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*Plymouth, Feb. 16.*

**T**HE 14 instant arrived here the *Ann* and *Judith*, with Oyles from *Gallipoli*, together with the *Simon* and *Francis* from *Leghorne*, the *England* from *Smirna*, and several other Merchant men, bound for *London*; this day came in here the *Mary Rose* Captain *Davis* Commander from the *Streights*.

*Portsmouth, Feb. 18.* The *Gloster* Frigate Captain *Holmes* Commander, is now under sayl for the *Spirhead*. Here is arrived the *Hampshire*, Captain *Beach* Commander from the *Downs*.

*Venice, Jan. 12.* By a Vessel arrived from *Zant*, we have advice, that the Body of the *Baylo Molino*, late Ambassador on the part of this Republick at the Port, was arrived there from *Constantinople*, so that we may suddainly expect it here, the Senate having ordered, that in consideration of the many and good services of that Minister, his Body shall be interred at the publick charge, with all the pomp and solemnity due to his worth and quality. There are lately gone hence for the three Isles, viz. *Zant*, *Cefalonia*, and *S. Laura*, three Vessels laden with Provisions for the use of those Inhabitants, who begin to be in some want of them; by reason their Neighbours in the *Morea*, have of late omitted to furnish them with these necessaries, they alleadging, that they are ordered by the Grand Signior to send all the provisions they themselves can possibly spare, for the use of his Army. By a Vessel arrived from *Constantinople*, we are told, that they met in their passage hither a French Frigate, on board of whom was the French Envoy going thither. The first instant arrived here in the Evening an Extraordinary Courier, with Letters to the Popes Nuncio from the Governor of *Ferrara*, whereupon the said Nuncio sent immediately to desire Audience of the Colledge the next morning, who notwithstanding the Festival, accordingly assembled, as thinking it some matter of great importance which the Nuncio had to communicate to them, as indeed it seemed at first, he acquainting them of a design the Governor of *Ferrara* apprehended the Captain of *Padoua* had upon that place, though it is since found, to have been grounded upon a mistake. The Prince *John Frederick* of *Brunswick*, is preparing for his return home.

We had expected here the 10 instant the Duke of *Marzone*, but since hear, that he hath upon particular considerations, changed his resolutions as to that journey. The Christian Gallies desist not from doing considerable mischief to the Inhabitants in the *Archipelago*, though in the mean time the Captain *Bassa*, who is at present with his Fleet at *Candia*, declares, that he daily expects there great succors from the *Black Sea*, and other parts in the *Ottoman Territories*; that then he will put to Sea with a Force sufficiently able to clear those Seas.

The Fleet of this Republick is at present at *Zant*, consisting of twenty Gallies and two Gallieses. From *Naples* they write, that *Don Pedro d' Arragon*, having advice that the *Marquis d' Asarga* had left

*Rome*, and was on his way to that Government, had sent several persons of quality to receive him on the Frontiers, all other preparations suitable being making for his reception there. The preparations of the Grand Signior, according to our advices from the Port go on apace; those Ministers declaring, they are intended against *Poland*, yet whilst several of the Hungarian Rebels seem to be in great credit with the Grand Visier, it is feared, they may endeavor to put him upon some other design.

*Copenhagen, Jan. 31.* The English Envoy *Mr. Bartue* having successfully concluded his Negotiation here, is gone hence on his return home. Tomorrow Count *Oxenferne*, Envoy Extraordinary from the Crown of *Sweden*, will have Audience of the King; it is said, his Errand is not onely to Compliment their Majesties upon the Birth of the young Prince, but likewise to offer the Mediation of the King his Master, for the concluding some differences depending between our King and the Duke of *Holstein Gottorp*.

