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Warsaw, April 3.

**Y**esterday the Alliance between the Emperor and this Crown was concluded and Signed by Count *Wallaftain*, the Imperial Ambassador, and the Commissioners of this Kingdom: By this Treaty the Emperor obliges himself to act with an Army of 60000 Men against the Turks, and the King of *Poland* promises to have between 30 and 40000 Men in the Field this Summer for the Assistance of his Imperial Majesty. The Dyet have approved of this League, and to morrow they will put an end to their Meeting. The Turkish Chiaus, who is at present here, has endeavoured all he could to keep the King of *Poland* from entering into this Engagement with the Emperor, and has declared, That the Cham of *Tartary* will fall with a great Army into this Kingdom, if any assistance be given the Emperor from hence, but his Threatnings have not had any effect. There are those that believe that the Moscovites will make use of this Conjunction to oblige the Turks to establish a Peace with them upon more honourable Terms than those stipulated by the Treaty that was Concluded about two Years agoe between the last Czar and the Port.

*Vienna, April 3.* The general Rendezvous of the Imperial Troops in *Hungary* is put off, as we are informed, till the third of *May*. The Elector of *Bavaria* is certainly expected here, and will accompany the Emperor to the said Rendezvous. The Margrave of *Baden* is come back from visiting *Raab*, *Comorra*, and the Island *Schutz*, and has given the Emperor an account of the condition he found those places in. From *Hungary* they write, That the Ottoman Troops are on their March to the place assigned for their general Rendezvous, and that they are making Preparations at *Belgrade* for the Reception of the Grand-Signior, who will be there the beginning of the next Month. Two days since arrived here an Expreß from *Warsaw*, being sent by Count *Wallaftain*, the Emperor's Ambassador there, to give his Imperial Majesty an account of the Conclusion of the Offensive and Defensive Alliance between him and the King of *Poland*, which has been received here with great satisfaction.

*Vienna, April 8.* The Duke of *Lorraine* will be here in few days, and upon his Arrival a great Council of War will be held, after which we shall know for certain the day and place of the general Rendezvous of the Emperor's Troops. His Imperial Majesty will have an Army of 60000 Men, whereof the Duke of *Lorraine* is to have the chief Command, besides which there will be kept a Body of Men in *Croatia*, for the security of that Country. We are told from *Hungary*, That Count *Teckelej* is preparing to take the Field, and

that the Turks do take great Care to secure the Passage of *Eseg*, near which they have Posted 15000 Men. The Baron *Shwerin*, the *Brandenburg* Minister, is parted from hence on his return home: It has been reported, That his Electoral Highness of *Brandenburg* had offered to assist the Emperor with a Body of Men against the Turks, but we cannot say what ground there is for it. The Elector of *Bavaria* is expected here, about the middle of this Month, and there is a general belief that before he returns home, the Marriage between him and the Emperor's Daughter will be compleated.

*Hamburg, April 16.* From *Zell* they write, That Monsieur *Bierman*, the Danish Envoy, has been very well received by the Princes of *Lunenburg*, but that he has not succeeded in his Negotiation; That the Baron *de Welling*, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Sueden*, was arrived at *Zell*, and had had Audience of that Duke. From *Stockholm* of the third Instant they write, That the King of *Sueden's* Leg is perfectly well again; That the King intended to part the 20th Instant from *Stockholm* for *Schonen*, to take a review of his Troops on that side, after which he would go to *Carelsbroon* to see his Fleet which is fitting out there. The Letters from *Warsaw* of the second Instant give us an account, That the Offensive and Defensive Alliance was Signed the day before, with the Approbation of the Dyet; That in pursuance of it the King of *Poland* is to enter into a War against the Turks, and during it to have on Foot an Army of 40000 Men; That the Emperor is in consideration thereof to pay the King of *Poland* presently 1200 thousand Florins; That his Imperial Majesty and the Queen Dowager of *Poland* do relinquish the Pretensions they have upon that Crown; and that neither the Emperor, nor the King of *Poland*, is to Treat or Conclude a Peace with the Grand-Signior, but with a joynit approbation and consent. The Letters add, That the Crown Treasurer, Count *Morstein*, had quitted his publick Employments, and that among other things mentioned in the Charge brought in against him, he is accused of endeavouring to render the Debates and Deliberations of the Dyet fruitless, and of holding a Correspondence with a foreign Power to the prejudice of the Interests of his Country.

*Hague, April 24.* The States of *Ouvr-Yffel* have sent in their Consent to the Equipage of the 16 Men of War, which are fitting out with all the diligence possible. The Admiralty of *Zealand*, having represented to the States-General, That they are not able to fit out their Quota of the said Ships unless they are furnished with the Moneys necessary for that Service, the States-General have written to the States of that Province, desiring them to advance to the said Admiralty the Moneys, or at least part thereof, which they are to contribute to this Equipage; that so the publick Service may not suffer. This State having made a Treaty

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of Commerce with the King of Fez and Morocco, to whom, in consideration of it, they are to give some Cannon, Small Arms, &c. a Moor is lately arrived here with the Ratifications of it, which being in Arabick, the States have given Order for the Translating it into Dutch, and in the mean time, the Person that brought it, who is said to be one of that King's Military Officers, is defrayed by the State. The Letters from Poland do bring us the certainty of the Conclusion of the League between the Emperor and that King. It is said here, That 200000 Crowns have been remitted from Spain to Brussels, for the satisfying the Pretensions of the Elector of Brandenburg, concerning the Arrears of Subsidies due to him from that Crown. The Northern Letters say, that the main Scope of the League lately concluded between the King of Denmark and the Crown of France, is to hinder the Swedes from Transporting any considerable Body of Troops for Germany, and that therefore the Danes do work almost Night and Day to get their Fleet to Sea. And at the same time they write from Sweden, That they are making the necessary Preparations there for the sending their Troops over to Pomerania and Bremen.

