

to the old Count of Nostitz and his Wife, and the Abbé Bastiani, to leave the Town of Breslau in twice 24 Hours, in order to repair hither, they arrived here last Saturday, and the Day before Yesterday the Countess was presented to the Queen Mother.

*Berlin, Feb. 13, N. S.* The King of Prussia arrived here on Wednesday last the 10th of this Month. The next Day he gave Audience to M. Courten, and returned in the Evening to Potzdam. It is expected that his Majesty will set out for Silesia upon the 27th by Crossen, where he proposes to make some Stay. The Marquis Valori, Minister from France, set out last Night for the Court of Dresden.

*Bonn, Feb. 12.* Count de Sade, who some Time ago was the French King's Minister here, and had received his Recredentials from the Elector, was returning hither from France with the same Character, which the Elector was no sooner informed of, than he dispatched a Courier to Versailles to desire he might be recalled, and to declare to that Court that he would not receive him. The Elector ordered the same Declaration to be made to the Count upon the Road, who nevertheless sent his Valet de Chambre hither to negotiate a more favourable Resolution, and in the mean Time came on within a Post or two of this Town, where he was seized by an Austrian Partisan, Capt. Bethune. Three Days ago we had Intelligence that the French had taken Post at Seyn, situated between Coblenz and Andernach; but last Night the Court received Advice that the French Troops were preparing to retire from the Lahn to the Naas: In the mean Time General Baronai will advance To-morrow towards Coblenz with Caroli's Regiment of Hussars.

*Bonn, Feb. 15.* We have received Intelligence, that General Smiffaert began to pass the Rhine on the 12th, and was to be followed Yesterday by the Head of the Austrian Troops. General Baronai, with all the Hussars of Caroli's Regiment, crossed the Rhine near Cologne Yesterday, of which the French must have been very well apprised, for he was no sooner on the other Side the River, than the Enemy began to shew themselves on this Side of it. Three Hundred of their Horse were seen Yesterday Morning at Odendorff, about two Leagues and a half from hence, and two or three of their free Companies are come down the Rhine into the Neighbourhood of this Town. Their Design was to rescue the Count de Sade, if they could have found him, or make Reprizals upon such Subjects as might fall in their Way. M. D'Agieu, Aide de Camp to the French King, who was some Time ago his Minister at Brussels, has been taken by a Party of Austrian Hussars, and sent to the Duke of Aremberg. Count de Sade was surprized at Zinzig, a Village belonging to the Elector Palatin. Yesterday we received Advice here, that the French have marched three or four Thousand Men into Munich, Drums beating and Colours flying.

*Ghent, Feb. 13.* According to Advices the French are come to a Resolution to demolish all the Suburbs of Lisle, but the Orders were not given two Days ago. Count Saxe is expected at Lisle about the 24th or 25th Instant. The Swiss and Irish who are in Garrison at Dunkirk are ordered to be relieved and march out, upon a Suspicion that they had a Design to have burnt the Town, which took Fire in eight several Places this Day was Sevensight. The Barrack Master is hanged on that Account. This is reported

and confirmed by Deserters for three Days past of the Swiss Regiment of Diesbach, who came through here, and all agree in the same.

*Dresden, Feb. 17.* The King of Prussia has declared his Intention of going to Silesia the 27th Instant.

*Hague, Feb. 19.* This Day the States General have appointed Prince Waldeck to command in Chief their Forces in Flanders for the next Campaign.

*Hague, Feb. 21.* The Princess Royal and the Prince of Orange arrived last Night at their House in the Wood. Her Royal Highness is declared to be with Child.

*St. James's, February 13.*

This Day Baron Haslang, Envoy Extraordinary from the late Emperor of Germany, had a Private Audience of His Majesty, to notify the Death of the Emperor; to which he was introduced by the Right Honourable the Earl of Harrington, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

*Leicester-House, Feb. 14.* This Day Baron Haslang had a Private Audience of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales; to which he was introduced by Charles Cottrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

*St. James's, Feb. 15.* This Day Baron Haslang had a Private Audience of the Duke and Princesses; to which he was introduced by Charles Cottrell, Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies.

*Lord Chamberlain's Office, Feb. 14, 1744-5.*

Orders were issued for the Court's going into Mourning on Sunday next the 17th Instant, for the late Emperor of Germany, viz.

The Men to wear Black full trimmed, black Swords and Buckles, fring'd or plain Linnen.

The Ladies to wear black Silk or Velvet, fring'd or plain Linnen, black and white Fans, and white Gloves.

*Navy-Office, Jan. 25, 1744.*

*The Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy give Notice, that on Monday the 25th of February next, in the Morning, they will be ready to treat with such Persons as are inclinable to supply the Seamen serving in his Majesty's Ships with the following Particulars, viz.*

*Jackets, Waistcoats and Breeches of Kersey, and Waistcoats and Breeches of strip'd Ticken.*

*Breeches of Shag. Shirts and Drawers of blue and white Linnen.*

*Stockings of Yarn. Caps Woollen mill'd, and Trowsers and Frocks of Osnabrag Canvas.*

*Shoes of Neats Leather, double Soled.*

*Caps of Yarn. Buckles of Brass.*

*Leather Caps and Hats.*

*And that such Persons as incline to undertake the same, may in the mean time view the Patterns of the said Cloaths at this Office, and see the Conditions of the Contract.*

*Navy Office, Feb. 13, 1744.*

*Whereas His Majesty's Ship the Victory was lost the 4th or 5th of October last in the British Channel, and, as is supposed, near the Island of Guernsey, or some where on that Coast: These are to give Notice, that if any Person or Persons can discover where the Wreck of the said Ship lies, and will inform the Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Majesty's Navy thereof, he or they shall receive from the said Principal Officers and Commissioners the Sum of One Hundred Pounds, to be paid upon its being made appear where the said Wreck lies, to the Officers of any of His Majesty's Ships or Vessels that shall be sent in Quest of the same.*