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Venice, May 27.

ON the 24th Instant, a Number of Transports sailed for Dalmatia, having on board 800 Men from Parma to recruit the Regiments of that Prince which are in the Service of the Republick, as also large Stores of Ammunition and Provisions. Other Transports are getting ready for Corfu, which are to carry 2000 Recruits, with the Battallion of Treviso consisting of 500 Men, and are to be convoyed by the St. Andrew and St. Peter d'Alcantara, Men of War of the second Rate. Yesterday the Doge went to the Lido, and performed the Annual Ceremony of Marrying the Sea; on which Occasion he gave a magnificent Entertainment to the Company that attended him.

Vienna, May 28. We have Advice from Passarowitz, that the Plenipotentiaries have agreed that during the Time the Conferences for treating of Peace shall be held there, no Hostilities shall be committed within two Leagues round that Place. On the 15th Instant the Turkish Ambassadors dispatched a Courier for Adrianople by the Way of Nissa; and the next Day the Imperial Ministers sent an Express to this Court, where a great Council having been held on the 23d in the Emperour's Presence, the same Messenger was sent back again to Passarowitz. 'Tis said that the full Powers of the Turkish Ambassadors not being in the requisite Form, the opening of the Congress will be delayed till the Return of the Courier from the Ottoman Court. Letters from Belgrade of the 20th Instant, say the Imperialists had begun to draw together at Semlin; and that all the Troops were to be in the Camp within 10 Days, in order to the forming of the Army the Beginning of next Month. Prince Eugene waits only for the Emperour's Orders to set out for Hungary.

Berne, June 1. Several Copies of a Libel having been dispersed lately in this City, reflecting upon certain Members of this State, and tending towards stirring up a Sedition amongst the Citizens, a strict Inquiry is making to find out the Author; and a Proclamation was issued out some Days ago by the Sovereign Council, promising a Reward of 1000

Crowns to any Person that should discover the said Author; and, besides this Reward, a full Pardon to any one, who having had a Hand in it, should declare who was the principal Contriver of it; but hitherto nothing has been discovered. It is advised from Basil, that the Marquis D'Avarey Ambassador of France to the Helvetick Body, had passed by Hunninguen in his Way to Paris, from whence he is expected back at Soleure in a few Weeks. They write from Milan the 24th past, that the Governour caused the new Fortifications of that City to be carried on with all Diligence, and that 400 Men had been sent to Mantua, and as many to Pizzighetone, to finish the several Outworks with which those two Places are ordered to be strengthened. The Two Cantons of Zurich and Berne having agreed upon an Answer to be made to the Emperour's last Letter concerning the Complaints and Pretensions of the Bishop of Constance, the same was transmitted some Days ago to the Court of Vienna. By this Answer the Two Cantons endeavour to clear themselves of the Accusation the said Bishop had laid to their Charge, as if they infringed the Jurisdiction he has in the County of Torgaw, (of which the Two Cantons, together with the Six other old ones, are joint Sovereigns;) and they attribute the ill Opinion the Emperour has conceived of them, to the groundless insinuations of some Persons, desiring his Imperial Majesty not to give any more Credit to the sinister Representations of their Enemies, who would make them pass for turbulent, unjust and ambitious People. At Baden the Conferences continue, and 'tis not doubted but the Treaty will now soon be perfected.

Hague, June 10. On the 8th Instant the Earl of Cadogan, His Britannick Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary, set out from hence at 11 in the Morning to go to Delft, where he was entertained with a Dinner by the States of the Province of Holland. Between Three and Four in the Afternoon, his Excellency came in one of the States Yachts to a Bridge on the other Side of Ryswick, where he was received and complimented by M. Eckhout and Taminga, two Deputies of the States General, on the Part of their High Mightinesses. His Excellency

lepsy went into the States first Coach drawn by eight Horses, and placed himself in the Back Seat; the two Deputies sat over against him in the Fore Seat. After this Coach came his Excellency's two Swifs, each having his great Staff with a large Silver Head: These were followed by 24 Footmen walking two and two in very rich Liveries: Then came his Excellency's Gentleman of the Horse, followed by 12 Pages on Horseback clothed in Scarlet richly laced with very fine silver Galloon, wearing white Feathers in their Hats; next came 12 Gentlemen on Horseback in very rich and splendid Habits. Then came the Ambassadour's first Coach, which was extremely magnificent, drawn by eight Horses in very rich Harnes. Three other of his Excellency's Coaches, each drawn by six Horses, followed: And then came a Train of about 80 Coaches, some with six Horses, others with four, and very few with two. Thus accompanied and attended, the Ambassadour was conducted to Prince Maurice's House, whence the two Deputies going immediately to the Assembly of the States General, their High Mightinesses sent a solemn Deputation of eight of their Members, being two for the Province of Holland, and one for each of the other Provinces, besides the Greffier M. Fagel, to compliment his Excellency in the Name of the Republick. They were received at the Top of the Stairs, and after they had made their Compliment were accompanied back thither, by his Excellency; and then they returned to the Assembly to make their Report. His Excellency's whole Equipage was very splendid and magnificent, and was judged by all to be of a noble and beautiful Contrivance. There was a vast Concourse of Strangers on this Occasion, the Streets through which his Excellency passed were all crowded, and the Windows filled with Spectators, yet there was not the least Disturbance or Disorder. To Morrow his Excellency will be conducted with the same Ceremonies to his Audience. On the 7th Lieutenant General Colliers took the Oath of Fidelity to the States, upon his being made Governour of Namur; and Yesterday the like Oath was taken by M. Coutier, who is made Governour of Surinam. The Squadron designed for the Baltick is not yet sailed out of the Texel, but is to take the first Opportunity to put to Sea.

