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Milan, Dec. 7.

Our Governor the Count de Melgar, has sent a Gentleman to Compliment the Cardinal d'Estree upon his coming into Italy; and the Governor of Casal has Orders, in case he passed through that place to receive him with all the Respects that are due to his quality. From Spain we have Advice, that the Duke de Medina Celi had proposed to the King, the having a Fleet of 30 stout men of War at Sea the next Summer, and that he was endeavouring to raise the Moneys necessary for that service.

Venice, Dec. 10. We are expecting here the Cardinal d'Estree from Turin, where he has been some time. He will, upon his arrival here, offer the Senate the French Kings Mediation, and his own Services for the composing the differences that are still depending between them and the Pope. The Duke of Mantova is still here, and some are of opinion that he stays on purpose to see the Cardinal in this place, having received a Letter from him, wherein the Cardinal acquaints him, that he had some Affairs of moment to discourse with his Highness about; to which report it is added, that by some Affairs of Moment, Casal is meant, which the French have so long endeavoured to get into their hands, and that they hope the Cardinal will Treat about this Matter more successfully than the other Ministers that have hitherto been employed therein, have done. From Turkey we have Advice, that the Grand Signior was at Adrianople, that he intended to remain the Winter there, and in the Spring when his Army takes the Field, to put himself at the head of it.

Warsaw, Dec. 12. We have this day received Letters from Zolkiew, where the King of Poland at present is, which tell us, that the King had given Audience to an Envoye from the Cham of Tartary, who in the speech he then made to the King, let fall an expression, which seemed to threaten a War from the Turks, if care were not taken to compose the differences that are now on foot concerning the Limits; and that the King had dismissed him with this Answer, that it should not be his fault if the said differences were not determined, when the Commissioners met again; but in case the Turks would not yield to those terms that are just and reasonable, he would put himself into a posture not to fear their threats. Two Ambassadors are coming hither from Moscow, with full power as is said, to conclude an Offensive Alliance with this Crown against the Turks.

Lintz, Dec. 17. It is reported, that two days since arrived here from Transylvania a Gentleman, sent by the chief of the Malecontents, to represent to

the Emperor, the main Points which they think necessary for the securing their Religion and Liberty; and that he has brought with him a Project of certain Articles, which its said, he has communicated to some of the principal Ministers of this Court, and that they do not dislike them; if this be true, we may hope that this happy Work will be speedily effected; and indeed the Advices we receive from Germany, concerning the posture the French are putting themselves into on that side, for the accomplishing their great Designs, make us every day more and more see the necessity there is of putting an end to the War of Hungary, that so his Imperial Majesties Forces may be united for the Defence of the Empire.

Francfort, Dec. 23. The Deputies for the regulating the Matter of the Mint continue their Conferences, but without any prospect of bringing the thing to a conclusion. From Lorraine they write, that the French are preparing there a very great Train of Artillery, and make other preparations, which plainly discover that they intend some action against Spring; they continue, notwithstanding the Season, to work on the Fortifications of Saarburg, Saar-Louis, and other places. The Letters we receive from Lintz inform us, that several Proposals had been made to the Emperor in the name of the Hungarian Malecontents, in order to a Peace; and that they were such, as that it was not doubted but they would with some little alterations, be granted by the Emperor. The same Letters add, that the Emperors Minister at Constantinople had in a late Audience he had of the Grand Vizier, received fresh assurances, that the Grand Signior was firmly resolved to maintain inviolably, the Peace that is now established between the two Empires. The Imperial Chamber will be removed from Spire, that Matter having been brought before the Dyet at Ratisbonne, who think the Removal necessary; and are considering of a fit place to which it may be made.

Strasbourg, Dec. 27. The Baron de Monclar, Lieutenant-General for the French King in Alsace, is continually moving from one place to another, in order to the hastening the preparations that are making, and to see that the Troops are in the condition they ought; and now, every body here believes that a new War is at hand; and we are told of several strange Sights that have been seen in the Heavens, which they say were likewise seen before the breaking out of the last War; and these the Superstitious and Ignorant are much affected with.

Berlin, Dec. 28. The differences between the Crown of Spain and our Elector are not yet determined, though we hope they will be very speedily, by the Interposition of the King of England; in the mean time, the Ship that was taken in the Road of Ostend,

Or d, and the Goods in her remain untouched; in *Wangsborg* in *Prussia* we have Letters which tells us, that Prince *Louis* was come thither, and that he had been received by the Burghers in Arms.

Cologne, Jan. 3. Our Magistrates are preparing a Letter to the Emperor, humbly to acquaint him with the Proceedings that have been had here against some of the old Burghermasters, who have employed the publick Moneys that pass through their hands. Mr. *Bertie*, Envoye Extraordinary from the King of *England* is still here, by reason of the weather. It is reported, that besides the Comet, of which so often mention has been made, 10 other Comets have been seen; and that several Fields as big as Lambs have been seen by the Countess *pebble* who say they saw the like in 1672. just before the Wars.

