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Petersbourg, March 4.

THE Czarina has not appeared in publick for some Days, being a little indisposed with a Pain in her Left Arm, occasioned by her having taken Cold; but as the Pain is almost gone, it is said her Majesty will appear to Morrow. Several Couriers are arrived here from Felt Marshal Count Munich, by which this Court is informed, that the Tartar Chams of Crimea, Budziack, and Bielgorod, had with them, when they came to the Borders of the Ukraine about 80000 Men; but as they have been beaten by the several different Parties of Russian Troops and Cossacks that were able to overtake them in their Retreat, it is thought, as the Country is covered with Snow, the greatest Part of those Tartars and all their Horses must perish before they can reach their respective Habitations, the Tartars of Crimea having five or six hundred Wersts to march before they can come to the Perecop, and the Tartars of Budziack and Bielgorod much farther. This Rout or Defeat of the Tartars is looked upon by this Court as an Affair of the greatest Consequence; for they say it will in great Measure extirpate those People, and perhaps oblige the Turks to make up Matters as soon as possible, since they cannot well carry on a War with Russia without the Assistance of such irregular Troops to oppose the Russian Tartars and Cossacks.

Vienna, March 22, N. S. The Bosniacks and other Turkish Militia which had besieged Ufitza, have been obliged to retire for want of Provisions; tho' not without having burnt 500 Houses in the Town of Ufitza, and in the Villages in the Neighbourhood.

Dresden, March 26, N. S. Lieutenant General Stuterhiem is to have the Command of the Saxon Troops in Hungary, and the two Majors General are to be M. Jasinuth and M. Brand. Count Wratislaus gives himself a great deal of Trouble to persuade this Court to recruit those Troops: It would require near 40000 Men to render them as compleat as they were at the Beginning of the last Campaign, and this Court does not ap-

pear at all disposed to be at that Expence: The Palatin of Lublin, Count Tarlo, is set out for Luneville: He has a Pretension of 150,000 Crowns on King Stanislaus, which he spent to serve him in Poland; and which the Court of France has promised shall be made good to him.

Navy Office, March 24, 1737.

The Rt. Hon. the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury having appointed Money for paying of Half Pay to Sea Officers from the 30th of June 1737, to the 31st of December, 1737, according to his Majesty's Establishment on that Behalf; These are to give Notice, that the said Payment will begin to be made at the Treasurer of the Navy's Office in Broad-street, at Nine a-Clock in the Morning, the following Days, viz. on Monday the 10th of next Month for the Captains, Tuesday the 11th for the Lieutenants, and Wednesday the 12th for the Masters and Surgeons, that all Persons concerned may then and there attend to receive what may become payable to them, and not only bring with them the Affidavits required, touching their not having enjoyed the Benefit of any publick Employment, either at Sea or on Shore, during the Time they are to be paid the said Half Pay, but also produce Certificates that they have subscribed to the Test, and taken the Oaths required by Act of Parliament to his present Majesty. And in Case any of the said Officers shall not be able to attend themselves to receive their Money, but employ Attorneys for that Purpose, that the said Attorneys may produce the like Certificates and Affidavits from the Persons they are employed by.

Victualling Office, March 24, 1737.

The Commissioners for Victualling His Majesty's Navy give Notice, That on Wednesday the 19th of April next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon precisely, they will be ready to receive Proposals, and treat with such Persons as are inclinable to furnish Iron Hoops for the Service of His Majesty's Navy.

General Post-Office, Feb. 22, 1737.

Whereas the Post Boy, bringing the Bristol Mail to London, was set upon and robbed by a single Person on Foot, Yesterday about Seven o'Clock in the Evening, at the End of Sunning Lane, two Miles on this Side of Reading. The Postmaster General thinks proper to make it publickly known, that whoever shall apprehend the Person who committed this Robbery, will, upon Conviction, be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Accomplice in the said Robbery shall make a Discovery of the Person who committed the Fact, such Accomplice will be entit-

(Price Two Pence.)