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Munich, November 18.

ON the 14th Instant died at Ratifbon, Baron Karg, Minister Plenipotentiary from the Elector of Cologne. He was also charged with the Vote of the Elector Palatine at the Diet; and often by Proxy with that of Bavaria; together with those of the Grand Master of the Teutonick Order, the Bishops of Strasbourg, Hildesheim, Paderborn, Trent, Brixon and Münster; the Princes Abbots of Stablo, and of Corvey, and the Prince of Hohenzollern.

Hamburg, November 19: We are informed, by Letters from Keil, that on the 15th Instant, about Noon, Monsieur de Saldern, the Principal Commissary from the Grand Duke of Russia, went to the Council Chamber, where the Members of the Regency were previously assembled, and declared to them, that their Functions were now to cease, and that the next Day (Tuesday the 16th Instant) was fixed for the Transferring the Dutchy of Holstein to his Danish Majesty: In consequence of which Declaration, a Message was sent to the Officers of the Council Board, and also to those of the other Colleges, to attend at the Council Chamber; and when they were all come together, Monsieur de Wolff, President of the Council, informed them of Monsieur de Saldern's Notification; at the same Time signifying to them, that they were to meet again at their respective Apartments about Seven o'Clock next Morning, in order to be present at the Act of Cession. Orders were likewise given for dispatching of all such Decrees and Resolutions as were necessary on the Occasion, and also for defacing the Council Seals.

The Prelates, the Deputies of the Nobility, the Officers of the Bailiwicks, the Magistrates of the Towns, and other Officers, who are to take the Oath of Allegiance to the King of Denmark, arrived at Keil on the 13th.

On the 16th, about Eight o'Clock in the Morning, the Members of the Regency, the Officers of the Council Board and of the other Colleges, being assembled, his Excellency Monsieur de Saldern opened the Business in a Speech, shewing his Authority from the Empress of Russia, and the Grand Duke, to deliver up the Dutchy of Holstein to his Danish Majesty's Principal Commissary, Count Reventlau; adding, that it was his Imperial Highness's Will and Intention, that, with the said Dutchy, all the Rights, Prerogatives, and Territorial Sovereignty, thereunto belonging, should also be transferred to the King of Denmark, according to Treaty. Monsieur de Saldern then proceeded to make the Cession, which was performed by delivering to Count Reventlau the Keys of the City of Keil, together with a Piece of Earth, it being the usual Ceremony on such Occasions. After which Count Reventlau administered the Oaths of Allegiance and Homage to the Military, Prelates, &c. who assured them of his Danish Majesty's Protection, and of the uninterrupted Enjoyment of their Rights and Privileges. The Ceremony lasted till Noon.

The Grand Duke's Arms, which were fixed over the Door of the Holstein Post-house in this City, were taken down last Tuesday, in consequence of Orders which the Post-Master had previously received for that Purpose.

St. James's, November 24.

This Day Their Majesties came from Kew to the Queen's Palace, to reside during the Winter.

The same Day His Royal Highness George Prince of Wales, His Royal Highness Prince Frederick, and Their Royal Highnesses the Princes and Princesses, returned from Kew for the Winter-Season.

IN Pursuance of the Directions of an Act passed in the Tenth Year of the Reign of His present Majesty King George the Third, intituled, "An Act to enable the Speaker of the House of Commons to issue his Warrants to make out new Writs for the Choice of Members to serve in Parliament, in the room of such Members as shall die during the Recess of Parliament;" I do hereby give Notice, That the Death of John Huske, Esquire, late Member of Parliament for the Borough of Malden in the County of Essex, hath been certified to me in Writing, under the Hands of two Members of Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, to make out a new Writ for the Electing of a Burgess, to serve in this present Parliament for the said Borough of Malden, in the room of the said John Huske, Esquire, deceased, at the End of Fourteen Days after the Insertion of this Notice in the Gazette. Dated the Twenty-second Day of November, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy-three.

FL^r. NORTON, Speaker.

St. James's, November 19, 1773.

*W*HEREAS it has been humbly represented to the King, That, between the Hours of Seven in the Evening of Tuesday the 9th and Eight in the Morning of Wednesday the 10th Instant, the Shop of Mr. George Peacock, Watchmaker and Jeweller, behind the Royal Exchange, London, was broken open and robbed of a large Quantity of Watches and other valuable Articles: His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice the Persons concerned in the said Robbery, is hereby pleased to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of them, who shall discover his or her Accomplice or Accomplices therein, so that he, she, or they, may be apprehended and convicted thereof.

ROCHFORD.

And, as a farther Encouragement, Benjamin Hopkins, Esq; Alderman, doth hereby promise a Reward of TWENTY GUINEAS to any Person making such Discovery as aforesaid, to be paid by him at his House in Broad-Street, upon the Conviction of one or more of the said Offenders.

Benj. Hopkins.

And, for a farther Encouragement, the above-mentioned Mr. Peacock doth hereby promise a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, upon Recovery of the Goods, or in Proportion for any Part thereof.

Geo. Peacock.

London Assurance House, November 24, 1773.

THE Court of Directors of the London Assurance Corporation hereby give Notice, That the Annual General Court, appointed by their Charter, will be held at their House in Birch Lane, on Wednesday the 15th Day of December next, at Twelve at Noon.