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Genova, April 4.

THIS Morning sailed from hence the *George Ketch* for *Legborne*; and in few days will likewise depart the *Alexander Merchant* for *Alicant*; and the *Rainbow* for *Lisbon*. A French Envoy is arrived at *Argiers*; and here is a report that he hath made a Peace with those People.

Legborne, April 11. The *Mary Rose* and the *Swan* two English Men of War, sailed from hence the 5th instant for the Coast of *Barbary*; and the *Constant Warwick* will follow them to-morrow. The Great Dukes Gallies, as likewise several Gallies, are setting out with all diligence, which are to joyn with the Popes Gallies and those of *Malta* against the Common Enemy. The Venetian Fleet will be at Sea in a very short time, and many of the Nobility will serve in it as Volantiers. The Province of *Friuli* will raise and maintain 200 Horse at their own charge; and 300 Banditi of *Brescia* have offered to serve in the War, desiring only some small Pay for their support. By the way of *Ragusa* we have advice, that the Janisaries have strangled the Grand Signior, and placed his Brother upon the Throne.

Warsaw, April 3. According to our last advices from *Cracow*, the King of *Poland* was arrived at *Fawarow* near *Leopol*, where the Castellan of *Cracow* had presented to his Majesty the Hospodar Duke, who was sometime since taken Prisoner as he was going to take Possession of the Government of *Walachia*, to which he was restored by the Turks: He had offered a very great Ransom, but the King of *Poland* did not think fit to grant him his Liberty at this time, and endeavoured to discover from him the present State of Affairs, as well as designs of the Turks, and for that reason treated him very kindly. The Letters add, that the King hath been somewhat concerned at the news of the Cossacks having fallen upon their General *Kunicki* and slain him, accusing him of Cowardise, and having employed to his own use the Moneys sent them by the Pope, but that his Majesty thought it convenient to dissemble his Resentment of it. That his Majesty had appointed the Rendezvous of his Troops on the Frontiers of *Podolia* the beginning of the next month. And that the League between the King and Crown of *Poland*, and the Republick of *Venice*, hath been published in all the considerable places in *Poland* and *Lithuania*.

Danzick, April 7. Our Letters from *Cracow* tell us, that the Cossacks have killed their General *Kunicki*, and have again made choice of *Mobilis* to be their General. And that there was some discontent among them, for that they had not received the Moneys sent them by the Pope, but that the *Sieur Lubacemski* had pacified them with 50000 Guilders, and a promise of more in a very short time; and that they had thereupon resolved to send thirty Deputies to the King of *Poland* to renew their Oath of Fidelity to him.

Vienna, April 12. The Letters from *Hungary* tell us, the Turks are again making Preparations for the relief of *Newbesel*, and that to that end they have commanded the Country People to repair the bad ways and the broken Bridges; which the Governor of *Gran* having notice of, he hath forbid them to do either upon pain of death. That 300 Turks of the Garrison of *Newbesel*, lately made an Excursion as far as *Lewentz*, and having met with a small Party of *Heyduckes* and *Hussars*, they took 25 of them Prisoners, whom they carried back with them to *Newbesel*: That some Christians, who were Prisoners in *Newbesel*, and have redeemed themselves, report, that there is so great a fear among the Turks, that they send from thence their best things to *Agria* and *Buda*, and that the Christian Prisoners, whose Ransoms were formerly set at several thousand Florins, may now obtain their Liberty for one or two hundred; and that the place is in great want of Provisions. The Letters from *Poland* give an account, that the Cossacks have killed their General *Kunicki*, whom they accused of keeping from them the Moneys which had been sent them by the Pope, and that they had again chosen *Mobilis* to be their General, and had sent to the King of *Poland* to pray his Majesty to confirm their Election. They write from *Croatia*, that the Morlaques having met with a Caravan that came from *Constantinople*, had taken a great many Turkish Merchants, and a very great Booty in Money and Goods.

