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Copenhagen, March 8.

AN Order is issued for the Reinforcement of the Army, by an Addition of 10 Men a Troop Cavalry, and eight Men a Company Infantry, to all the regular Regiments in Denmark; except those of the Horse and Foot Guards, and the Regiment of Grenadiers. And it is said the Guards and Grenadiers are soon to be augmented in like Manner. M. Bestuchef, the Czarina's Minister at this Court, has received a Letter of Notification for the King of Denmark, upon the Exchange of the Ratifications of the Treaty between Muscovy and the Porte. The late General Lewenoren having before his Death, ordered that his Funeral should be without Pomp and very private, the King himself was pleased to interpose, and in some Measure to alter those Directions: Therefore in Conformity to his Majesty's Pleasure, the Corpse, after having lain two or three Days in State, was interred here this Morning in the Church of our Lady, with Military Honours. The Ensigns of Command as General, and the Order of the Elephant, were carried before by two Colonels in two Coaches with Six Horses; twelve Majors supported the Pall; a great Gun was fired every Minute during the Procession, and the Regiment of the Prince Royal being drawn up in Parade, made several Discharges of Small Arms. The Hearse was followed by four Coaches and Six; and in that which went next to it, M. Schulin accompanied the Son of the deceased, as a Chief Mourner.

Whitehall, March 18.

His Majesty has been pleased to constitute and appoint Richard Plympton, John Jolliffe, Anthony Corbiere, and Thomas Gordon, Esqrs. together with Henry Harris, Esq; in the Room of Joseph Ferrers, Esq; deceased, to be Commissioners for granting Wine Licences.

General Post Office, March 14, 1739.

Whereas the Post-Boy, who was carrying the Worcester Mail from London to Southall, was set upon this Morning about Four of the Clock, between Audley-street End and Tyburn Turnpike, by Two Footpads, one of which was a lusty Man, in a white Cape Coat, who presented a Pistol to the said Boy, and demanding the Oxford Bag, led him into a Field against Audley-street End, opened the Mail, and took thereout the Worcester and Oxford Bags; the Worcester Bag containing the Ludlow, Tedbury, and Bromyard Letters; the Oxford Bag containing the Burford, Whitney, and Woodstock Letters.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to advertise the Publick, that whoever shall apprehend and convict, or cause to be apprehended and convicted, both or either of the Persons who committed the said Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of 200 l. besides the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen. Or if any Person, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, shall make Discovery whereby the Persons, or either of them who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer will, upon Conviction of the Party or Parties, be intitled to the same Reward, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Postmaster General.

J. D. Barbutt, Secretary.