Brussels, Dec. 31. The Prince of *Parma* our Governour is much better than he was, and we now expect to see in few days, the great Reform put in execution. The Nations of this City are now assembled to renew the several Impositions, which no person is for the future to be exempted from, for this Highness will take away the Priviledges which several Foreigners that were permitted to live within the precincts of the Court, formerly have had, not to pay the said Duties.

Hague, January 7. The Deputies of the States of *Holland* are come to Town again, and to morrow they will Re-assemble: their recess would have been much longer, but that the City of *Amsterdam* desired they would meet after the Holidays, to determine some Matters that are before them, in which that City is particularly concerned; which when they have done, they will its believed Adjourn till *February*.

Paris, Jan. 8. The Dauphin is every day more and more re-established in his Health, to the great joy of the Court. Our Letters from *Italy* tell us, that the Cardinal *d'Essee* was arrived in the Ecclesiastical Territories; that he was received every where with great Kindness and Respect, and the expenses of him and his Attendants, were defrayed by order of the Pope.

Edinburgh, Dec. 30. The 28th Instant, the Owners and Crew of *Bristol, Michael Parry*, with Sugars for *Boston*, arrived here in 13 weeks from *Jamaica*. The same day came in the *Elizabeth* of *Tinmouth*, *Benjamin Bard*, from *St. Sebastian* with Salt for *Topsam*. Adfox Vessels of *Yarmouth* with Herrings, for several Ports in *France*; as the Wind being at North-West, they are now under S. I.

Plymouth, Dec. 31. This Evening the *King-Fisher*, Capt. *Kempt* born Cominander, and the *Crown*, Capt. *Lloyd*, with about 20 Sail of the Herring-Fleet under their Convoy, sailed hence for the *Streights*.

Plymouth, Jan. 2. This morning His Majesties Ship the *Constant-Warwick*, having on Board Sir *Richard Dutton* (whom His Majesty has appointed to succeed Sir *Fonsaban Atkins* in the Government of *Barbados*, sailed from *Spithead* for the *Barbados*.

Plymouth, Jan. 4. This morning the *Sweepstakes* Brigant weighed from *Spithead*, and came into the *Harbour* to rest.

London, Decemb. 17. This day by order of the House of Lords, was burnt by the hand of the

Common Hangman, before the *Royal Exchange*, and in the *Palace-yard*, a Paper, Entituled, *A Speech lately made by a Noble Peer of this Realm being a scandalous Libel.*

The Persons appointed to Preach before His Majesty this ensuing LENT are as follow.

February, 16. All wednesday, Dean of the Chappel.
18. Friday, Dean of *St. Pauls*; Dr. *Stillingfleet*.
20. Sunday, Bishop of *St. Asaph*.

23. Wednesday, Dr. *James*.
25. Friday, Dean of *Peterborough*, Dr. *Patrick*.
27. Sunday, Bishop of *Peterborough*.

March, 2. Wednesday, Dr. *Tennison*.
4. Friday, Dean of *Rippon*, Dr. *Cartwright*.
6. Sunday, Bishop of *Chester*.

9. Wednesday, Dr. *Young*.
11. Friday, Dean of *Winchester*, Dr. *Megett*.
13. Sunday, Bishop of *Oxford*.

16. Wednesday, Dr. *Sprat*.
18. Friday, Dean of *Sarum*, Dr. *Peirce*.
20. Sunday, Bishop of *Darham*.

23. Wednesday, Dr. *Cradock*.
25. Friday, Dean of *Canterbury*, Dr. *Tillotson*.
27. Pa m-Sunday, Archbishop of *Canterbury*.

30. Wednesday, Dr. *Allestree*.
April 1. Good Friday, Dean of *Westminster*.
2. Easter day, Lord *Almoner*.

ARLINGTON.

Advertisements.

Lost the 3 of January, from His Majesties Great Wardrobe in *York-Buildings*, a *Irish Spaniel Dog*, with long Liver colour Ears; a Liver-colour and white Head and Body, whoever hath taken him up, and brings him to the Porter of the said Wardrobe, shall have two Guineas reward.

Whereas on the 13th of Decemb. last, one James Taylor, who called himself Servant to Mr. R. F. received a Bill of Exchange of 80 l. payable to Mr. F. or his Order, at the two Sugar-loafs in *Cateaton-street*, which Bill was stole; and whereas its believed the Receiver of the Money, was not the Person who stole the Bill, but only employ'd by him; These are to give notice to the said Person, that if he come and discover to Mr. *Meredith* in *Cateaton street*, or to Mr. *Fox* at the *Angel* in *Westminster Hall*, who it was that employed him, he shall have a full discharge from all damage or trouble, and 20 l. reward. Also, if any Person can discover the Receiver, who was of a middle stature, slender, light Periwig, in black Cloaths, and a Quibbler in his Face; or the Person that employed him, who was of a betterly found out, to the aforesaid Persons, he shall have 20 l. reward.

Stephen Dench, about 30 years of age, is sickly, and hath the King's Evil under his Throat, having been missing some time from his Father *Stephen Dench* of *Cambridge*, who is lately dead: whoever can give him notice thereof will be well rewarded.

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