Lintz, April 14. This day arrived here the Elector of *Bavaria*; it's said he comes to assist at a great Council of War that's to be held here, and that he intends to return to *Munick* before the opening of the Campaign. The Rendezvous of his Forces is appointed on the 23th instant within his own Territories; after which they will begin their march towards *Hungary*. Here are again arrived Deputies from Count *Teckley*, with a train of 13 Persons, the King of *Poland* having obtained a safe conduct for them; they are very strictly guarded, and no Body is suffered to converse with them; we do not certainly know the errand they are sent upon, but the common saying is, that Count *Teckley* does now offer to submit himself to the Emperor, upon the Terms that were proposed to him before the raising of the Siege of *Vienna*. The *Moscovites* seem not very forward to come into the War against the Turks. But it is very confidently said, that the Persian Ambassador in *Poland* hath assured the King, that his Master the *Sophy of Persia* is actually on his march with 100 thousand men to besiege *Babylon*. We are likewise told, that the King of *Poland* has declared that he will come in Person into *Hungary* this Campaign; where we are assured the Emperor's Army will consist of above 60000 fighting men; Besides the Troops of *Bavaria*, and the Militia of *Hungary* commanded by the Palatine of that Kingdom.

Hamburg, April 15. The Danish Troops continue in their Quarters in *Lauenburg* and *Mecklenburg*. From *Helmstedt* they write, that several *Brandenburg* Regiments are on their march that way. The *Lunenburgh* Troops do likewise move.

Cologne,

Cologne, April 21. We are told that a Camp is being to be formed near *Rhinberg* of the Troops of our Elector, which will be joyned by eight Battalions of the *Swiss* Foot, and three Regiments of *Hollers* and by the *Brandenburg* Troops that are quartered in the Countrys of *Marke* and *Ravensbourg*, and in the Dutchy of *Cleves*. The 19th instant the Bishop of *Strasbourg* returned hither from *Bonne*.

Brussels, April 25. Our Letters from the French Conquest give an account that a great many Generals and Monsieur de *Vaubin* the chief of them, were ordered to attend the King at his arrival at *Cambrai*. That 6000 *Pioneers* were summoned to *Palenciennes* and *Conde*. That a Camp was marked out for the French Troops at *Quevrain*, and at *Frain* near *Conde*. And that the *Marshall Balthazar* intended to part from *Lille* the 27th, to go and meet the King who is expected at *Palenciennes* the 28th of this month. Upon these advices, the Preparations that are making on this side for the Campaign are hastned. Our *Maistre de Camp* General, and the *Marquis de Bedmar*, are returned hither from *Flanders*. The *Marquis de Crada* hath sent a number of *Monies* to *Mons* and *Aeth*; And his Excellency has declared, that he will take the Field the first of the next month. The *Prince of Oranges* *Guards du Corps* and his own Equipage, were to part yesterday from the *Hague* towards *Brabant*, and his Highness intended to follow himself in few days. The Garrison of *Maastricht* hath been lately reinforced, and a great Supply of Powder and Ammunition hath been sent thither by Water. And the States General have withdrawn the Garrison they had in the Castle of *Horn* within the *Bishoprick of Liege*.

Hague, April 25. The States General have authorized the *Deputies of Friesland* and *Gronings*, that they cannot recall their Troops from *Flanders*. And the *Deputies of Friesland* have thereupon entered a Protestation in the name of their Principals, and have declared, that they will not pay the Troops that are of the Repartition of that Province. The Express that was lately sent for *Paris* returned yesterday; and this Morning a great Conference was held between the Ministers of the *States* and the *Deputies* of this State. Part of the *Prince's Guards du Corps* marched yesterday for *Flinders*, and the rest will follow to day and to morrow; and it is said his Highness will part from hence towards the end of this week.

Paris, April 26. Monsieur de *Louvois* parted from hence last Saturday in the Afternoon. He did not take the way which the Court went; and some think he is gone for *Merz*. Monsieur de *Saignelay* is believed to be by this time at *Marfeilles*; where he will find 15 *Galleys* ready to put to Sea, being designed, as we are told, for the Coast of *Catalonia*. The *Sieur de la Salle*, who hath made very considerable Discoveries in *America*, is returning thither with three of the Kings Ships which are commanded by the *Sieur de Beaulieu*.

Whitehal, April 17. This day the Right Honorable *Sidney Godolphin* Esq; was sworn one of His Majesties Principal Secretaries of State, at the Council held at *Hampton-Court*.

Westminster, April 19. This day *Sir Samuel Bernardiston*, who was convicted the last Term of High Misdemeanor, for Writing and Publishing in Letters to several Persons in the Country, most Scandalous and Seditious Reflections against the Government, was brought to the Kings Bench Bar to receive the Judgment of the Court, which was, That he should pay a Fine of Ten Thousand Pounds

to the King, in and Sureties for his good Behaviour during his Life, and should be committed to the Kings Bench Prison till the same was paid and done.

