

# The London Gazette.

Published by Authority.

From Thursday January 21. to Monday January 25. 1685.

Venice, January 12.

**T**HE Duke of Hanouer, being here, has composed the difference arisen among his Troops, which now serve this Republick, concerning the distribution of the Money the Senate gave them as a Present for their good Services during the last Campagne; And we are told that his Highness has made an Agreement to assist this State with 4000 Men more. Yesterday arrived here a Vessel in 35 days from Constantinople, by which we have advice, that the Plague, Famine, and fear of some great Commotion continue there; That the People will hear of nothing but Peace with the Christians; That the Grand Visier is dead, not without suspicion of being poysoned; That the Serasquier who commanded the Ottoman Forces in Hungary the two last Campagnes, has been frangled at Belgrade, by Order of the Grand Signior, for not having relieved *Nembusel*; And that the Grand Signior had ordered all the Money to be taken out of the Treasury at Constantinople to be employed in the War. The Letters from *Dalmatia* tell us, that a Party of *Morlaques* having made an Incurfion into the Turkish Territories, were returned with 60 Families of *Valaques*, who had put themselves under the protection of the Republick, and 3000 Head of Cattle. The *Imperialists* provide great Magazines in *Croatia*, intending to have a very considerable Army on that side the next Campagne.

*Vienna, Jan. 13.* Yesterday the Electoral Prince Palatine received from the hand of his Imperial Majesty the Order of the *Golden Fleeco*; His Highness intends to part from hence to Morrow with the Archduchess his Wife for *Heydelberg*. The three Extraordinary Envoyes are at last arrived here from *Transylvania*, the first is deputed by Prince *Abassii*, the second by the States, and the third by the free Cities of *Transylvania*, but they have not yet appeared publicly. Yesterday arrived here an Express from *Berlin*, with the Ratification of the Treaty concluded between the Emperor and the Elector of *Brandenburgh*. The Marquis de *Corbon* is come hither to desire leave to raise 500 Men within the Emperor's Territories, to recruit the Regiment which he raised there the last year for the Service of the Republick of *Venice*. The Sieur *Schirmay*, Count *Tockley's* Secretary, who was sent hither by his Master before he was made a Prisoner at *Belgrade*, with Proposals of an Accommodation, was seized here this Week, and sent Prisoner to the Castle of *Glatz* in *Silesia*, it appearing by his own Letters, which have been lately intercepted, that he not only held a Correspondence with the Rebels in *Montatz*, but encouraged them to defend that place against the Emperor's Forces. The last Advices from *Upper Hungary*, give an ac-

count that the *Imperialists* had taken the Lower Town of *Montatz*, and that the Castle, which was all that remained in the hands of the Rebels; was so closely blocked up, that they could not receive any Relief. The *Imperialists* had taken a Letter from the King of *Poland* to the Princess *Ragotzi*, which General *Caprara*, to shew his Respect to his Majesty, sent, without opening it, to the said Princess. The Governor of *Gran* has given an account hither, that he had advice that the Garrison of *Buda* suffered very much through the want of Provisions; and that the *Turks* continue to fortifie their Places which are most exposed.

*Vienna, Jan. 17.* The Envoyes from the Prince and States of *Transylvania* have been to visit the chief Ministers of this Court, to whom they have not yet discovered that they have any other Commission than to sollicite an Exemption from Winter-quarters; but if this be all their Business, they are not like to return home with any great satisfaction. The Letters from *Upper Hungary* tell us, that General *Caprara* had sent a Detachment to reinforce the Troops that block up *Montatz*, and that these were preparing to attack that Fortrels so soon as the weather would permit it. Major General *Wallis* has been with 2000 Horse to view *Great Waradin*, against which place, it's believed, the Baron de *Mercy* has formed some design. The Emperor has given Count *Staremberg* leave to go into the Service of the Elector Palatine, who has offered him the chief Command over his Forces, but he is unwilling to accept of it, unless he may keep the Regiment he has at present, in which his Imperial Majesty has not yet declared his Resolution.

