

Audience of his Polish Majesty on the 14th Instant, in that Quality, and delivered his Credential Letters. Count Alexander Sapieha, Treasurer of the Court in Lithuania, having been elected Palatin of Polock, by the Nobility of that Palatinate, his Majesty has confirmed their Choice. We hear from Pofnania, that a large Body of Robbers have been lately apprehended in the Neighbourhood of that City, and committed to Prison.

*Hanover, July 26.* We are informed by Letters from Gottingen, that the Distemper amongst the horned Cattle, which lately broke out in the Village of Weenden, is much more favourable than it has been in many other Places; notwithstanding which, the greatest Precautions are taking to prevent its spreading.

*Vienna, July 27.* Their Imperial Majesties Departure for Bohemia is fixed for the 20th of next Month. The Princess Charlotte of Lorraine is to accompany them to Prague, from whence she will proceed to the Low Countries. The Emperor having appointed Count Lichnowsky to be one of the Counsellors of the Aulick Council of the Empire, he was Yesterday Morning introduced to that Supreme Tribunal by Count Uhlefeld, Grand Master thereof, with all the Solemnity usual on such Occasions. Besides the two Camps that the Imperial Troops are to form this Summer in Bohemia, under the Command of Prince Lichtenstein and Count Brown, there is to be a third formed in Moravia, under the Command of Prince Piccolomini, which is to consist of eight Regiments.

*Copenhagen, July 27.* The Queen continues to advance happily in her Pregnancy, and 'tis expected her Majesty will be brought to Bed towards the End of September. There is a Report, that the Office of Superintendant of the Navy, will be conferred on Major General Thurah.

*Berlin, July 30.* The Lord Marshall, late Minister from this Court to that of France, arrived here last Thursday Night from Paris; and the next Day he had a private Audience of the King, in which he had the Honour of kissing his Majesty's Hand for the Government of the Town and Principality of Newschatel, which was lately conferred on him.

*Frankfort, July 31.* The Elector of Mentz, who went some Time since to the Court of the Elector Palatin, returned last Sunday Night to the Palace of the Favourite, from whence he set out the next Day for Aschaffembourg, in order to spend the Remainder of the Summer. The Deputies of the States of the Upper Rhine, who have been assembled here for some Time, have not as yet come to any Resolutions in regard to the important Affairs under their Consideration. By our last Letters from Strasbourg, the French Troops destined to form the Camp in the Neighbourhood of Plockheim, are shortly to leave their respective Quarters, and march to the Ground already marked out for their Encampment.

*Bonn, July 31.* The Elector of Cologne our Sovereign has declared his Intention of setting out next Week for Ahrensberg, in order to take the Diversion of Hunting. Count Wartenleben, Minister from the States General to divers

Princes and States of the Empire, arrived here Yesterday from Mentz, and immediately went to Poppelsdorff, to wait on the Elector. After a short Stay at this Place, he proposes to set out for the Hague, where he has obtained Leave to spend some Time.

*Brussels, July 31.* Last Friday Night a Fire broke out in the Stable of M. Hellman, Commissary at War, which soon spread itself to the Dwelling-house, and entirely consumed the same, with all its Furniture.

*Hague, August 6.* Her Royal Highness the Princess Governante has conferred on M. Willbrenninck, the Office of Receiver of the Ecclesiastical Revenues of the County of Zutphen, in the room of the late M. van Dillen. The Prince of Hesse Philipsthal, Governor of Tournay, is expected here on Friday next from Germany. Baron du Tour has taken the usual Oaths before the Council of State, to qualify himself for the Post of Captain of Horse in the Regiment of Buys. M. Henry van Hees, President of the High Council of Holland, died here this Morning, in the 71st Year of his Age. They write from Nimeguen, that Count Adrien de Linden, Grand Bailiff of the Town of Grave, and of the Country of Cuyck, died there on Saturday Morning last, in the 77th Year of his Age.

General Post Office, March 2, 1754.

Whereas the Post Boy, bringing the Kent Mail to this Office, upon Thursday the 28th of February last, was, between the Hours of Eight and Nine of the Clock in the Evening, attacked and robbed, at a Place called Snipps Hill, about a Mile beyond Sittingborn by three Footpads, one of whom fired a Pistol, seized the Horse which carried the Mail, beat the said Post Boy cruelly, and cut the Mail from the Horse and carried it away.

Two of the Persons who committed this Robbery are described as short Men, dressed like Sailors; and the other a tall Man in a red Coat.

This is therefore to give Notice, That whoever shall apprehend and convict, the Persons, or any of them who committed this Robbery, will be intitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward given by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Person or Persons, whether Accomplice in the said Robbery, or knowing thereof, do, or shall make Discovery, whereby any one, or more of the Persons, who committed the same, may be apprehended and brought to Justice, such Discoverer, or Discoverers will, upon Conviction of any one, or more, of the said Robbers, be intitled to the same Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Command of the Post-Master-General,

Geo. Shelvoeke, Secretary.

N. B. This Mail was afterwards found and brought safe to the Office.

General Post-Office, April 13, 1754.

Publick Notice is hereby given, That a Mail for Corunna, including the Letters to Oporto, will, for the Future, be made up, and forwarded, from this Office, every Tuesday; and that all such Letters, for Oporto, as are intended to pass by the Way of Lisbon, must be marked accordingly, otherwise they will, in Course, be forwarded by the Corunna Mail.

By Command of the Postmaster-General,

Geo. Shelvoeke, Secretary.