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Jamaica, Feb. 1.



ON Saturday last our Lieutenant-Governor Sir Henry Morgan was informed that Jacob Everfon (a most notorious Pyrat) rid then in Cow-Bay with a Sloop and a Barqua-Longa, and had aboard them both about 100 Men; whereupon he presently ordered a Sloop, that was an excellent Sailer, and very fit for the Service, to be manned with 50 Seamen and Soldiers, besides Officers, and in less than an hours time got her to Sail, having upon the first Notice set Sentinels to hinder any Boats or Men from going off to give the Pyrats Advice.

Yesterday about Noon our Sloop came before the Bay where the Pyrat rid, and as they stood in without any Colours, and with most of their Men in the Hold, several of the Pyrats Men that were ashore, came on board their Sloop and Barque; the Sloop being to Windward, and most Men appearing on board of her, they stood towards her, and as soon as they were within Shot, hoisted the Kings Colours, and laid them aboard, the Pyrats fired first a few small Arms, but did our Men little damage, but when they saw them Enter with Resolution and Authority, many of the Pyrats leap'd into their Cannoes, which overjet, and they were Drowned, and after some resistance, our Men remained Masters of the Pyrats Sloop. In the mean time, the Bark riding somewhat to Leeward, Cut, and got under Sail (though not without visible damage, three or four of their Men who were mending a Top-Sail which our Shot had disordered, being seen to fall over-board) and our Sloop made all the haste possible, and chased her, but to no purpose (she Sailing much better) and therefore returned thither, bringing in thirty odd Prisoners, some of which its believed will die of their Wounds: The Captain himself (who was on board the Sloop, and being shot in the Reins was Drowned) was a Dutchman, but all the Men English, except six Spaniards, whom our Lieutenant-Governor will send to Cartagena by Capt. Haywood, who will Sail on Monday next.

Our Governor has likewise issued his Orders for the Apprehending such of the Pyrats as were left on Shore.

Vienna, April 6. The necessary Preparations are making at Oedenburg in Hungary, for the meeting of the Dyet, and care has been taken to Assign Lodgings for the Nobility and others that are to be there; but the Malecontents refuse to come thither, unless they may have Hostages for the security of their Persons; and they have desired that the Archbishop of Gran, and another Person of Eminent quality may be the Hostages, which its believed the Emperor will not consent to, exp.cting they should rely upon the assurances he has given them that they

shall come and depart with all freedom; but it is not to be wondered that the Malecontents make these new difficulties, if it be true that Count Teckelej has been lately presented with a very rich Jewel, and with a Horse worth 1000 Ducats, by a Foreign Prince, as the Report says he has.

Lintz, April 12. The 9th Instant their Imperial Majesties parted from hence for Vienna, where we believe they arrived yesterday. The young Arch-Duke will remain here yet some days, and will be carried by Land.

Berlin, April 15. Our Letters from Holland tell us, that they had received Advice from the West-Indies, that the Brandenburg Frigats had taken two Spanish Ships very richly laden; and from Hamburg they write of a Report they had there, that the Spaniards having fitted out two light Frigats at Ostend, had sent them into the Balsick, with Orders to seize what Ships they can meet with, belonging to the Subjects of our Elector; but we know not what credit it deserves; and at the same time our Spanish Letters give us very little hopes of an Accommodation. It is still said that the King of Sweden intends to go for Livonia very suddainly, and that there will be an Enterview between him and the King of Poland, which if so, will give great-jealousie to their neighbors, that their entering into Engagements, that may be prejudicial to them. From Warsaw they write, that the Dyet continues still; that on the 28th past they Debated concerning the prosecuting the War against the Turks in conjunction with the Moscovites, in which they then made a considerable Progress, and ordered several of the Deputies to acquaint the Foreign Ministers with what they had resolved; so that every body concluded that the Treaty with the Moscovite Ambassadors was going to be finished; but that some days following, new difficulties had been started by those who are against the War, and so well managed, as to put the whole thing to a stand, and to make it doubtful what the issue would at last be.

Brussels, April 18. The Dispute between the Magistrates and the Commonalty of Anwerp, about raising their quota of the 300000 Florins, which is an Arrear of a Subsidy Granted to the Duke de Villa Hermosa, is not yet Adjusted; though we doubt not but it will be upon the Count d'Arckinto's return thither, who parts from hence to morrow. Count Salazar is gone for Flanders, to finish the Reform of the Cavalry in that Province, that so the Prince of Parma who is going thither, may see all the Troops in order, according as he has new Modell'd them. Don Bernardo de Salinas being now perfectly recovered, will suddainly begin his Journey for Denmark, where he is to reside as Envoye Extraordinary from the King of Spain. The Letters we received

ived the last week from France told us, That the King, upon the Spanish Ambassadors Declaring to him, that Orders had been sent for the Evacuation of *Virton*, had Commanded the Count de *Bissy* to retire with his Troops out of *Luxemburg*, which made us the more easily believe what was writ in some Letters from thence, that the said Troops were leaving that Countrey; but it proves a mistake, for we have fresh Letters which say, that they still continue there, and that the Count de *Bissy* had required some small Places, as *Rhemich*, *Cravenmacheren*, &c. to furnish him with great quantities of Provisions, and at the same time had forbidden them to send any to the City of *Luxemburg*.