Then Mr. *Wright* being brought by Rule to the Court, Bail was accepted for him, himself being bound in Recognizance of 10000 l. and four Sureties in Recognizance of 5000 l. a piece for his Appearance and abiding his Tryal upon the Information exhibited against him.

HIS Majesty having been Graciously pleased to give a considerable Summ of Money for the releasing of Poor Prisoners for Debt out of Prison, which the Right Honorable *Sir George Jeffreys* Knight and *Baronet*, Lord Chief Justice of His Majesties Court of Kings Bench, hath appointed me to dispose of (together with the Money remaining undisposed given by the Honorable Profession of the Law) according to such Directions as from time to time I shall receive from his Lordship. This is to give notice that every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, between the hours of three and four in the Afternoon, I will attend at the Crown Office to mediate between the Poor Prisoners and their Creditors, in order to some competent Satisfaction to be given to the said Creditors, and the relief of the said Poor Prisoners.

SAMUEL ASTRY.

HIS Majesty has been pleased to grant unto *Sir William Farmer* *Baronet*, and his Heirs, one Market to be held at *Towceller* in *Northampton* on every Tuesday weekly, for the buying and selling of all sorts of Cattle; and three Fairs to be held at the said place, the first upon the 29th of September, in lieu of a Fair there lately held upon the Feast day of *St. Lawrence*, the second upon *Shrove-Tuesday*, and the third upon the 23rd of March, for the buying and selling of all Goods and Merchandizes whatsoever.

Whereas upon Inquiry had before the Coroner of London, *Edward Hubbard*, *Charles Rawlinson*, and --- *Williams*, were found Guilty of a Murder committed upon the Body of Mr. *JOHN BLAKISTON* on the seventh instant at night, and the said *Williams* being committed to Newgate for the same, and *Edward Hubbard* and *Charles Rawlinson* being fled, whoever can give notice of the said *Hubbard* and *Rawlinson*, so as they may be apprehended, shall have ten Pounds by *Gilbert Marshall* Esq; at his Lodgings at the Black and Eagle in *Fleet Street*. The first is a very tall lusty man, above six foot high, his nose somewhat long and rising in the middle, aged about two and twenty years, he is wounded in his right Breast and thigh, his hand being branded; And *Rawlinson* is a tall slender man, pale faced, with black eye-brows, about twenty four years of Age.

Advertisements.

The Tryal and Conviction of *Sir Samuel Bernardiston* *Baronet*, for High Misdemeanor, at the Sessions of *Nisi Prius* holden at *Guild-Hall* London, for His Majesties Court of Kings Bench, before the Right Honorable *Sir George Jeffreys* Knight and *Baronet* Lord Chief Justice of England; On Thursday Feb. 14 1683. Printed for *Benjamin Tonke* at the Ship in *St. Pauls Church-yard*. The Tryals of *John Hampden* Esq; and *Laurence Bradden* and *Hugh Speke* are in the Press, and will be shortly published.

Jus Regium; Or, The Just and Solid Foundations of Monarchy in General; And more especially of the Monarchy of Scotland; Maintained against *Buchanan*, *Nephtali*, *Douglas*, *Milton*, &c. By *Sir George Mackenzie*, His Majesties Advocate in Scotland. Printed for *Richard Chiswell*, at the Rose and Crown in *St. Pauls Church-yard*.

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The Great neck-march between *Sir Simon* *Leech* and *Sir William Kingmill*, appointed to be fought at *Windshester*, will be fought at *Windshester*, and begin on Monday the 28th instant.

A Curious Collection of Greek and Latin Authors, Counsils, Church-History, chronicles in the Oriental Languages, Ecclesiastical Authors, with most of the Historians and other Critical and Philological Books &c. in Greek and Latin, will be exposed to sale by way of Auction on Monday the 26th day of May, at the Auction House in *St. Mary Lane* near *Ludgate Street*. *Garah* is also distributed at *Mr. Nott* 14 *St. Pauls* Church-yard, at the *Black Boy* in *Fleet Street*; *Mr. William Millers* at the *Acorn* in *St. Pauls Church-yard*; *Mr. Ponder* at the *Peacock* in the *Poultry*; *Mr. Poulkellers*; *By Mr. Cuytenden* in *Oxon* and *Mr. Hicks* in *Cambridge*.