Horse-Guards, May 31, 1718.

Whereas according to several Publications in the Gazette, the Field Officers, Captains and Agents of the respective Regiments therein named, have appeared at the Great Chamber of the Horse-Guards, and given an Account of the Qualifications of the Officers of the respective Regiments to which they did belong; and whereas several Officers who were on the List of Half Pay for the Year 1717, have not as yet been found to be qualified according to the Prescriptions laid down in the late Act of Parliament in that Behalf: These are to give Notice, that a List of the Names of all the Officers of the Regiments which have been already examined, whose Qualifications have not been proved (except such whose Cases have been lately examined) is affixed to the Door of the said Great Chamber, in order to their appearing, or appointing proper Persons to answer for them, on Friday the 13th Instant, at Ten in the Morning.

Advertisements.

TO be sold, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Robert Hordford, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Synners Inn, Two Annuities on Tonnage, &c. granted Anno 1706. for 99 Years, the one 10 l. and the other 20 l. per Annum, and two Messuages, with Out-Houses, &c. being Copyhold, one lying at Edgware, and the other at Elkhire, in the County of Middlesex; Particulars may be had at the said Master's Chambers.

TO be sold before John Bennett, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, at his House in Chancery-lane, on Thursday the 12th of June Instant, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve in the Forenoon, two Messuages situate in St. James's-Place in St. James's-Street, Westminster; held by Lease, wherein 33 Years are to come, late the Estate of the Right Honourable Dorothy Countess Dowager of Arran, deceased; a Particular whereof may be had at the said Master's House. And the Creditors of the said Countess are hereby required forthwith to come before the said Master, and to prove their Debts.

Notice is hereby given to the Bond and other Creditors of Joshua Everhien, Gent. deceased, that, pursuant to a Decree and other Orders of the High Court of Chancery, they are to come in and prove their several Debts before John Meller, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-Inn in Chancery-lane, by the last Day of next Trinity Term; otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Decree.

Whereas Margery Innes, Executrix of Michael Innes deceased, has assigned unto Messieurs Cornelius Noortwyck and Edmund Ogden, of London, Merchants, all her Right and Title; and to the Estate and Effects of Michael Innes aforesaid, and which is since confirmed by an Order of the High Court of Chancery: This is therefore to give Notice to all Persons that are any ways indebted to the said Estate, or have any Goods or Effects of the said Michael Innes in their Hands, that they forthwith pay and deliver the same to the said Cornelius Noortwyck and Edmund Ogden, or they will be sued; And if any Person or Persons have any Demand on the said Estate, and have not yet delivered in the same, they are hereby desired to bring such Demand in Writing, or before the 31st of July next, to the said Cornelius Noortwyck, at his House in Angel-Court in Throgmorton-Street behind the Royal Exchange; about which Time also a Dividend is intended to be made.

THE Trustees of the Estate of Philip Bask, late of Ludgate-Hill, London, Mercer, being ready to make a Dividend of the said Bask's Estate; The Creditors are desired to come to Mr. Langley Hill, Attorney, in Watling-Street, London, on Tuesday the 10th Instant, or at any Time afterwards, to execute a proper Deed in order to receive their Dividend.

Whereas it hath been represented unto us, that divers false and groundless Reports have been by some malicious Persons spread abroad, that the Spaw at the Town of Scarborough, in the County of York, hath lost its ancient Spring, or that it's altered and spoiled by the Mixture of some other Water that hath been let into it; which Reports have been raised or given out with Intent to prevent Persons from resorting to the said Spaw, and drinking the Waters there; we therefore the Bailiffs, his Majesty's Justices of the Peace of and for the Corporation of Scarborough aforesaid, several Gentlemen, Strangers, now drinking the Waters there, and also divers of the principal Inhabitants of the said Corporation, whose Names are hereunto subscribed, do hereby certify, that such Reports are false and groundless, the Spaw Water being no ways changed or altered, but issueth out from the same mineral Spring that it always did, without being joined or mixed with any other Water whatsoever, continuing to have the same incomparable Virtues it ever had, as many Gentlemen and others, now drinking the same, do hereby testify, by subscribing their Names with us hereunto, this 27th of May, 1718. Pha. Foord, Ralph Porter, Bailiffs; Hen. Docker, Vicar; John Robinson, Robert Raine, Ed. Carter, Tim. Fyfe, John Craven, Rich. Thorpe, John Vincent, Med. Culmer, Cockerill, Rob. Hart, John Pole, Jo. Neale, Tho. Neale, Rawson Hart; Will. Denton, Rob. Midgley, Joseph Lazenby, George Wildbore, John Walker, Richard Donn, Peter Walker, Will. Wenman, Tho. Lampkin and Ja. Swaine.

THIS is to give Notice to all Persons that have left in the Hands of Mary Metcalfe (who lately lived at the Crown, and Scepter in Holborn) Goldsmith, deceased, any Plate, Rings or Watches, that they fetch them at the Place aforesaid, or else they will be disposed of within three Months.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Christopher Bell, of London, Cordwainer, intend to meet on the 12th of June Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, 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 Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

