

maintained at the Kings Charge; That farther he had offered a Neutrality for the Milanese, and to consent that the Town and Cittadel of *Casal*, should be likewise put into the Hands of the Pope, or the Republick of *Venice*, till a General Peace; But that the Duke of *Savoy* would not so much as receive the Kings Letter; and being informed of the *Sieur de Chauls*'s Instructions, had answered by the Marquis de *St. Thomas*, That he would remain fixed in the Interests of his Allies, and would not enter upon any Treaty without them: And it concludes with Artificial Intimations to raise a Jealousie among the Princes of *Italy*, of the Emperor's having a design upon them. This Memoire, and the earnest Solicitation of the French Court to engage the Pope in a Mediation for a Peace, occasions divers Reflections here, and gives People no very good Opinion of the State of our Affairs. The Baron de *Bressy*, a Native of the *Franche Comte*, who served lately in the Garison of *Namur*, as Major General, and was taken Prisoner the 11th instant, is come hither, and has by the Offers of making him a Marschal de Camp, and a Pension of 6000 Livres, been prevailed upon to engage himself in the Service of this Crown. The Earl of *Dumbarton* died the last Week at *St. Germaines*.

Brussels, March 26. The Elector of *Bavaria*, who had sent to the Marquis de *Gastanaga* to desire him, and the General Officers not to come to meet him, and that there might be no Preparations made by the Burghers for his Reception, arriv'd here privately about 8 a Clock this Evening, having dined at *Malines*. The Marquis de *Gastanaga*, with a great number of Persons of Quality, received his Electoral Highness at his alighting out of his Calash, and accompanied him (his Electoral Highness going in a Coach, with the Marquis de *Gastanaga*, the Prince de *Vaudemont*, and the Marquis de *Bedmar*) to the Church of *St. Gudule*, at the Door of which he was received by the Archbishop of *Malines* in his Pontifical Habit, and the whole Chapter in a Body; The Cannon all the while firing round the Town, the Bells Ringing, and the People often repeating their Acclamations of Joy; After having alighted at *Te Deum*, He went to the Palace, where the Marquis de *Gastanaga* delivered the Staff of Command to his Electoral Highness, and the several Councils and all the General Officers, made their Compliments to him. On the next instant another Convoy of Provisions entred into *Arch*. We had advice some time ago that the French had prepared at *Mons* a Train of 60 pieces of Cannon, which stood on the Market Place ready to march; but we hear since, that they have taken all the said Cannon, except 12 pieces, off of their Carriages, and put them into their Magazines.

Brague, March 28. The King leaves this place to-morrow Morning early, and will be at Night at *Loos*. The Elector of *Bavaria* arriv'd at *Brussels* on Wednesday last in the Evening; Monsieur *Dyckvelt* is appointed to Complement his Electoral Highness on the part of this State. The Treaty between the Emperor and the Bishop of *Munster* is concluded, by which he is to send 4500 Men to the Emperors Assistance in *Hungary*, and they are to begin their march the 15th of the next Month. The King of *Denmark* sends thither 2500 Men, as we hear by the Letters just now come from *Copenhagen*. And we are assured that the Treaty with the Princes of *Lunenbourg*, (who are to assist the Emperor with Six Thousand Men) is far advanced, as to leave no doubt but that it will be very speedily concluded. The Marquis de *Flairy* is come hither in order to raise some Seamen (for which he has leave from the State) to serve in the Fleet of Barks and Gallies, which the Emperor intends to employ on the *Danube*. They write from *France* that Orders are given for the Demolishing of *Montmelian*; And that the French are sending several Troops towards the Coasts of *Normandy* and *Picardy*.

Falmouth, March 17. The *George* of *Maryland* came in here last Tuesday in 11 Weeks from *Jamaica*, laden with Sugars for *London*.

Plimouth, March 18. On Wednesday last came into this Port two Dutch Men of War from *Spitthead* to join Their Majesties Ships that are now here. The same day came in the *Robert* from the *Canaries*, bound for *London*.

