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Berlin, March 31. N. S.

**T**HE King has allotted a Fund of Twenty thousand Dollars a Year, to augment the Salaries of the Civil List, which were very much lessen'd by the Reductions made soon after his Majesty's Accession to the Crown. The King has at last consented upon the repeated Instances of the City of Hamburgh, to permit such Commodities to be brought from thence as are least susceptible of any Infection, and two Commissioners are gone thither to take care that the Method prescribed by his Majesty be observed in sending away the Goods design'd for this Country. It is said, the King intends to make a general Review of his Troops about the beginning of May, and that he will afterwards go into Prussia. Monsieur Posadosky is set out for Quedlinbourg, in order to take Possession of that Government, which was lately conferred upon him, and from thence he is to proceed to Brunswick. Count Van der Nath, who resided for some time in the Court of Great Britain, is lately arrived here.

*Hanover, March 30. N. S.* To Morrow this Court intends to go into Mourning for the Duke of Wolfenbittel, who died on the 27th at Brunswick, in the Eighty first Year of his Age. He is succeeded by Duke Augustus William, his eldest Son. Monsieur de Rosenkrans, Envoy of Denmark at the Court of Great Britain, arrived here some Days ago in his way to Brunswick, where he is appointed to reside in Quality of one of the Plenipotentiaries of his Danish Majesty. This Morning General Bulau review'd the Regiment of Guards under his Command. His Electoral Highness hath resolv'd to reform his Troops in a short time, and it is said Eighteen Men are to be disbanded out of every Company of Foot, and that the Horse will be reduced in proportion. The Imperial Regiment of Dragoons, quarter'd in the Diocese of Hildesheim, has received Orders to be in a readiness to march out of that Bishoprick, which is to be restor'd to the Elector of Cologn by the Preliminary Articles of Peace between the Emperor and France. They write from Swerin, that the Governor of Wismar was commanded by the King of Sweden to provide that Place with all things necessary for a vigorous Defence in case it should be attack'd, upon which he had summon'd the Inhabitants of the Dutchy of Mecklenbourg to pay him Contributions, threatening them with Military Execution in case they refused. But he was afterwards prevail'd on to desist from his Demand, upon the Representations made to him by the Duke of Mecklenbourg, that his Subjects were already ruin'd by the Armies of the Northern Princes. We have received Advice from Stralsund, that the Regency of Sweden had sent for General Tucker, Governor of that Place, to Stockholm, but he excused himself from going thither without an express Order from the King. Letters from Petersbourg bring an Account, that the Czar's Army in Finland, consisting of Fifteen thousand Men, had advanc'd to encounter the Swedish Troops in that Province, but the Muscovite General, finding them posted to great Advantage, would not

attack them, tho' they amounted to no more than Six or Seven thousand Men. It is said, the Swedes in a short time will have an Army of Forty thousand Men to oppose their Enemies.

*Hamburgh, April 3. N. S.* The 22d past, was observ'd here as a Day of Thanksgiving for the Deliverance of this City from the Contagious Distemper. The same Evening the Administrator of Holstein arrived here from Harbourg. On the 26th there was a Conference between the Commissioners of Prussia and those of our Senate, in which the former declar'd in their Master's Name, that his Majesty would grant a free Passage through his Country for all our Commodities. Count Reventlaw is come hither to receive Instructions from the Duke Administrator his Master. Before he left the Court of Hanover, he sent two Memorials to the Assembly at Brunswick, in which he endeavours to prove, that the King of Denmark had broke the Neutrality with the House of Holstein before Count Steinbock enter'd into that Dutchy. We have receiv'd advice, that the Queen Dowager of Denmark dy'd on the 27th of last Month. His Danish Majesty intends to command his Army in Person next Campaign, and those who are to attend upon him are already order'd to prepare their Equipages. It is said he has laid aside the Design he had form'd of besieging Wismar, and that he is now resolv'd to make a Descent into Scania. The Duke of Wirtemberg and General Scholten are sent for to Copenhagen, to assist at a great Council of War which is to be held there in relation to this Expedition. On the 27th past, the Danes began to raze the Fortifications of Tonningen; the Counterscarps are already demolish'd. The Cannon is embark'd in order to be transported to Copenhagen, and it is said the whole Work will be compleated in three Weeks. The Conferences are begun at the Congress of Brunswick, and are to be held regularly three times a Week. Count Dhona, the Prussian Ambassador at the Court of Vienna, has had his Audience of Leave, and intends to set out very soon for Berlin. Baron Goertz has had some warm Disputes with the Ministry of that Court, upon the taking of Tonningen, and the Engagements his Prussian Majesty had enter'd into with the House of Holstein, in case that Place should be oblig'd to surrender to the Danes. Counsellor Hagen, who was sent to Stockholm to solicit the return of the young Duke of Holstein into his own Dominions, was very coldly receiv'd by the Regency of Sweden. Letters from Turkey bring an account, that his Swedish Majesty was perfectly recovered of his late Indisposition, and intended to leave the Ottoman Empire in a short time, but it was still uncertain whether he would return home by Sea or by Land. The Grand Signior advis'd him to chuse the former way, but his Majesty seem'd inclinable to prefer going with a Guard of Turks through Poland.