*Dantzicke, Feb. 6.* At *Warsaw* the Dyet hath been several days assembled, but hath as yet done nothing considerable; our Letters from thence tell us, that the Vice Chancelor, the Bishop of *Gulme*, finding his Enemies to grow daily in power, and that they prepared several complaints to bring in to the Dyet this Session against him, was retired to his Diocese, endeavoring by that means to take away, as far as in him lay, all occasion of interrupting the debates of the Dyet, which his presence might perhaps give them, by being forced to take notice, in case he should have staid, of several things, done to his prejudice and dishonor.

The King having assembled the Senate to advise with them, concerning the Ratification of the late Treaty concluded with the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, they were most of opinion, that the King should forthwith Ratifie it, and by that means engage, in the present conjuncture, the friendship and assistance of that Prince; but that the King continued resolved to the contrary, saying he ought first to have satisfaction in several matters from the Elector.

The Polish Ambassadors at *Moscow* advance very little in their negotiation there, the main point of it being concerning the restitution of *Kivovia*, which the Muscovites by all their proceedings plainly discover they will never freely part with.

*Vienna, Feb. 7.* The fourth instant the Turkish Chiaus had his last Audience of the Count *de Montecuculi*, President of the Council of War, of whom he received his Letters to the Grand Visier, of which the particulars are not certainly said farther, then that the Emperor hath declared he cannot permit any Foreign Troops passage through his Countries; the next day the said Chiaus went hence, having been presented by the Emperors order with several pieces of Plate and other things, to the value of 2000 Crowns.

The Emperor having sent his orders to *Cassovia* in *Upper Hungary*, for the admitting several persons into the chief Government and Magistracy of that place

place, in the room of such as were of the Reformed Religion; we are told, of some disturbance that had happened thereupon, but that General *Spenshaw* after having committed the principal abettors of it to Prison, had caused the said orders to be punctually executed.

*Rome, Feb. 6.* The Marquis *d' Astorgas* Ambassador from the Crown of *Spain*, being now on his departure for *Naples*, On Sunday last Father *Nishard* now Archbishop of *Edessa*, was to wait upon his Holiness, being presented by the said Marquis as his Successor in the Embassy; and the next day had publick Audience in that Quality, whether he was conducted with the Ceremonies usually practised on the like occasions. On Wednesday the said Marquis, was Conducted in the Popes Coaches, followed by his Guards, and accompanied with several Cardinals, and other persons of the most eminent Quality of this Court, to the Popes Palace, where he took his leave of his Holiness, and was afterwards entertained at a splendid dinner, as Vice-Roy of *Naples*, as he was the next day by the Cardinal *Altieri*; after which and the performance of all other Ceremonies and Respects, due to him as Vice Roy, he departed on his way towards *Naples*, having been accompanied some miles out of Town by many persons of Quality.

*Hambrough, Feb. 12.* The *Sieur Brasser* Envoy from the States General of the United Provinces, having been at *Walsenbuttel* and *Zell*, to confer with those Dukes on the part of the States his Masters, is gone to *Hanover* on the same account. The *Sieur Habens*, Resident here for the Crown of *Danemarck*, is lately gone for *Zell*, upon what occasion is not certainly said.

Our Magistrates continue very jealous of the preparations of our Neighbours, especially those, who are known to have pretences upon this place; and have, as is said, resolved to raise 1000 Foot, for the greater security of the place. From *Warsaw* they write, that the Minister residing there on the part of the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, had of late very much pressed the Ratification of the Treaty of *Bidostia*; with that Elector, but that his Majesty made still some difficulty in it, notwithstanding the advice of the Senate to the contrary. We are told, that the Magistrates of *Elbing*, apprehending some design on foot to their prejudice, are setting all hands at work for the repairing their Fortifications, and the putting the place into a good posture of defence.

The Poles begin to be at length sensible, that the great preparations the Grand Signior is making are certainly intended against them, inasmuch, that several of the Palatinates, who seem to lye most exposed, have sent to desire his Majesty, to issue out his Mandatory Letters for the calling all the Nobility into the Field, for the defence of the Kingdom, obtaining this answer of the King, that his care should never be wanting for their security, and that he doubted not but the Dyet now assembled would effectually assist him for the providing for it.