Barnstable, March 18. This day landed here the Queens Regiment of Dragoons from *Ireland*.

Southampton, March 19. We have an account from *Genesey*, That Captain *Stephens*, who Commands a small Privateer of that Island, had brought in there a French Privateer of 2 Guns, 4 Pattercoes, and 26 Men, belonging to *Cherbourg*, which he took but with 12 Men.

Weymouth, March 21. Yesterday came into *Portland* Road the *William* and *Mary* Privateer, and brought in a Vessel laden with Wines and Brandy from *France*.

Portsmouth, Mar. 20. On Friday last sailed from *Spitthead* Their Majesties Ship the *Expedition* with about 20 Sail of Merchantmen for the *Downes*, As also Rear Admiral *Everzen*, with 8 Dutch Men of War, and their homeward bound *Cadix* Fleet for *Holland*. The *Centurion* is come in here from the Eastward.

Harwich, March 21. This day came in the Spanish Princesss Pacquet Boat from *Holland*, having on Board the Earl of *Scarborough*. They came out last Saturday, and yesterday Morning discovered a Sail, which proved to be a French Man of War of 18 or 20 Guns; About Noon they came up with one another; but after a dispute of 2 hours, during which they came to near as to fire several Cartridge shot, the French bore away, having received considerable Damage; presently after they saw a small Sloop of about 5 or 6 Guns, who did not dare to attack them; And about 6 in the Evening there appeared two other French Privateers on their Weather Bow; but the Night coming on parted them. On Board the Pacquet Boat they had eny two Men wounded in this occasion.

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On Thursday the 7th of April, will be sold by Inch of Candle, at the Marine Coffee-house near *Birchin-lane*, all sorts of wrought Silk and Stuffs, at 3 after Noon; The Goods may be seen on Monday the 4th, and till the time of Sale, at the House that was Mr. Edwards in *Mark-lane, London*.

Newcastle Glass cut into Quarries, good and sizeable, may be had at 10 s. per Hundred Foot. Apply your selves to John Tyzacke at the Glass Warehouse near *Old Swan Stairs*, before Noon, or at the *Barbadoes Coffee-house* in *Exchange-Alley* at Change Time.

Some of the Men that staid behind when the Prince of Hesses Regiment embark'd are, Thomas Barlow, Andrew Deller, John Hooke, Thomas Patison, William Sparow, John Andros, John Johnson, William Ireton, Roger Broom, John Cooper, Daniel Roffe, Martin Celby a Corporal. If any of these, or others, come to the Major of that Regiment in the Tower, before the 30th instant, they shall be kindly Received; Or, Whoever shall discover any of them after that time shall have a Guinea Reward for each.

Off about Whitehall or *St. James's Park* about a Fortnight ago, a Ring set round with small Diamonds, one larger than the rest, with W C and a Deaths-Head on the inside. Whoever brings it to Mr. Richard Lasfells, Goldsmith, at the Sign of the Unicorn in the Strand, shall have a Guinea Reward.

Off on Friday the 11th instant near the Kings Chapel at Whitehall, 2 Diamond Taggs, 1 of 12 thin Table Diamonds, the other of 10 Facet Diamonds, each in 2 Rows. Whoever brings them to Mr. Michael Roffe, Jeweller, in *Henrietta-street, Covent-Garden*, shall have 2 Guineas Reward for each Tag.

Off the 19th instant between *Mincing-lane* and *St. Catherine's* a Leather Purse lined with Red Silk, with Gold Strings to open it, a Gold Watch in it, made at *Nants* in *France*, with some pieces of Gold to the value of about 5 l. Whoever can give Notice of the same, so as it may be recovered to Mr. Hudson, Goldsmith, in *Lumbar-d-street*, shall be well Rewarded.

Off the 6th of Feb. a dark grey Gilding, about 14 hands, with a Star in the Forehead, a grizel Nose, a grizel bob Tail, formerly soelled of one of his Hips, Trotts, a short Gallop, and Paces a little, above 5 years old. Whoever gives Notice of him at the *Spur-Inn* in *Southwark*, shall have 10 s. Reward.