*Brussels, March 31. N. S.* On the 27th fourteen large Ships arrived at Ostend from London, on board which two of Her Majesty's Regiments of Horse and one of Dragoons, quarter'd in the Cities of Gand and Bruges, are to be transported to Great Britain. The Horse march'd Yesterday from Gand



in order to Embark accordingly. The Emperor hath conferr'd the Archbishoprick of Mecklin upon Count Boffu, Provost of the Cathedral Church of Gand. The Sieur Van Sulteren, Canon of Mecklin, and formerly Vicar-General of that Diocese, is likewise named by his Imperial Majesty to be Bishop of Bruges. This Day Count Maldeghem, a Member of the States of Brabant, Commander of the Yeomen of the Guard, and Colonel of a Regiment of Foot, was Sworn of the Council of State, in the room of Monsieur de Yonge, deceased.

*Hague, April 6. N. S.* The Earl of Strafford has been in Conference with the Ministers of Spain, upon the Subject of the Treaty of Peace between his Catholic Majesty and this Republick. His Excellency has likewise held frequent Conferences with the Deputies of the States General upon the Affairs of the Netherlands. On the 29th past, Mr. Harley went from hence to Amsterdam in his way to Hanover. Monsieur d'Ahlefeldt, Minister of his Danish Majesty, having taken his Leave of the States, is preparing to set out for Copenhagen, and is to be succeeded here by Monsieur Van Shuken. Prince Kurakin, Ambassador of the Czar, has received Orders to repair to the Congress at Brunswick. General Sparre in the King of Sweden's Service, is arrived here from France, in his way to Stockholm. This Day several Deputies of the States were with the Marquis de Chateaufeuf, Ambassador of France, in order to settle some Matters relating to the Chatellany of Ypres. We have receiv'd advice from Franckfort, that the Ratifications of the Treaty concluded at Radstad between the Emperor and France, were lately exchange'd there by the Secretaries of the two Ambassies, and a Congress was to be form'd at Baden, in order to perfect the Treaty with the Empire. Some Letters from thence add, that the Churches which were lately taken from the Protestants, by Order of the Bishop of Metz, were again restor'd by the command of the most Christian King.

*Whereas a Letter signed R. B. dated the 12th Instant, hath been sent to the Most Hon. the Lord High Treasurer of Great Britain, offering to make a Proposal for advancing the Revenue of Excise, which Letter his Lordship having been pleas'd to transmit to the Commissioners of Excise: This is to give Notice, That if the Person who wrote the said Letter will make any Proposal to them or any of them, whereby the said Revenue may be advanced, he shall receive all fixing Encouragement.*

*The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give notice, That a General Court will be held at Grocer's Hall, on Thursday the 8th of April next, from 9 in the Forenoon to 6 in the Evening, for Election of a Governor and Deputy-Governor for the Year ensuing; which Election will be declared the same Evening: And the said Court will be continued by Adjournment, and held at the same Place, and during the same Hours, on Friday the 9th of April, for the Choice of 24 Directors (which will be also one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by the Charter) and the Election of the 24 Directors will be declared as soon as the Scrutiny is over. Printed Lists of the Proprietors having Votes, will be ready to be delivered at the Bank on Saturday the 3d of April next.*

*The Royal African Company do hereby give notice, that the Subscriptions begun on the 2d Instant, continue to be taken at the African House, pursuant to the Scheme agreed on at their General Court the 18th of February last. There is already above Three hundred and fifty thousand Pounds Subscribed.*