*Cologne, Jan. 20.* The Letters from *Ratibonne* of the 16th Instant, inform us that the Elector Palatine has by his Minister there acquainted the Dyer, that his most Christian Majesty had let him know that he would refer the Pretensions of the Dutchess of *Orleans* upon the Allegial Lands of the Palatinate, to the Pope's Arbitrage, but that this being a matter which concerned the Emperor, and all the States of the Empire, he thought himself obliged to do nothing in it without their approbation. The Victory lately obtained by the *Imperialists* near *Arach*, is greater than was at first reported; of the Enemy above 2000 were slain or taken Prisoners. The *Turks* that defended *Arach* were most *Fanjaries*, of the Grand Signior's Guards, commanded by an Officer of great Reputation among them, who refusing to surrender the Place upon the Baron de *Mercy's* Summons, obliged him to bring his Cannon against it, which having made a Breach, the *Imperialists* gave an Assault with that Courage and Ravery, that although they could pass the Breach but Six in Front, and that the *Turks* made a very stout Defence, they entered the Place, and made themselves Masters of it.

it. The Town was pillaged, and afterwards burnt; The Plunder was so great, that divers of the common Soldiers got two hundred Ducats a Man, besides Horses and rich Cloaths. General *Mercy* has sent to *Vienna* 16 Colours taken in this occasion. This defeat of the Enemy, put those of *Temiswar* into so great a Consternation, that they burnt their Suburbs fearing they should be attackt. The Advices from the *Turkish* Territories, say *Teckley* is kept a close Prisoner in the Castle of *Belgrade*.

*Haague*, Jan. 28. The Ratifications of the Treaty concerning the separation of the Limits between this State and that of *Liege*, were exchanged here the 23d Instant. The Heer *Van Staremberg*, our Ambassador in *France*, arrived here last Saturday, and this Morning made Report in the Assembly of the *States General* of his Negotiation at that Court, whither, it's said, he will return in a Month or six Weeks. The *States of Holland* are adjourned till the 13th of the next Month. Prince *Waldecke*, and Count *Nassau* General of the Horse in the Service of this State, are not now expected here till the next Month. We have an account from *Berlin*, that the treaty between the Emperor and the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, by which his Electoral Highness promises to assist his Imperial Majesty with 7500 Men, whereof 4500 are to be Foot, and the rest Horse and Dragoons, was signed the 6th of this Month; The Ratifications thereof are to be exchanged in three Weeks,

*Brussels*, Jan. 25. The *States of Flanders* and the Magistrates of *Antwerp* have sent Deputies hither to compliment his Excellency upon his being confirmed in this Government. The Prince *de Rache*, Governor of the Province of *Hainault*, who has been extremely ill, is now lookt upon to be out of all danger; The Prince *de Vaudemont*, General of the Cavalry, is likewise very much recovered, and begins to have the use again of his Arms and Legs. The Letters from *Vienna* of the 13th Instant tell us, that the three Ambassadors from *Transylvania* were arrived there, and had been in Conference with some of the Emperor's chief Ministers, upon the demand they made that their Masters Territories might be freed from Winter-quarters, at least that the charge laid upon his Countrey might be moderated. They write from *Upper Hungary*, that a considerable Body of *Imperialists* had been sent under the Command of Major General *Wallis* to view *Great Waradin*, and though there were 4000 *Turks* in that Garrison who sallied out, and endeavoured to hinder the approach of the *Imperialists*, yet they advanced so near to the place, that they took a perfect view of it. The Letters add, that General *Caprara* had sent a reinforcement of 1500 Foot to General *Mercy*, for the execution of some design which was kept very secret.

*Brussels*, Jan. 29. His Excellency parted from hence this Morning for *Antwerp*, where he intends to stay till Friday next; At his Return he will be met by all the Publick Ministers, the Nobility and General Officers, and will make his Publick Entry into this City as Governor General of these Provinces. The Treaty between the Emperor and the Elector of *Brandenburgh* is concluded, the Ratification whereof on the part of his Electoral Highness was brought to *Vienna* before our last Letters, which are of the 17th Instant, came from thence; The same Letters tell us, that the Treaty with the Elector of *Saxony* would be likewise concluded in few days; And that the Forces these two Princes are to assist the Emperor with, will make a Body of 14 or 15000 Men. And that the Elector Palatine hath desired of the Emperor, that Gen

*Staremberg* may command his Electoral Highness's Forces, but that at the same time he may keep his Regiment in his Imperial Majesty's Service.

