

ra'sors, yet hitherto they have not agreed upon the method of doing it, which has made them Adjourn till Friday next, that they might consult their Principals once more in this Affair. The Dutch Commissary, who Resides at Argiers, has let the States know, That the Peace lately concluded will have no effect till those People receive the Guns the States promised them. These States are sending a Minister to Spain and another to Venice, and to the Princes of Italy. The Princess is almost perfectly recovered, and it's believed the Court will go out of Town presently after Easter. From *Cologne* we are informed, That the Elector of Cologne had, by his Minister there, presented a Memorial to the Dyet, Complaining that these States continue to keep from him his Towns of *Hasselt* and *Museyck*, and praying their assistance in Order to the recovering of th.m. Sir *Gabriel Si. vius* will continue his Journey, the beginning of the next Week, to the Court of the Princes of *Lunenburg*. *Paris*, April 6. The first Instant the Count *Bagnini*, Envoy from the Duke of *Mansoua*, had a private Audience of the King; the conjectures are that it was about the Affair of *Cafak*, but they are Conjectures only, for after all, no certain account can as yet be given concerning this matter, the Truth of which is kept very secret, and for the general Discourses they are not to be relied upon. The Letters from *Brussels* speak of a promotion of Cardinals, and give us a List of their Names, but our Letters from *Rome* and other Parts of Italy make not any mention thereof, so that we look upon it as a mistake, for if any promotion had been made, this Court would certainly have as early Notice thereof as any other.

Plimouth, March 30. Yesterday failed to the Westward the *Dartmouth* and *Norwich* Frigats, to Cruise.

Deale, April 1. There are now coming from the River, the *Society*, Captain *Thompson* Commander, and the *Nathaniel*, Captain *Stamard*, both bound for *Bantam*.

Whitehall, April 2. Mr. Attorney General being, by Order from the Council-Board, directed to take the Examinations of all the Witnesses concerned in the matter of the Accusation against the Duke of Buckingham, as well those against as for the said Duke, did this day make his Report accordingly: In which he took notice that he had reason to believe that there had been several undue Practices used. And the Right Honourable the Earl of Sunderland finding that his Name was mentioned in one of the said Examinations, his Lordship moved His Majesty, That Mrs. le Mar and Philip le Mar, her Son, might be immediately sent for, which being Ordered, Mrs. le Mar declared, That she was given to understand that her Son Philip le Mar, who is now a Prisoner in the Marshallsa, had been sent for to the Queens-Arms-Tavern by several persons, and made Drunk, and being Drunk had been Sworn to several Informations relating to the Duke of Buckingham. And the said Mrs. le Mar naming one *Elinor Folly*, who could Testifie the Truth hereof; the said *Elinor Folly* declared upon Oath, That she saw Philip le Mar at the said Tavern come down Stairs Drunk, and that he had told her he was made to Swear when he was Drunk, and set his Hand four times to a Paper, and that *W. Barnsley Esq;* a Justice of Peace, and one *Tudman* were

then present. Whereupon the said Philip le Mar, being called in, and Examined, said upon Oath, That he was made Drunk at the said Tavern as aforesaid, and had then Signed and Sworn to some Informations which were brought ready written, and which he does not remember were read to him, he not being able to read himself. And the said Examinations being read at the Board, the said Philip le Mar did deny the whole. And whereas it was said in one of them, That several great Persons had encouraged and instructed him in a Design against the said Duke, and that the Earl of Sunderland also knew of the said Design, the said Philip le Mar upon Oath declared, that he never had said any thing concerning the said Earl, and that he neither knows nor can say any thing of his Lordship as to that matter. And it appearing farther to the Board, That several other illegal and ill Practices had been used in this whole Business, His Majesty thought fit to Order, That Mr. *Barnsley*, who had taken the said Examinations, should be put out of the Commission for the Peace, and that for preventing the like Practices for the future upon the said Philip le Mar, no Person should be suffered to come to, or converse with him during his Imprisonment, without Order from the Board.

Whitehall, April 3. Last night the Earl of *Rothes*, Lord Chancellor of *Scotland*, arrived here, accompanied with the Earl of *Queensberry* and other Persons of Quality, to wait upon his Majesty.

Advertisements.

☞ *Johannis Joachimi Becheri* Med. Doct.

Sacr. Cæs. Majest. Concil. Mineræ Arenaria Perpetua: five Prodomus Historiæ, seu Propositionis Præ: D. D. Staribus *Hollanæ*, ab Authore factæ, circa Auri ExtraCTIONem, mediante Arena Littoralis, per modum Mineræ perpetuæ, seu Operationis Magnæ Fusoriæ cum Emolumento. Sold by *Mathæ Garder*, at the *Black Raven* over against *Bedford-house* in the Strand.

Whereas *John Kenton* of *Dover*, Master of a small Vessel of that place, was intrusted to bring to *Dover* a Parcel of Gold in Spanish Pittoles, to a considerable Value which he has not yet delivered, and the said Person being at present missing; He came from *Dover* on Monday morning the 29th of *March*, and Landèd at *St. Dunstons-stairs*, *London*, about Six of the Clock the same Evening, and was seen there the third of *April*. He is a man of a Reddish Complexion, and a Sandy Beard, and wears a Perriwig, a little Bald on the Crown of his head, about 32 or 33 years of Age, his hands generally shake, he has also some blew spots in his face which was done by Gun-Powder, and half the Nail of one of his middle fingers is off. Whoever discovers the said person, and gives Notice to Mr. *Bartholomew Aylmer* at the *three Pigeons* against the *Royal-Exchange*, shall have 20 l. Reward.

Stolen between Saturday the 20th, and Wednesday the 24th of *March*, out of the house of Mr. *Hadley* in *Great-Russell-street*, in *Elmsbury*, a large black Trunk filled with Diaper-Table-Linnen and Sheets, some marked with *A. H.* and some with *H.* only. Whoever brings part or all of the said Goods to Mr. *Hadley's* as aforesaid, shall receive the full value, and if they will discover the Robber they shall have a good Reward besides.

A large Mansion-house at *Ipsworth*, with Orchards, Gardens, Cack-house, Stables, and all other Conveniences, heretofore Mr. *John Lincolns*'s, Goldsmith, lately built, is to be Sold, and you are desired to enquire for Mr. *Robert Mason* at the said place, who hath Orders to shew the house to any person that desires to see it. Enquire at the Mercury Office at the North-West Corner of the *Royal-Exchange* and you will be directed to his chief Creditors who are intrusted with the Sale of the said house, and may treat with them concerning it.

Lost at *Stern* near *Richmond*, the last of *March*, a young small Spaniel-Bitch, white, and very thick-spotted with brown spots, the Ears all brown. Whoever shall bring her to the Porters Lodge at *Stern*, or to Mr. *Kent's* a Book-seller in the *Poll-Mell*, shall have two Guineas Reward.