*Notice is hereby given to the Clergy of the Diocese of London, That the Tenths due from them last Christ-*

*mas, are forthwith to be paid to Mr. John Hodgson, at London-house in Aldersgate-freeer, where Attendance will be given every Morning for receiving the same.*

#### Advertisements.

**O**N Thursday the 20th of May next, a Plate of 20l. value will be run for on the Round Course on Wittering Heath near Stamford in Lincolnshire, by any Horse, Mare, or Gelding carrying 10 stone weight, besides Bridle and Saddle, to pay two Guineas Entrance, the winning Horse, &c. to be Sold for 30 Guineas, and no Horse, &c. to run that shall not be shewn and entered before the Mayor or his Deputy, at the Nagg's Head in Stamford, the 11th of May next, between 2 and 4 in the Afternoon.

**T**HE Manor of Kenton, near Exeter, in the County of Devon, with the Appurtenances; as also one fourth Part of the Manor of Erminster, late the Estate of Christopher Duke of Albermarle, deceased, is to be Sold pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Henry Lovibond, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Office in Chancery-lane, London, where Particulars of the said Estate may be had.

**L**OST or mislaid at or near the Custom-house, on the 24th Instant in the Morning, a Bank Note, N<sup>o</sup> 85, for 200 l. payable to George Tobie Guiguer, dated the 24th March, 1713. If offer'd in Payment or otherwise you are desir'd to stop it: and give immediate notice thereof to Mr. Benjamin Howell, Goldsmith, near the Royal Exchange in Cornhill, and you shall receive Five Guineas Reward. Note, Payment is stop'd at the Bank.

**W**HEREAS Elizabeth Westley, Daughter of Richard Westley, of Cubbington, in the County of Warwick, Innholder, lately went from her said Father's House: These are to give notice, that if the said Elizabeth will return home and behave herself well, she shall be kindly receiv'd: But such Debts as she shall contract after Publication hereof, her Father will not pay.

**W**HEREAS the major Part of the Creditors of the Rt. Hon. Richard Earl of Ran-legh, deceased, have chosen Trustees for the taking and pursuing all Lawful Measures for obtaining their just Debts: The said Trustees do hereby give Notice, that all the Creditors of the said Earl are required to pay Six Pence in the Pound of their respective Debts to Mr. John B roes, Stationer in Pellmel, at or before the 14th Day of April next, pursuant to their Agreement, or otherwise they will be excluded.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is award'd against Philip De La Sagerye, of the Parish of St. Leonard Shoreditch, in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, and he being declar'd a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 6th, 13th and 29th of April next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepar'd to prove their Debts, pay Contribution money, and chuse Assignees.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Thomas Burch, of East Smithfield, in the County of Middlesex, Hatmaker, and he being declar'd a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 6th, 13th and 29th of April next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepar'd to prove Debts, pay Contribution money, and assent to the Assignment already made by the Commissioners, or chuse new Assignees.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against William Hamon, of London, Silkman, and Anne Hamon, of London, Widow, his Partner, and they being declar'd Bankrupts, are hereby required to surrender themselves to the Commissioners on the 7th, 14th, and 29th of April next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepar'd to prove Debts, pay Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

**W**HEREAS Robert Hollingpriest, of Macclesfield in the County of Chester, Chapman, hath surrendr'd himself to the Commissioners, and been examined; this is to give notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 16th of April next, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the House of John Taylor in Macclesfield aforesaid, to finish his Examination; where his Creditors are to come prepar'd to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-money, and chuse Assignees.

**W**HEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Samuel Brule, of Spittsfield, in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, have certifi'd to the Right Honourable Simon Lord Harcourt, Baron of Stanton Harcourt, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conform'd himself to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that his Certificate will be allowed and confirm'd as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 20th of April next.

**R**ID away with, on the 22d Instant, from Tho. Witney's at the black Horse and fighting Cock at the Harrow Corner in Deadman's Place, Southwark, by Tho. Hurst a middle-sized Man, Down-look'd, a Dun, Fallow-colour'd Horse, near 15 Hands high, full Ag'd, black Tail and Main, one Heel white, and on him a red Turkey-leather Saddle. Whoever gives notice of the said Horse to Mr. Tho. Witney aforesaid, shall have 10s. reward and reasonable Charges.