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Madrid, March 9.

**T**H E King continues at the *Buen Retiro*, where he received on the first Instant the Compliments of Condoleance of the Ambassadors and other Foreign Ministers upon the Death of the Queen. The Council of State have in a Body made the same Compliment, and have humbly prayed His Majesty to think of Marrying again, to which he has not yet given any Answer. The Marquis *d' Astorgas*, Great Master of the Household, and General of the Artillery, dyed here some days ago after a long Sickness. The Duke of *Holstein Ploen*, Admiral of *Flanders*, is made *Grande* of *Spain*. Here is much discourse of a War with *France*.

*Warsaw*, Feb. 25. The Dyet of this Kingdom is still assembled. The matter about the Princess *Radzeville*, whose Estate in *Lithuania* some would have confiscated, because she married with Prince *Charles* of *Neubourg* without the Consent of this Crown, has taken up much of their time, but as yet they are come to no Resolution therein. This Week arrived here an Express from *Vienna*, with an account of what had passed in the Conferences with the Turkish Envoys; upon which it has been resolved in the Dyet, notwithstanding all the Endeavours of the French Ambassador to the contrary, to send an Ambassador thither, with full power to conclude a Peace, who will be named to-morrow. It's said he will have Instructions to insist upon the Restitution of *Caminiec* in the condition it is at present, and to demand Satisfaction for the great Expences this Crown has been at, and for the Spoil and Ravage that have been made by the Turks and Tartars within its Territories during this War. We have advice from *Valachia*, That the Cham of *Tartary* was gone in great haste to *Adrianople*.

*Stockholm*, Feb. 28. The States of this Kingdom assembled the 17th instant. The King acquainted them with the occasion he had of their Assistance in the present Conjuncture, and proposed to them the regulating of divers matters within the Kingdom; which they deliberated upon the days following, and on the 26th granted his Majesty 1600000 Crowns for four Years. Two thousand Seamen are expected from *Holland*, to serve on our Fleet: In the mean time the Preparations both by Sea and Land are carried on with all imaginable Vigour and Diligence.

*Jersey*, Febr. 26. This Morning Sir *Bevill Granville*, at the head of the Earl of *Bath's* Regiment, marcht into *St. Hillaries*, where he was met by Sir *Philip Carteret*, our Bailiff, the Justices, the Dean and

Clergy, the whole States, and all the considerable persons of the Island, not one excepted, by whom their Sacred Majesties King *William* and Queen *Mary* were Proclaimed with general Joy and Satisfaction, as was expressed by loud Shouts and Acclamations of the People, several Volleys of the Soldiers, and Firing of the Cannon from the Castles *Elizabeth*, *Mount Orguile*, and *St. Aubins*: From thence Sir *Bevill* went upon the Sands, where the several Regiments of the Militia were drawn up, to whom also the Proclamation was read, and was received with like Acclamations, the Cannon of the whole Island being discharged three times. To conclude the day, all persons of Consideration of both Sexes were entertain'd by Sir *Bevill*, several Hogsheds of Wine given to the Soldiers and People, the whole Island founding with joyful Shouts of *Long live King William and Queen Mary*.

*Edinburg*, March 16. This day the Convention met. The Assembly was very full, and great numbers of People, especially of the Western Countreys, filled this City, so as the like has not been known of a great many Years. After Prayers, which were said by the Bishop of *Edinburg*, the Elections were given in, and among them all there are not above 12 that are controverted. The first thing they went to was the choosing a President: Two were set up, the Duke of *Hamburgh* and the Marquis of *Achole*, but the former carried it by many Voices; The next thing they did was to name a Committee of five out of every State, for examining the Elections; After that they took the matter of the Castle of *Edinburg*, which is yet commanded by the Duke of *Gordon*, a Papist, into their Consideration, and sent to the said Duke, requiring him to put the Castle into their hands. He desired an Indemnity for all that was past, and Security for the future; which the Convention consenting to in so far as he had acted as a Papist, they sent the Earls of *Tweeddale* and *Lochian* to the said Duke, with an Indemnity in Writing for himself and all that were with him; Then he craved 24 hours time to consider of it, which was likewise granted. The 15th the Earls of *Tweeddale* and *Lochian* were again sent to the Duke of *Gordon*, to require him to deliver up the Castle, upon the Terms and Security demanded by him, and agreed to by the Convention; but instead of standing to that, he demanded 12 days more to consider thereof, and after several Messages sent to and fro, he at last declared, That he would not deliver up the Castle at all. Whereupon the Convention sent up the Heralds at Arms in all their Formalities, to charge him, in the Name and Authority of the Convention, immediately to deliver up the Castle, upon pain of Treason; and upon his Refusal the Heralds went to the Market Cross, and with the same Solemnity Proclaimed the Duke of *Gordon* Traitor and Rebel, forbidding all Persons, upon pain of Treason, to converse, Correspond, or Treat with him, or to aid, abet, or succour him; and the next Step that's made will be to forfeit him. This day arrived here an Express with a Letter from the King of *England* to the Convention; and a Letter was likewise brought by one Mr. *Grane*, Signed by the late King *James* the Second, and Countersigned *Melfort*. His Majesties Letter was read with great Applause, and a Committee was appointed to draw up an Answer in the most thankful and dutiful manner. And then before they would admit of the Letter from the late King *James* to be opened or read,

