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Naples, Feb. 15.

Our new Viceroy, the Marquis *de Liche*, is making a great Reformation, and is particularly resolved to regulate the current Moneys which have of late occasioned such great and frequent Complaints. He intends likewise to encrease the Soldiers Pay, which is now so small that they cannot subsist upon it, and do therefore commit many disorders, so that the People here are mightily pleased with these beginnings of his Government. The Marquis *de los Velez* is still here, but all his Goods are Embarked on a Merchant-Ship that isto carry them to *Genoua*.

Milan, Feb. 10. We cannot hear of the motion of any French Troops near us, without being Alarmed, and therefore we have a watchful Eye upon those that are now Quartered in the Territories of the Duke of *Savoy*, and our Governour, the Count *de Melgar*, is providing, as far as he can, for the Security of our Frontier-places, but the assistances he expects from *Spain*, as well as *Naples* and *Sicily*, come very slowly. The Court of *Savoy* is at present at *Turin*.

Venice, Feb. 15. The last Letters we received from *Rome* told us, That the Pope had approved of the Resolution taken by the Congregation he had established for the Affairs of *Hungary*, to assist the Emperor with 200000 Crowns, for the Service of the next Campaign, and that the said Moneys would be forthwith remitted to the Popes Nuncio at *Vienna*; That it was said the Pope had resolved to send a Nuncio to *France*, to exhort that King to employ his Arms against the Turks, which if it be true, is lookt upon as a great step to an accommodation of the differences between the French King and the Pope; and that Cardinal *Cesar Fachinetti* dyed at *Rome* the 31 past, by whose Death there are 15 places vacant in the Colledge of Cardinals. We have Letters from *Turkey*, but do not bring us any News, they only speaking of the preparations of the Turks for the War against the Emperor.

Genoua, Feb. 17. Two days since arrived here the *Legborne Merchant*, Captain *Herrington*, in 35 days from the *Dowms*. In Port are the *Rebecca*, bound for *Lubon*, and the *Friendship* for *Legborne* and *Venice*. From *Thou'on* we have advice, That the French are fitting out several Men of War, to be employed against the *A'gierines*, under the Command of Monsieur *de Quesne*. In the mean time those Corsairs do very much disturb the French Navigation, having of late taken several of their Merchant Ships. From *Rome* they write, That the General of the Jesuits, who was lately chosen, after a long contest to whom he should make the first

visit, the French, or the Spanish Ambassador, had given the preference to the French, which had highly offended the Spaniards, and that they had shown a publick Resentment of it.

Vienna, Feb. 17. We have not as yet a particular account of what has passed in the Dyet held by Count *Teckley* at *Caschau*; it has been reported that great discontents appeared among the Nobility at their first coming thither, and that there was little appearance they would answer Count *Teckley's* expectations; but since, we have received advices which say quite the contrary, and tell us, That Count *Teckley* had so well disposed things, as that he doubted not but to attain the aim he had in calling these States together. The Letters add, That he does extremely care for the Turkish Minister that is there, and that he does not only treat him with all imaginable Respect, but likewise communicates to him all manner of Publick Affairs, by which, as well as other things, it appears most evidently that Count *Teckley*, whatever he pretends, is so firmly and closely engaged with the Turks, that he does not make any Steps, but with their approbation; and therefore the hopes we have so long entertained our selves with, That the Peace would after all be prolonged, lessen daily, and the Preparations for the War are made the more vigorously. The Emperors Ministers have of late had several Conferences with the Marquis *de Sepeville*, the French Envoy, upon some Overtures that have, as it is said, been made in order to the composing the differences that do depend between the Empire and the Crown of *France*. The Baron *de Swerin*, the Elector of *Brandenburg's* Minister, does endeavour all he can to dispose the Ministers here to accept of the French Proposals, if better cannot be obtained, his Electoral Highness being, as he declares, of opinion that nothing is more to be desired, in the present conjuncture of Affairs, than that a firm Peace be established between the Emperor, and the Empire, and the most Christian King, for that otherwise several Princes of the Empire may be obliged to take such particular Measures for their own security, as the Emperor may not be satisfied with. It is said, That the Duke of *Lorraine* will command the Emperors Forces this next Campaign, as *Generalissimus*. It was likewise reported, That his Highness would have been here ere this to assist at the Councils of War that have been held for the ordering matters for the approaching Campaign, but it seems it was a mistake.

Strasbourg, Feb. 20. We are at present very quiet in these parts, but know not how long we shall continue so; for if we may give credit to the discourses that are abroad, the French will have considerable Armies in the Field this Summer, if the differences that are now depending are not accommodated. The New Fortifications that are making here are continued with great Diligence and application,

ation, as well as charge. From *Ratisbonne* we have an account, That the Electoral Colledge will treat with the Count *de Crey* upon the French King's Proposals, but the Colledge of Princes will not; That the Imperial Commissioner, the Bishop *d'Aichstadt*, presses them both to dispatch the Point of the publick Security: But that the Electoral Colledge will not enter upon that matter till a Peace be established between the Empire and *France*, and that in this the Colledge of Princes likewise differ from them, for these have declared they will at the same time that they Treat with the Count *de Crey*, deliberate concerning the making the necessary Provision for the defence and security of the Empire.

