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Hamburg, Decemb. 31.

THe Articles for the Surrender of *Stetin* having been signed, as we told you in our last, his Electoral Highness made his Entry into the place the 26th Instant. He found there a very fine Train of Artillery. It seems the Besieged wanted Powder, Salt, and Wood, which obliged them to come to a Treaty. However they obtained very honourable Conditions.

Capitulation for the Surrender of *Stetin*,
December 26. 1677.

I. The Garrison both Horse and Foot, so far as it consists of the Swedish Nation, and of Persons thereto belonging, shall, according to Military Custom, march out with Colors flying, Drums beating, completely Armed, Bag and Baggage, and shall be convoyed to *Livonia*. The Germans, as well Officers as Soldiers, shall, pursuant to the *Ayocatoria*, quit the Swedes Service.

II. In case they cannot take all their Baggage with them, they may commit the same to the care of some Friend, and fetch it away when the Water is open.

III. The *Schutzen* and *Heyruyters* are pardoned, except those, who contrary to Military Practice, have committed any Murders.

IV. The Sick and Wounded may remain where till they are well, and be accommodated according to their condition.

V. The Garrison that marches out, shall take with them Provisions for one day, and afterwards shall be provided for by his Electoral Highness.

VI. The Prisoners shall be set at Liberty.

VII. The Deserters are pardoned, and must return to their Regiments.

VIII. His Electoral Highness grants Lieutenant General *Wulsten* two pieces of Cannon, which he may choose.

IX. The Wives, Widows, and Heirs of the Officers, may remain there till *Elster*, and then, the Water being open, may freely depart.

X. The Ministers or Officers of the King of Sweden, as well Civil as Military, shall enjoy the *Annellie*. And they are received into his Electoral Highnesses protection, and shall keep all their Goods, except such as are *Domaines*, provided they take an Oath of Fidelity.

XI. Such of the said Ministers as will repair to any other place, may freely do it, and have a years time to sell their Moveables and Immoveables.

XII. Every one may bury his Dead where he pleases.

XIII. The said Swedish Ministers may give in their Accounts relating to their respective places.

XIV. The said Ministers shall not be molested, for the Services by them done to the Crown of Sweden.

XV. Those that fled into the Town, as well

Gentlemen as Peasants, may return to their Lands and Goods, freely to enjoy the same.

XVI. In the matter of Religion, his Electoral Highness shall make no change, but leave the same as it is.

XVII. The Cathedral Church of *St. Mary*, and the School, shall keep all their Rights and Privileges, as likewise all their Goods and Revenues.

XVIII. In like manner all the other Churches, Communities, Schools, Hospitals, in and without the City, shall enjoy what they have.

XIX. All the respective Preachers, those that belong to Churches and Schools, are taken by his Electoral Highness into his protection; they remaining in their Employments, without being questioned for what is past, provided they pay all dutiful obedience and Fidelity to his Electoral Highness.

XX. The Accounts of the Chambers of Accounts and Receipts, as likewise of the Store-house, after Copies taken, shall be delivered up.

XXI. The Council and *Burgerschop* of this City shall keep their Government and Privileges, and shall not be burthened with Plundering, Contributions, or Ravaging of their Belles, all that is past being by the *Annellie* wholly forgotten, and every one has liberty to go whither he will, the Burghers and Inhabitants remaining in the full possession of their Goods.

XXII. The Lieutenant-General shall faithfully deliver up all the Cannon, Ammunition, Provisions, and whatever belongs to the Militia.

XXIII. Immediately after the concluding of this Accord, the new Gate, together with the Bulwork lying before the same, as likewise the *Lakadie*, shall be delivered up to his Electoral Highness.

XXIV. This Accord shall be inviolably observed and executed in all its Points.

Vienna, Decemb. 19. We are told that the marriage between the Duke of *Lorraine* and the Queen Dowager of *Poland*, will be celebrated the 25th of the next month at *Neustadt*. From *Hungary* we have an account, that the Rebels have now got several pieces of Cannon with them, which encouraged them to attack *Bissermin*, of which mention was made in our last, but they were repulsed with considerable loss. Levies are making throughout all the Emperors Hereditary Countreys, for the recruiting the Troops against the next Campaign.

Genova, Decemb. 22. The *Lyon*, *Samuel Hawkes* Master, bound hither from *Amsterdam*, and given for lost, is safely arrived at *Leghorne*, having been two months at the *Isles of Majorca* and *Minorca* to repair. We hear nothing of moment from *Sicily*. It is reported that 6000 French Horse are on their march to *Pignolo*.

Strasburg, Decemb. 27. We have it confirmed that the French are preparing a great number of small Vessels at *Brisac*, which they intend to carry to *Huningen*, to lay a Bridge there over the *Rhine*; for the passage of a Body of men, who are already on their march thither.

Cologne.