoever brings it to the Head Gardener at Kennington, or to Mr. Jolly, a Taylor, in Panton-Square near the Hay-Market, or to Mr. Chamberlain, Watchmaker, at the Corner of Mark-Lane, Tower-Street, shall receive two Guineas Reward; and no Questions asked.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Samuel Cleaveland, late of Tiverton, in the County of Devon, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, John Dickinson, of London, Salter, is made Assignee of his Estate and Effects; This is to give Notice to all Persons who are indebted to the said Bankrupt's Estate, or have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, that they forthwith pay and deliver the same to the said John Dickinson, or to Mr. John Richards, of Tiverton aforesaid, Attorney at Law, one of the Commissioners in the said Commission named, or they will be sued for the same.

Whereas Kyle Holmes, late of Covent-Garden in the County of Middlesex, Laceman, hath assigned over all his Estate to Mr. Thomas Brook, of New-Street, London, Gold and Silver Wyer-Drawer; Mr. J. Hughes of Woods-Close, London, Silver-Spinner, and Mr. Daniel Malory of Aldersgate-Street, London, Wyer-Drawer, in Trust for themselves and all others, Creditors of the said Holmes: This is to give Notice to all Persons indebted to the said Holmes, or have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, that they forthwith pay and deliver the same to the said Assignees, or one of them, or they will be sued.

These Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Lant, late of Namptwich, in the County of Chester, Chapman, intend to meet on Monday the 11<sup>th</sup> of July next, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate, at the House of Benjamin Davies, being the Sign of the Ship in Watergate-Street in Chester aforesaid; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts and paid their Contribution-Money, are then to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.