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AT the Court at St. James's, the 16th of April, 1717.

P R E S E N T,

The King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

His Majesty in His Privy Council, was this Day pleased to declare his Grace Charles Duke of Bolton Lord Lieutenant of the Kingdom of Ireland.

His Grace Thomas Duke of Newcastle, and the Right Honourable Thomas Earl of Westmorland, James Earl of Berkeley, and Joseph Addison, Esq; were, by his Majesty's Command, sworn of His Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

The Right Honourable Charles Earl of Sunderland, and Joseph Addison, Esq; were, by His Majesty's Command, sworn Principal Secretaries of State.

His Majesty was pleased to appoint Thomas Inwood, Esq; Sheriff for the County of Suffolk, in the Room of his Brother John Inwood, Esq; deceased.

St. James's, April 18.

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An humble Address of the Captain, Lieutenant, and Ensign, with the rest of the Company of Gentlemen Volunteers, associated under his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, within the Town and County of the Town of Nottingham, has been presented to His Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Newcastle, Lord Chamberlain of His Majesty's Household.

An humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Deputy Lieutenants, Justices of the Peace, Gentlemen and Freeholders, met at the Assizes held for the County of Cornwall, the 25th of March, 1717, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable the Earl of Radnor, Lord Lieutenant of the said County.

An humble Address of the High Sheriff, Grand Jury, Justices of the Peace, Gentry and Clergy of the County Palatine of Lancaster, has been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable James Earl of Derby, Lord Lieutenant of the said County.

His Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously.

Hambourg, April 20. The Count de la Marcq, Envoy of France to the King of Sweden, who arrived here some Days ago, is wait-

ing for a Pass from the Court of Denmark, in order to his proceeding safely to Sweden; as also for Leave after his Arrival there to send his Dispatches over the Sound through the Danish Territories. A few Days ago, General Ranck, Minister of the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel, embarked at Lubeck to pass over to Sweden. Our Correspondence with that Kingdom being very irregular, the Letters from Stockholm of the 13th of February, and those of the 6th of March from the same Place, are but newly arrived together. Those of the former Date advise, that His Swedish Majesty, who was then at Lund, seemed to have newly resolved upon some Enterprize, having but a few Days before sent Order to the Colonels of all the Regiments in the Kingdom, except the Guards, to get into a Readiness to march upon the first Notice they should receive after the 19th of February, notwithstanding the Regiments of Cavalry which had so many Horses dismissed the Service at the Review in Schonem, had yet been supplied with but very few others. That his Majesty had also dispatched Orders to the Governors of the Maritime Provinces, to send away all the Seamen belonging to the Fleet at Carlscrona, and those belonging to the Squadron at Stockholm, to be ready to go on board their respective Ships by the 10th of March; and though it appeared extremely difficult to victual those Ships, in the Manner directed, by that Time, yet the utmost Diligence was used in it. That about the Beginning of February arrived at Malstrand 80 Swedish Officers, and 400 Soldiers, who were sent by Baron Gortz: That particularly there was among them a Lieutenant Colonel named Grub, sent by Baron Sparre, Ambassador of Sweden at the Court of France, with Letters; and likewise one Colonel During, with a large Packet from Baron Gortz; but the Contents of those Dispatches were kept secret, as was also the Enterprize for which the forementioned Preparations were making. These Advices add, that Baron Gortz was expected in Sweden about the End of February. Those of the 6th of March relate, that by a Gazette printed at Koninsberg, which came by a Ship from thence that arrived at Carlscrona, a few Days before, they had newly received the first Advice of the seizing of Count Gyldenborg at London; which Gazette was immediately sent to the King of Sweden, who continued, at Lund. We have no authentick Advices directly from Sweden later than the above-mentioned.

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