*Paris*, Jan. 26. We are told that the King will begin his Journey towards *Lorraine* and *Alsace* in April, and that he intends to be abroad most of the Summer. The Marschal *d'Esstrades* lies very ill, with little hopes of his Recovery. The Marquis *de la Pierre*, Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of *Savoy*, has had his Audience of Leave of the King at *Versailles*.

*Dublin*, Jan. 11. His Excellency the Earl of *Clarendon* Lord Lieutenant of this Kingdom, having Embarked the 8th Instant at *Holy-Head*, Landed the next Morning at *Dunlari*, a place about five Miles from hence, the News whereof being brought hither, the Lord Archbishop of *Dublin*, with a great Number of the Nobility, went in their Coaches to conduct his Excellency to this City; In his way his Excellency was met by two Troops of Horse; The Foot Companies quartered here, lined the Streets which he passed through, and the People expressed their Joy for his Arrival, by their repeated Acclamations. His Excellency went immediately to the Council Chamber, where the Lords Justices and the Lords of the Privy Council received him with all the demonstrations of Honour and Respect imaginable. His Excellency having presented His Majesty's Letter to the Lords Justices, and his Commission being read, took the Oaths of Allegiance and Supremacy; After which, the Sword of State was delivered to his Excellency by both the Lords Justices, and his Excellency took his Seat in the Chair of State. In the Evening the Streets were filled with Bonfires, accompanied with ringing of Bells, and all other Expressions of a general Joy and Satisfaction.

#### Advertisements.

Whereas George Devereux (who formerly lived at the Golden Key in Henrietta-street, Covent garden) doth abscond from his Bail James and Walter Devereux, who are bound in considerable Sums of Money for his Appearance. If any Person gives Notice where he is to Mr. Sedgwick Goldsmith at the Cross-Keys in Fleet-street, so that he may be seized, shall have Twenty Guinea's Reward, and all Charges born.

Charles Platter (of Bristol) a thick middle sized Man, ruddy and full faced, with short brown hair. John Brown, an Irish Man, middle sized, well set, with long curled hair, inclining to a sandy colour. Thomas Cobb, an Irish Man, tall, thin faced, slender, with dark brown hair long and lank, lately Run away out of Capt. Cornwallis's Company of Grenadiers in the Holland Regiment (quartered now in Southwark) with a new Red Coat lined with a Buff colour'd lining, sirtout Sleeves, cross Pockets with three scapols, large plain round pewter Buttons, Breeches of the same colour as the Coat lining, and with His Majesty's Arms. Whoever gives Notice of any of these three Deserters, or any of Capt. Cornwallis's Serjeants at the Green Dragon in Blackman-street, near St. George's Church in Southwark, so that they may be Apprehended, shall for every of them have a Guinea Reward.

These are to give Notice, That the Commissioners upon the Statute against Mr. John Hinde, will sit in the Irish Chamber at Guildhall upon Thursday the 28th of this Instant, January, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoon precisely, where the Creditors are desired to come to prove their Debts, and pay their Contributions.

Lost out of Mr. O'Connell's Stable in Brewer-street, a Hand-Spaniel Bitch of the Duke of Northumberland's having a Collar of his Graces on her Neck, besides a Chain and a Leather Collar with Brass Studs, the being mott white, except one yellow Ear, a Diamond yellow spot in her forehead, the other Ear white and yellow, with two yellow spots on her side. Whoever brings her to the Duke of Northumberland's house in the Spring-Garden, or Intelligence of her so as to be had again, shall have a good Reward.

Lost or left in a Hackney Coach on Thursday Night the 21st Instant, between the Temple and Chancery-lane, a Green Bag with Writings. Whoever delivers the said Writings to Mrs. Farr at the Rainbow-Coffee-house, near the Temple-gate, shall receive of her 20s Reward.