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Petersbourg, August 8.

LAST Saturday Night Felt Marshal Munich's Adjutant General arrived at Peterhoff with Letters dated the 24th of July, by which his Excellency informs her Majesty, that the Turkish Army was on the other Side of the River Dniester, so that they did not seem willing to hazard a Battle, at least on this Side the River, as he expected they would. The Day before the Courier set out, above 15000 Tartars and Turkish Horse had attacked the Felt Marshal's Advance Guard, but were repulsed with great Loss.

From the Camp of the Imperialists at Semendria, Aug. 22. Last Night, to the great Surprise of the Army, an Officer arrived from Orlova with an Account of the Garrison having on the 16th capitulated with the Turks to surrender the Town on the 17th. The Turks had 150 Cannon mounted, with which they kept a continual Fire till the 13th, when they summon'd the Town to surrender without having made a Breach of any Consequence; but the Garrison being reduced to 500 (the Detachment of 200 from Belgrade which got into Orlova the 10th, being included in that Number) they yielded; and marched out on the 17th, and were escorted to Vivalanka: 1300 Men of the Garrison had died of the Scurvy since the 15th of July; and there is Reason to believe the Plague also was rise in the Place.

Vienna, Aug. 30, N. S. Yesterday Morning came Advice of the Surrender of Orlova to the Turks. The Grand Duke of Tuscany is not yet set out from hence for the Army.

Whitehall, September 1, 1738.

Whereas divers evil-disposed Persons have, for some time past, made a Practice of filing Guineas, and putting them off at the Bank, and other Places: His Majesty, for the apprehending the Persons concerned in filing Guineas as aforesaid, is pleased to promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward allowed by Act of Parliament, upon Conviction of each of the Persons concerned in the aforesaid Practice. And whereas some of the Persons concerned in filing of Guineas have been supplied with Engines for edging or milling the Guineas after they have been filed as aforesaid,

by one or more Persons that have made the same for the Purposes aforesaid; His Majesty, for the apprehending any Person or Persons concerned in the making or mending any Engine or Instrument made for the edging or milling any of the Gold Coin of this Kingdom, doth promise the like Reward, upon Conviction of each of the Persons concerned in making or mending any Instrument made for the Purposes aforesaid. And whereas John Carter, Francis Kelham, David Roberts, and Joseph Benson, against whom Informations have been taken upon Oath, have, since the Discovery of these Facts, left their Habitations, and absconded: His Majesty is pleased to promise the like Reward for the apprehending each of them, upon their or either of their being convicted; and, as a further Encouragement, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any Person who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Facts.

HARRINGTON.

John Carter is a tall thin Man, of a pale Complexion, and is lame of one Foot which turns inwards; he is a Watch-Graver by Trade, formerly kept an Ale-house in West-Smithfield, but lodged last at the Duke's Head in St. John's Square.

Francis Kelham, a little Man with a red Complexion, who lately kept the Rose and Crown Ale-house in Bartholomew Clofe, till he absconded. They have both been frequently seen at Horse Races, Gaming-Tables, Hazard, Cockfighting Matches.

David Roberts, by Trade a Carpenter, about 5 Foot 8 or 9 Inches high, of a fairish fresh Complexion, about 35 Years of Age, who kept the Coach and Horses Inn in the City of Coventry about two Years ago, since lodged in Bath Fields, London, afterwards as one Williams, a Coandler on Saffron Hill, afterwards moved and kept a House in the Market-place, Hoxton, from thence moved to the Broad Sunbury, Westminster, from thence to the Mulberry Garden in St. George's Fields, Southwark, from thence to Wood's Clofe near Clerkenwell; his last Habitation was near the Three Hats, Islington.

Joseph Benson, about 5 Foot 6 Inches high, between 60 and 70 Years old, stoops a little, wears a Wig, and his Hair pretty long under it, and is a thin spare Man, born near Naresborough in Yorkshire, by Trade a Gunsmith, noted for making Cross Bows, formerly lived in Dublin; his last Place of Habitation was at Carr-Hole in St. Catherine's, near the Tower. N. B. Joseph Benson is the Maker of the Engine lately found in the New River, and has made several Engines for milling the Guineas, and is reckoned by the Gunsmiths an ingenious Man at his Business. Whoever apprehends either of the said Persons, or any other Person concerned in these Practices, may apply themselves to Mr. Alston, in Surry-street in the Strand, or to Mr. North, near Fishmongers-Hall, in Thames street.

Whitehall, August 29, 1738.

Whereas the Lodging Room of William Berry, a Prisoner in the Fleet Prison, was, on the 28th Day of June