Paris, April 24. We are told, That the King, in his intended Progress, which he will begin as is said about the 20th of the next Month, will pass through Corbeil, Pont-Sur-Ton, Dyon, Dole, Bezancon, Colmar, Strasburg, Busweiler, Deuxponts, Sarbrucke, Vaudevange, Metz, Verdun, St. Mencheu, Chalons, Espernay, Maux, and so back to Versailles. The Count de Roze is it's said going for Denmark, to be General of that King's Forces. We are expecting the Nuncio which the Pope sends hither with the Bless'd Clouts to the Duke of Burgundy: In the mean time affairs continue in the same state between this Court and that of Rome.

Deal, April 16. Yesterday in the Afternoon the *Fofus*, the *George*, and the *Fleece*, bound for the *East-Indies*, with several other Merchant Ships, outward Bound, sailed out of the *Downs*, the Wind being at N. N. W. but is since come about to the S. W.

Deal, April 17. The three *East-India* Ships which sailed the 15th out of the *Downs*, are come back, by reason of the contrary Winds. The *Success* is come into the *Downs* from the River, likewise bound for the *East-Indies*.

Whitehal, April 17. His Majesty has been Graciously pleased to cause His Royal Proclamation to be Published, Commanding the Magistrates, and Officers of His Majesties Customs in all the Ports of His Dominions, to give notice to all His Majesties Subjects whom it may concern, That they may have Passes for their Ships from His Majesties respective High Admirals, or Commissioners for executing that Office.

#### CHARLES R.

Whereas by Treaty of Peace concluded between the Kings Most Excellent Majesty and the Government of Algiers, the Tenth day of April, 1682. It is agreed, That after Fifteen Months from the Date of the said Treaty, all Merchants Ships or Vessels of His Majesties Subjects shall be obliged to produce a Pass, under the Hand and Seal of the Lord High Admirals,

or the Commissioners for Executing that Office, of His Majesties respective Dominions: And whereas the said Term of Fifteen Months is now near expiring, His Majesty therefore hath thought fit, with the Advice of His Privy Council, to Publish His Royal Proclamation, and doth hereby strictly Charge and Command all Magistrates and Officers of the Customs in all and every the Ports of His Dominions, to give Notice thereof to all His Majesties Subjects whatsoever therein concerned, and that they may have Passes for their several Ships upon demanding the same from His Majesties respective Lord High Admirals, or Commissioners for Executing that Office for the time being, according to the Rules prescribed and used in granting the same.

Given at Our Court at Whitehall the Thirteenth Day of April 1683, in the Five and thirtieth Year of Our Reign.

His Majesty being well satisfied of the Knowledge and Skill of Henry Holden Esq; in the Compounding and mixing of Mettle, without any noxious Ingredients, for the making of all sorts of Glasses, has been pleased to cause him to be Sworn His Servant in Ordinary, with leave to put His Imperial Arms on all such Glasses as shall be made by his order: These are therefore to give Notice, That the said Mr. Holden is now making his Glasses at his Glass-House in the Savoy.

#### Advertisements.

Whereas one Will. Ford, Tho. Daniel, John Seeds, Richard Foules, Thomas Penny, John Worley, Robert Aultin, John Smith of Warrington, in the County of Lancaster, who goes about with a pretended Deputation from Mr. Killegrew, at whose Request he is put into this Advertisement, with several others, do, in Contempt of His Majesties Letters-Patents, Infest the Countreys with Lotteries and Games resembling Lotteries, (notwithstanding several former Advertisements) some by pretended Authority, others by former Deputations now out of Date; some by counterfeited Deputations, others under colour of Shows, privately exercising Lotteries; and some (as is informed) by connivance of inferior Officers, to the great Damage, if not Ruine of several truly Loyal Indigent Officers, to whom His Majesty, for their Sufferings and Services, hath granted all Lotteries for the Term of 13 years, with Prohibition to all others: And whereas there is at this present time a newly invented Lottery, under the name of the Riffing or Ruffling Lottery, exercised particularly by one Mrs. Jewel in Lyn-Regis; It is therefore earnestly desired, That all Mayors, Sheriffs, Justices of the Peace, Bailiffs, Constables, &c. would carefully inspect all Deputations, and effectually suppress all such persons as shall erect or exercise any Lotteries, or Games resembling Lotteries, other than such as are or shall be Deputed under the hands of some of the Commissioners thereunto appointed, and their Seal-of-Office, with this Inscription, MELIORA DESIGNAVI.

These are to give notice, That on the 11th Instant, went away a Blackamore Boy, about 14 or 15 Years old, had lately a Sore upon his right Cheek, and Imprint upon one of his Shoulders with an Iron, the Letters R. G. a Ring in one of his Ears, and in Mourning. Whoever gives Notice of him at the White-Hart in Cateaton-street, so that he may be had again, shall have a Guinea Reward.

On the 29th of March last, a brown Nag, about 13 hands high, about three years old, with a large Mane, a cut Tail, a little thick Headed, and cuts within the fore Legs. Whoever gives Notice of him to Mr. John Jenkinson at the three Coules in St. Giles's, shall be well Rewarded.

Strayed or Stolen out of the Grounds of John Shipman, of Stamford-hill in the Parish of Tottenham High-croft, in the County of Middlesex, on Monday the 18th Instant at Night, a brown bay Mare, with a black Man and a long black Tail, above 14 hands high, Branded on both Shoulders with J. S. with a Cross Clip in the Hair of each Buttock, about four Years old. Whoever gives Notice of her, so as she may be had, to the said John Shipman, or to William Mathews, at the Pewter-Plater without Temple-bar, shall have 20 s. Reward.