Brussels, April 22. The Count d' *Archinto* is returned from *Antwerp*, having composed the difference between the Magistrates and the People, and Adjusted all Matters to his Highness's satisfaction. Count d' *Erpe* is likewise returned from *Limburg*, having obtained the Subsidies he went thither to Demand of the States of that Province in his Highness's Name. His Highness has received an account from *Guelderland*, that the Elector of *Brandenburg* will be at *Cleves* before the end of the next Month; that at *Wesel* and *Lipstadt* they are providing a great many Carriages for Cannon, Pontoons, and Ammunition-Waggons, and that several Officers are employed in raising of Men. From *Luxemburg* they write, that the French do not yet make any shew of leaving that Countrey; but that on the contrary, they make a new Claim to the Prevosty of *Rhemich*; and not content with the Evacuation of *Virton*, they Demand to have the same delivered into their hands by a formal Act, acknowledging their Right; but the Prince of *Parma*, thinks he has done enough in withdrawing the Spanish Troops, and leaving it to the Count de *Bissy* to take Possession if he please. Don *Alexander Farnese*, the Prince's Son, having entred himself a Volontier in the Marquis of *Bedmar's* Regiment of Spanish Foot, and Mounting the Guard yesterday for the first time, it was done with much Ceremony; the Prince de *Rache* *Maisrâ de Camp-General* of the King's Forces in these Provinces, supplying the place of the Major, and Leading the Regiment, the Prince de *Vaudemont*, and Don *Antonio d'Agurto* General of the Artillery, discharging the Place of Adjutants, the Marquis de *Bedmar*, and Monsieur *Sarmiento*, Generals of *Bataliâ*, that of Sergeants, and all the Colonels that were in Town, that of Corporals, besides several Persons of Quality accompanied Don *Alexander*, and carried Pikes; after which the Prince of *Parma* Entertained them at Supper, and with the same Solemnity the Guard was this day relieved.

Hague, April 22. The Count d' *Avaux*, Ambassador from France, has by a Memorial acquainted the States-General, that the French Commissioners will be at *Courtray* on the second of the next Month, to renew the Conferences for the determining the differences concerning the Limits. Our Letters from *Spain* give an Account, that the King, to prevent all misunderstanding between him and the Crown of *Portugal*, on occasion of what had happened in *America*, was sending the Duke of *Gisvanazzo* to *Lisbon* to accommodate that Matter.

Paris, April 23. What was said of Monsieur *Gassion's* going Ambassador to *Spain*, it seems a mistake, the King having nominated the Bishop of *Troyes* to succeed the Marquis de *Villars* in that Embassie. The Dutchess of *houillon* is returned to Court.

Falmouth, April 11. The 8th Instant came into this Port the Crown of *London*, *Richard Taylor* Master from *Bordeaux*, bound for *Rotterdam* (he came from thence in the company of several other Ships, from whom he was separated by bad weather) and the *Grace of Fopsham*, *Richard Dodge* Master from the *Maderas*, he tells us of a great deal of bad weather they had there, in which several Vessels were lost; and that Sir *Richard Dutton*, whom His Majesty has appointed to succeed Sir *Fonabap Atkins* in the Government of the *Barbados*, sailed from the *Maderas* on the 22 of *February* to continue his Voyage. On Saturday last passed by this Harbor our *Streights Fleet*, the Wind at *S. W.*

Dcal, April 11. Yesterday arrived in the Downs above 30 Sail of small Vessels bound for *Holland* and other Parts, from France.

Whitehal, April 15. There having been Published a Paper, called the *Additional Information of Eustace Comyne*, in which is this Clause. *And this Information was told by John Welsh of Kilmore in the said County of Tipperary, That whatever Robert Low, Charles Alcocke, Esq; Sir William Davies, and John Welsh the Lawyer, should act or do, in the carrying on of the Plot against the Protestants; they had sufficient Authority from his Grace the Duke of Ormond for the doing it.* The said *Eustace Comyne* appeared this day of his own accord before the Council-Board, and Declared upon Oath, that Mr. *Hetherington* put the above recited Clause into his said Information without his knowledge, and that he knows no such thing.

This day likewise *Francis Smith* (the Publisher of the *Protestant Intelligence*, at the *Elephant and Castle* in *Cornhill*) was by Order of the Board Committed to *Newgate* for High Treason.

Advertisements.

Lost on Thursday last at *Whitehal*, a middle-size *White-Spaniel Dog*, with two Reddish spots, one upon his Back and another upon his Buttock, with two reddish Ears full of little Fleabits; let them bring him to the *Porters Lodge* at *Whitehal*, and they shall have 20 s. reward.

The four Attorneys of the Lord Mayors Court, *London*, (in pursuance of an Order lately made by the Lord Mayor and Court of Aldermen) have fitted up and prepared a Public Office in *Threadneedle-street*, on the North-side of the *Royal Exchange*, wherthey or their Clerks will be constantly attending for the Enting of Attachments and Actions in like manner as at the *Compters*; and for dispatch of all other Matters relating to that Court, both in Law and Equity. Where also the Sergeants and Officers will constantly attend, for the executing the Process of that Court.

Wooles to be Run, being about 40 l. price, will be Run for on Wednesday the 4th of May next, every Horse carrying Ten Stone, three Heats; and on the Friday following another Plate about 30 l. price, will be Run for there by Horses carrying fifteen Stone, one Heat only. There will be also a Plate given for Hounds running a Train-scent of four Miles, for which any Gentleman may put in a Hound.

Taken away out of the Warehouse of Mr. *John Margrett* at *Limboys* Rope-house in *Stepney* Parish, the 15th Instant at night, four Barrels of Pitch; Whoever can discover the same, and give Notice thereof to the said Mr. *J. Margrett*, so as they may be recovered, shall have 40 s. reward.