*Cologne, Feb. 16.* The Troops of the Circle of *Westphalia*, are at present all arrived here. It is said, that the Officers of the said Forces have demanded several immunities of our Magistrates, which it is thought however they will hardly obtain. We are at present busied about executing what was agreed in the late Treaty, concerning the two Brothers, *Sulzen*, as likewise the execution of the Official; to which end, we are now, as our Elector is likewise doing on his part, making choice of the persons, learned in the Law, who according to the

Treaty are to conclude that affair. Here are at present in Town several persons of quality, Officers of the French Troops quartered in the parts hereabouts.

The next Month is appointed a general Assembly of the Circle of *Westphalia*, to be held at *Doersburgh*, as is thought, concerning the present posture of affairs. From *Ratisbonne* they write, that the Dyet had at length made choice of six persons, who are to have the care of the Military affairs of the Empire, and be a standing Council for War. The Bishop of *Munster* we hear, raises Men apace, besides the Forreign Troops which march daily down towards his Territories.

The Duke of *Luxembourg* is arrived at *Keyserwaert*, we being likewise told, of several French Troops that are to be quartered there; from thence the said Duke intends for *Bon*, where will be held an extraordinary Council for War. Prince *Wittem* of *Furstenbergh* is marched with his Regiment at *Nuis*. Monsieur *Vorjus* the French Minister, continues still in these parts.

*Paris, Feb. 24.* Little *Madamoiselle*, the Kings Daughter, hath been taken extrem ill, so far, that her recovery is almost despaired. It is now certainly said, that the Count *de Conningsmark*, is appointed by the Regency of *Sweden*, to come and reside here as Ambassador Extraordinary on the part of that Crown.

The *Conde de Molins*, Ambassador from the Crown of *Spain*, hath not as yet had his publick Audience, but may very suddenly. The *Heer de Groot*, the Dutch Ambassador, is still here, but is preparing for his return. It is now certainly discourd at Court, that the Prince *de Condé* is to Command in chief the Kings Forces this Campaign, and under him his Son the Duke *d' Enghien*.

*Paris, Feb. 27.* Monsieur *Groot*, Ambassador from the States General of the United Provinces, having sent to desire of Monsieur *de Pomponne* the necessary passes, in order for the transporting his Goods for *Holland*, received, as is said, for answer, that they should be ready for him, but that his Goods must be first visited by the Officers of the Custom House, in order to their receiving the usual Duties; and that he, the Ambassador, might have his Audience of leave of the King, so soon as he thought fit.

The King hath nominated the *Sieur Barillon*, Master of Requests, to be Intendant of his Army. From the Electorate of *Cologne* they write, that the French Troops in Garrison at *Bon*, *Nuis*, *Keyserwaert*, and *Kempen*, having by reason of the closeness of the places, contracted some distempers, had been thereupon removed, part of them, out of that Town, and quartered in the Neighbouring Villages, which had much eased them, and been a means of their recovering to their former health.

#### Advertisements,

A Young man named *Thomas Wisdel*, about 27 years old, of a short Stature, black Complexion, being Scarred with several White Scars on one side of his Chin, and the lower part of his Cheek, whereon to hair grows, wearing a Periwigg, and having under it very short black Rabbed harsh hair, and a gentle person; upon Monday the 19 of February instant, about six of the Clock in the afternoon, ran away from his Father with things of value; if you can discover him, you are desired to secure his Person, and forthwith give notice thereof unto *Mr. Richard Goffe*, at his House in *Wyne Office Court* in *Fleetstreet*, and you shall have five pounds for your pains.

A Coach Gelding of a dark brown colour, about 15 hand high, with a blaze down his face, and the hair worn off of the neer Shoulder, three white feet and a cut tail; stolen from the *blew Boares head* in *Kingstreet Westminster*, on Monday night being the 19 of this present February; If any Person can give notice to the Master of that Inn, they shall have three pounds for their pains.