an Act pass'd by the almost unanimous Consent of the House, Asserting and Maintaining the Lawfulness of the Convention notwithstanding any thing that might be alledged in the said Letter to the contrary, and declaring, That they would not Dissolve, but continue Sitting, until the Government, Religion, Laws, Liberties, and Properties, were settled and established, which Act was Signed by the whole House, except a very few: After this the Letter was read, which was so far from having the Effect some expected, that it rather served to make the Convention more unanimous for the settling the Government after the Example of *England*; to which People here are so greatly inclined, that much time will not be lost before they come to a final Resolution about it. The Gentleman that brought the said Letter was committed to the Custody of a Messenger at Arms. This Afternoon a Seizure was made of several Barrels of Provisions that were carrying to the Castle for the Duke of *Gordon*.

*Liverpool, March 19.* This day arrived here a Vessel from *Drogheda*, which parted from thence on Sunday last in the Afternoon, but brought no Passengers; For they are now so strict, that they will not permit Man, Woman, or Child to come away. The Condition of the poor Protestants there is most miserable; all thereabouts, to the very Gates of the Town, are plundered of all they have, and stript, and come in a manner naked into the Town; and they that are in the Town do daily expect the like usage. The Master also tells us, That the Irish Army being sent down to the North, to fight the Protestants that are in Arms there, on Wednesday last a Party of Irish Horse and Dragoons (which he supposes to have been their Forlorn) were met by the Protestants near *Loughbricklan*, who assailed them so vigorously, that they were forced to run in great disorder, but the Protestants being most Foot, could not pursue them; but in their Flight the Irish broke through a Party of their own Foot that was behind them, and those the Protestants fell upon, and killed 400 of them. And that on Friday last the whole Army of the Irish, consisting of 20000 Men, came up with the Protestants between *Loughbricklan* and *Hilsborough*, and had a bloody Engagement with them; and that an Express came to *Drogheda* last Sunday, before he came away, who said there were 6000 of the Irish killed, and 4000 Protestants, and that the latter kept the Field. This is what the Master of the said Vessel reports, of which we must expect a farther account.

*Folkenham in Lincolnshire, March 19.* The Regiments of Horse commanded by Sir *John Lanier* and Colonel *Langston*, having joyn'd the Dutch Troops of Horse and Dragoons under the Command of Lieutenant General *Ginkel*, and being inform'd, That the Rebels were marching towards *Seaford*, they advanced in good Order, the Dragoons making the left Wing. The Rebels no sooner saw the Troops, but they drew up in Battle, Planting their four Field-pieces to the best advantage, having on one side a great Hedge, and on the other much Water; which obliged our Dragoons to Swim: But perceiving the Resolution of our Troops to reduce them to their Obedience, they beat a Parlee, and laying down their Arms, surrendered upon Discretion. There were taken the four Field-pieces, and 20 Officers, and 500 Soldiers were made Prisoners, who were sent up to *London* under the Guard of a Party of Horse. Another Party of Horse continues in search of several of the Rebels that are dispersed,

*London, March 22.* This day *Thomas Pilkington* Esq; Elected to be Lord Mayor of this City for the remaining part of this Year, in the room of Sir *John Chapman* lately Deceased, was presented to the Lords Commissioners of the Great Seal, and afterwards sworn at the *Husting*s according to Custom; and at five in

the Afternoon was sworn without the *Tower-Gate* by the Right Honourable the Lord *Lucas*, Chief Governour of the *Tower*, in pursuance of their Majesties Writ to him directed, and of the ancient Usage at such time as the Exchequer-Court is not holden at *Westminster*.