Frankfort, Feb. 26. The Emperor, as we are informed, will call all his Troops out of the Empire, except only three or four Thousand Men, to employ them in the War against the Turks, and in their stead the Elector of *Bavaria* is to furnish a Body of Men for his Imperial Majesties Service in the Empire. The Magistrates of this City having excused their receiving an Imperial Garrison, are themselves providing for their Security, as far as they think the present conjuncture requires it. We have had several Letters from *Hungary* which speak of the arrival of the Grand Vizier at *Belgrade*, but those we receive from *Vienna* do not give any certain account of it; In this all our advices agree, That the Preparations of the Turks are very great, and that according to all appearance they will fall in a very numerous Body into *Hungary*, so soon as the Weather will permit it; That Count *Teckley* has a very close and secret Correspondence with them, and that he proposes to himself great advantages from their assistance and protection.

Cologne, Feb. 26. The Letters from *Liege* bringing an account, That the Commonalty of that City cannot be prevailed with to give out Elector the satisfaction he demands, His Electoral Highness has resolved to make use of Force to compel them thereunto, and we are told, That his Ministers are preparing a *Manifesto* against the said City, which will be very speedily published. We have advice from *Soest*, That there are as yet only arrived the Ministers of the King of *Denmark*, of the Electors of *Brandenburg* and *Cologne*, and the Bishop of *Munster*. The Duke *de Croÿ*, who is Levying in these parts a Regiment of 2000 Foot for the Emperors Service, has already raised 1000, who will very quickly March for *Bobemia*, where they have their Quarters assigned them.

Hamburg, Feb. 26. The King of *Denmark* raises what Seamen he can, as well here as at *Altena*, for the Service of the Fleet he intends to have at Sea this Summer, which as we are told will consist of 36 Men-of War. He likewise makes Levies by Land, intending to encrease his standing Forces, because his Neighbours augment theirs. The Dukes of *Lunenburg* do also raise Men, but it is only to recruit the Regiments they have already on Foot. It is reported, That the Poles have resolved in the Dyet that is now assembled at *Warsaw*, to raise 20000 Horse, for the service of the Emperor against the Turks, but our last Polish Letters not making any mention thereof, we know not what credit to give to it. From *East Friseland* we have an account, That the Imperial Troops,

who made an Attempt upon *Oredemburg*, being disappointed in it by Major *Linte*'s drawing together the *Militia* of the Country, are returned to their Quarters, and that endeavours are using to compose the differences between the Princes and States of that Country, which there is the more reason to believe may be successful, for that both sides grow sensible of the troubles they may otherwise bring upon themselves.

Paris, March 3. The King, the Queen, and the whole Court part to morrow as we told you in our last, for *Compeigne*, and we are informed, That the Marschal *de Bellefonds*, and the Marschal *de L'Orge*, are gone before. It is still said, That there will be a great Encampment on the *Soane*, and that the Dauphin is to command the Army, and the Marschal *de Schomberg* under him; and it is reported, That there will be other Encampments besides this, but without any certainty. On Monday last the Doctors of the *Sorbonne* met to consider of the Proposition they received from the Parliament, concerning the Popes Authority, and after some debate adjourned, the farther consideration thereof till Monday next. Four or five of the principal Streets of this City are going to be enlarged, and to be made more beautiful and commodious.

Whitehal, Feb. 28. This day the Right Honourable, *Theophilus* Earl of *Humington*, and *Henry* Earl of *Peterborough*, were Sworn of His Majesties most Honourable Privy Council, and accordingly took their places at the Board.

Trinity-House, Febr. 28. *The Candle-Light* at *Winterton*, belonging to the Corporation of Trinity-House, by extremity of Weather, and breaking in of the Sea, being like to be washed down, there was a necessity of its removal, which has been done so far Southwesterly in the same Bearing, that it does not open so well with the great Light: These are therefore to give notice thereof to all Masters of Ships, and others concerned, and that care will be taken with all convenient speed, to place it more Northerly.

Whereas there has been great Destruction of Hare, Partridge, and other His Majesties Game about *Newmarket*, His Majesty does hereby strictly forbid all Persons whatsoever to carry down (for this meeting at *Newmarket*) any Greyhounds, Setting Dogs, Guns, or other Engines that may destroy any Game there: And His Majesty does farther signify His Pleasure, That no Person do presume to Hunt, Hawke, Set, Course, or Shoot, between *Lackford* and the seven Mile Ditch, without leave first obtain'd.

Advertisements.

Lost in Mr. James Olmonds Coffee House, over against the Six Clerks Office in Chancery-Lane, or thereabouts, about three Weeks since, a last-years Almanack, long bound, in a Leather Case, wherein were several Acquittances written, and some loose Acquittances and other Papers. Whoever can discover the same, so as it be delivered to the said James Olmond, shall have 20 s. Reward.

Stolen or Strayed from Mr. Wards Ground, at *Kentish-Town*, near *London*, in the County of *Middlesex*, on Thursday the 22 Instant, one grey Gelding, about fifteen hands high, Wall Ey'd, Trots and Paces. Also a dun Gelding, with a black Main and Tail, a list down his Back, white Faced, and some part of his Feet white. Whoever gives notice of them to Mr. Richard Bishop, Poulterer, at the King's-Arms in *Clare-Market*, or to Mr. Ward at *Kentish-Town* aforesaid, shall have 20 s. Reward.