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Whitehall, May 21.

LATE last Night Mr. Dick, one of his Majesty's Messengers, arrived at his Grace the Duke of Newcastle's Office, with the Act of Accession of the Empress Queen of Hungary to the Preliminary Articles, which was signed at Aix la Chapelle by Count Kaunitz the 25th of this Instant May, N. S.

Whitehall, May 21.

On Thursday last, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, the Yachts with his Majesty sail'd from Harwich with the Wind at S. by W.

Vienna, May 11, N. S. On the 8th Instant in the Morning Zaid Effendi, Envoy Extraordinary from the Grand Signor, arrived at the Schwechat, a Mile from this Place, with a Retinue of 94 Persons, where he will remain a few Days before he comes to Prince Oetting's Palace, which is prepared for his Residence during his Stay here, which will be some Months.

Dresden, May 19, N. S. The King of Poland returned to this Place on Friday. The Leipfick Fair has proved better than was expected.

Liege, May 21, N. S. The French and Swiss Guards arrived at Brussels the 18th Instant; they are to be quartered in the Suburbs till further Orders. The Regiment Du Roy is canton'd between Louvain and Brussels. In Louvain and the Neighbourhood there will be 16000 Men; they are actually forming a large Magazine in the Town. Tirlemont, and the Villages round about it, will have 10,000 Men. The Count d'Etrees will have his Head Quarters at Ranst, about a League from Liers, where he will continue till the Peace is concluded. He commands at Vilvord, Mechlin, and along the Little Neethe till within a League of Antwerp. He hath about 20,000 Men with him, of which near 12,000 are Horse and Dragoons. They are erecting great Magazines in Vilvord, Mechlin, and Liers. The Marquis de Breze marched with his Corps the 17th towards Diest, and will be canton'd

along the Demer. There remain'd the 18th about 8 or 9000 Men camp'd about Maestricht, but they were to enter Yesterday into the Quarters assign'd them. All the Battering Cannon remain at Maestricht, as well as the greatest Part of the Field Train; but they have preserved only three Bridges, one near St. Peter's, one at Smermaes, and the flying Bridge. This State has prevail'd on the Marshal General to change the Cantonment of the Irish Brigade, who will join M. d'Etrees Corps, instead of remaining at Vifet.

Hague, May 24, N. S. The Prince of Orange has deferr'd his Journey to Breda, in order to be at Utrecht next Sunday to receive his Britannick Majesty.

Leicester-House, May 19.

This Day Signior Il Cavaliero Capello, Ambassador in Ordinary from the most Serene Republick of Venice, had a private Audience of Leave of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales; to which he was introduced by Sir Clement Cottell Dormer, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

He had afterwards a private Audience of Leave of her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales, to which he was introduced by the Master of the Ceremonies.

Admiralty-Office, April 30, 1748.

His Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the Relief of Poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth; as also with the Clerks of the Checque at Deptford, Woolwich, and Sheerness; and with the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kinsale; where all such Widows as intend to lay in their Claims, may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose. But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Mr. Thomas Riley Blanckley, at the Admiralty Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute to the

Widows,

[Price Two-pence.]