*Westminster, March 21.* This day His Majesty came by Water to the House of Lords attended with the usual Solemnity; And being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne, and the Commons being sent for up, His Majesty gave The Royal Assent to An Act for the Granting a Present Aid to Their Majesties.

#### Sheriffs for

Lancaster, *John Birch* Esq;  
Glamorgan, *David Evans* Esq;

Whereas the Commissioners for the Court of Claims were appointed to meet on Thursday the 28th instant. They do resolve to meet upon Wednesday the 27th instant, in the Painted Chamber, at Three a Clock in the Afternoon, at which time all Persons concerned are to Attend.

#### Advertisements.

A Letter to Mr. Thevenot, containing a Censure of Mr. Le Grands History of King Henry VII his Divorce. To which is added a Censure of Mr. De Meaux his History of the Variations of the Protestant Churches. Together with some further Reflections on Mr. Le Grand. Both written by Gilbert Burnet D. D. Printed for J. Starkey and R. Chilwell.

The Library of the Reverend and Learned Bishop Gulton, (designed to have been sold on the 11th of June last) containing molt, if not a compleat Set of the Greek and Latin Fathers, Commentators ancient and modern, with the Works of the first Reformers, and other Theological Tracts; as also a large Collection of Historical and Philological Books in all Volumes, Greek and Latin, &c. will be exposed to Sale by Auction on Wednesday the 3d of April next, at the Auction-house over against the Black swan in Ave-Mary-Lane. Catalogues of which have been given in London, Cambridge, and Oxon, and will be to all Gentlemen yet destitute, from Mr. Nott in Pall-Mall, Mr. Wilkinfox in Fleet-Street, Mr. Miller in St. Paul's Church-yard, and Mr. Crouch in Cornhill.

A large Map of Ireland in one Sheet, drawn from the late Survey made by Sir William Peritt, wherein are delineated all the Counties, Baronies, &c. Price 1s. Pasted upon Cloth, with Descriptions, &c. 5s. Made and sold by Robert Morden at the Atlas in Cornhill, near the Royal Exchange, and by John Overton at the White horse without Newgate.

Lost on the 3d of January last, coming from Lees in Essex to London, a grey hair Porcelain Trunk, marked L. E. directed to the Lady Lucy Bright in Gerard-Street, having in it a new black Barratine Mantua and Petticoat trimm'd with black Galoom, 7 Suits of Laced Night-cloaths, 2 Laced Night-galls, a white Satin Quilt for a Bed, a silver Preserving Ladie with the Arms on it, and other things. Whoever gives notice of it at the Earl of Manchester's, at Lees in Essex, or to the Lady Bright aforesaid, shall have 5 l. reward.

The Creditors of Sir Geo. Puffey Kt. late of the County of Oxford, are desired by his Heir and Trustees to come or send to the George and Vulture Tavern on Ludgate hill, the 13 of April next, between 9 and 12 in the Forenoon, to give an Account of their respective Debts, and how secured, in order to their receiving Satisfaction for the same.

On Tuesday the 26th instant will be exposed to Sale, at Mrs. Bills, over against the White Bear in King's-Street, Covent-garden, all sorts of Household-Goods, lined Beds, Tapestry Hangings, Looking glasses, Tables, Stands, Cabinets, Pictures, and all sorts of Furniture; The Sale to continue till Saturday.

A sad colour'd Cabinet with 3 Drawers in it to lock, the feet broke off, inlaid with Flowers, was left open with divers Writings and other things in it upon a Stall in Lombard Street, on the 26th of February last about 9 at night. Whoever brings it to Mr. Clark's next the Hand and Dial in Fenchurch-Street, shall be well rewarded.

Several hundreds of Canary-birds are to be sold at Mr. Dalton's at the Three Tuns in Gracechurch-Street, at the corner of Leaden-hall-Street.

Lost from Southampton house in Bloomsbury-Square, on Saturday last, a small white Spaniel Dog, with large Liver colour'd Spots, holes in his Ears, long hair, a Liver colour'd Spot upon part of his Tail and Rump, his head and Ears Liver coloured, with a small crooked blaze up his Face. Whoever gives notice of him to the Porter of Southampton-house shall have a Guinea Reward.