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Lisbon, February 20, N. S.

WE have Advice here, that the Spaniards have agreed to succour the Maltese with 3000 Foot, in lieu of the Men of War which they had promised to furnish them with; and this Court is inclined to supply the Island of Malta with a Sum of Money, instead of the Four Men of War which were expected from his Portuguese Majesty. Our last Letters from Cadiz mention, that His Britannick Majesty's Ship the Falmouth was gone up to Genoa, as was the Panther to Port-Mahon. The Leopard, Colchester, and Lime are in this Harbour. The Infanta Donna Maria, eldest Daughter of their Portuguese Majesties, lies at this Time ill of the Small-Pox; but it proves of the best Sort, and her Royal Highness is thought out of all Danger.

Vienna, Feb. 13. Letters from Constantinople of the 12th of January advise, that the Pasha of Babylon had confirmed the Account of the Affairs of Persia, sent by the Pasha of Van; though they were still in Doubt as to some Particulars relating to the Death of the late King and of his Children. Certain it is, that Mirvicz has been declared King; and the Porte has received Advice, that he proposes to send soon an Ambassy thither, to confirm the Peace between the two Empires.

Paris, Feb. 27. Instead of the Council of Regency a Royal Council is formed, consisting of his Royal Highness the Duke of Orleans, the Duke of Chartres, the Duke of Bourbon, the Cardinal du Bois, and the Bishop of Frejus. M. Galiczin is arrived here, and is making Preparations to go to Madrid, where he is to reside as Minister of the Czar.

Whitehall, Feb. 25. This Day the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen of the City of London waited on His Majesty at St. James's, and Mr. Recorder made their Compliments of Congratulation to His Majesty on the Birth of the young Princess. They also waited on his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales at Leicester-House, and Mr. Recorder made their Compliments of Congratulation to his Royal Highness on the same happy Occasion.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have appointed, That all Contributors or Adventurers in the present Malt-Lottery for raising Money for the Service of the Year 1723, do pay one Moiety of the Sum which they shall think fit to contribute, to some one of the Cashiers of the Bank of England, (whom their Lordships have appointed Receivers thereof) on or before the 28th Day of February Instant; and the other Moiety on or before the 25th Day of March following. — The Certificates for Blank Tickets in the last Lottery will be taken in Payment at Eight Pounds per Ticket.

Navy-Office, Feb. 20, 1722.

The Passing the Accounts of the late Treasurer of the Navy being carried on at this Office with all the Expedition that may be, it is recommended to such Persons as have had any Bills assigned upon them by the Navy-Board, and have not yet received their Money for the said Bills, forthwith to call for the same. And all Persons who have any Imprest standing out against them and no Bills or Accounts in this Office to clear the said Imprest, are advised to bring in their Bills or Accounts with all possible Speed to Discharge them, that so the said Imprests may not be brought to Account and returned into the Exchequer as otherwise they will be. Likewise such Persons as have passed their Accounts and have not taken up their Imprests, are exhorted to carry their perfect Bills to the late Treasurer's Office, and take up their Imprests.

Virtualing-Office, Feb. 25, 1722.

Notice is hereby given, that all the short Allowance Lists of His Majesty's Ships under-mentioned, on which Payments were made in the Years 1700, 1701, 1701, 1703,