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St. James's, February 6.

**T**HIS being Her Majesty's Birth-day, She receiv'd the Compliments of all the Great Officers of State, the Nobility, Foreign Ministers, and other Persons of Distinction. The Appearance at Court was very splendid and magnificent: In the Morning there was an Entertainment of Musick, as usual, and at Night was perform'd an excellent Consort, collected out of several Operas. In the Cities of London and Westminster there were Ringing of Bells, Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Publick Demonstrations of Joy, suitable to so happy an Occasion.

*Whitehall, February 6.* Her Majesty has been pleas'd, in the Room of Lieutenant-General Ingoldsby, deceas'd, to Constitute the Most Reverend Father in God, John Lord Archbishop of Tuam, to be One of Her Lords Justices of the Kingdom of Ireland, jointly with Sir Constantine Philips, Knight, Her Chancellor there, for the Administration of the Government of that Kingdom, during the Absence of his Grace the Duke of Ormond.

*Whitehall, February 6.* Her Majesty has been pleas'd, by Commission, to Constitute and Appoint the Right Honourable William Steuart, Esq; to be General of all and singular Her Foot Forces, employ'd, or to be employ'd in Her Service.

Her Majesty has been likewise pleas'd by Commission, to Constitute and Appoint him the said Right Honourable William Steuart, Esq; to be Commander in Chief of all Her Land Forces in Ireland, in the Absence of his Grace the Duke of Ormond.

*Genoa, Jan. 9. N. S.* An Envoy from the King of Marocco is come hither to treat concerning the Release of several Merchant Ships belonging to this Republick, which have been taken by the Moors. Upon the Fifth of this Month, a Vessel arriv'd here with News from Barcelona, That a great many Transports were arriv'd there, being laden with Corn from Tunis in Barbary: And that about six days

since, the General, Count Guido de Staremberg, had sent an Express to the Queen of Spain at Barcelona, relating, how the Siege of the Castle of Cardona had been rais'd by a Detachment sent from his Army, and the Enemy routed with the loss of their Artillery and Baggage. We expect the Particulars with impatience, by two English Men of War, who are to come from thence with his Grace the Duke of Argyle.

*Dresden, January 19. N. S.* The King of Sweden, and the Palatin of Kiovia, remain'd at Bender upon the Twenty-fifth of the last Month, and were furnish'd by the Ottoman Port with Provisions of all kinds in great abundance. The Palatine has fram'd a Design, of entering Poland, at the Head of that Body of Poles and Walachs, who have lain so long Canton'd upon the Banks of the River Neister, upon which the Muscovite Troops, who were on their march homewards, have taken Umbrage, and were upon their march back into that Republick. The Army of the Great Dutchy of Lithuania have taken Winter-Quarters in the Lands belonging to the Families of Sapieha and of Newbourg. The Tribunal at Wilna have made a Decree, by which they order Monsieur de Kociol, the Treasurer of Lithuania, to refund to Monsieur Oginski the Sum of Twenty seven thousand three hundred and fifty Rixdollars, for the Losses he has sustained by the late Hostilities that have been between them; and Monsieur de Kociol is, by the same Sentence, declar'd to have been the Author of them. The King of Poland has order'd an Express for Lichtenbourg, to notify to his Mother the Electress Dowager, his Majesty's Arrival at this Place, and that Princess is expected here by the beginning of the next Week. On Wednesday last in the Evening, the Prince of Furstenberg came hither from his Country Seat at Warmesdorf, to attend upon his Polish Majesty; and Yesterday the Countess of Cosse came to Court, being on her return to Pomerania.

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