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Rome, January 29.

**T**hey now talk here again of going on with the Project to make *Civita-Vecchia* a free Port, and of finishing to that end the Publick Buildings that were designed to be made there when it was first set on foot; to which several Persons have offered to contribute considerable Sums of Money, and the Inhabitants of that place are willing to build the *Academy* at their own Charge. The great Snows and Rains that have fallen of late have caused an overflowing of the River *Tyber*, which has done much damage. The Popes Gallies are ordered to be ready to sail to the *Levant* by the beginning of April.

**Turin, Febr. 4.** The Duke of *Savoy* returned hither last Saturday from *Milan*. They are making great Magazines of Ammunition and Provision in several Places situated on and near the River *Po*; Which seem to be designed for the Siege of *Casal*; and the Forces of the Allies in these parts have Orders to be in a readiness to take the Field by the end of the next month. The Discourse continues, that a Body of 3 or 4000 Men will be sent from *Milan* in the Spring, to reinforce the Spanish Army in *Catalonia*.

**Venice, Febr. 5.** The Great Convoy that is preparing here to carry a new supply of all sort of Stores to the Venetian Fleet, will fail about the middle of this month, if not hindered by the Weather. We have no fresh News from the *Levant*: And all is at present quiet in *Dalmatia*, but the Turks make Preparations there, which look as if they had thoughts of engaging in another Attempt upon *Cyclus*.

**Venna, Febr. 9.** Prince *Eugene* of *Savoy* went from hence two days ago in his return to *Piedmont*, and it's said he is to command at the Siege of *Casal*. The young Prince of *Transilvania* is Treated at this Court with much Kindness; He will shortly return home in Company of General *Veterani*, who commands the Emperors Forces in those parts. The Advices from the Frontiers say, that the Turks have drawn together so great a part of their Forces for the Expedition against *Scio*, that they will not be in a condition in *Hungary* to do more than act defensively the next Summer. On our side the Preparations are greater than they were the last year, & they talk of opening the Campaigne with the Siege of *Temeswaer*, which is the only Fortress the Turks are now Masters of in *Hungary*. The News of the defeat of 500 Turks near *Temeswaer* is confirmed, with this addition, That there was taken among the Prisoners the *Bassa* of the *Arnautes*; and that this Advantage was obtained by the *Radziens* commanded by Colonel *Antonia*.

**Frankfort, Febr. 18.** The Imperial Commissaries are providing Magazines at *Hailbron*, and such other Places as are judged most convenient, for the service of the next Campaigne. The Weather continues very cold in these parts, beyond what has been known for several years.

**Hamburgh, Febr. 19.** The last Letters from *Poland* tell us, that the *Dyets* had not yet chosen their *Marschal* or *Speaker*, and that there were such Divisions among the *Deputies*, that there was very little ground to hope for any good success of this Meeting. The *Tatars* were preparing a great Convoy at *Jassi* in *Moldavia* for the relief of the *Garrison* of *Caminitca*.

**Paris, Febr. 18.** This week was published here a Supplement to the late *Edict* about the *Poll Tax*, which subjects several sorts of People to the payment of it, as the Servants of all Gentlemen, Tradesmen, and Husbandmen, Day Labourers, Shepherds, &c. who were not comprehended under the first Regulations for raising this Tax. The *Ambassador* of *Venice* has complained to this Court, that divers French Vessels have been lately sent from *Marseilles* to *Smirna* with Ammunition for the use of the *Turks*. The *Marschal de Castina* is gone to the Frontiers of *Piedmont* to hasten the Preparations for the next Campaigne, upon the Advices that come from thence of the Enemies design to besiege *Casal* early in the Spring. We have an account from *Flanders*, that some Spanish Soldiers had got into the Town of *Namur* in disguise, and set fire to the great Magazine of Hay and Straw there.

**Brussels, Febr. 20.** The Letters from the Frontiers say the French Intendants have demanded of all the Religious Houses in the Conquered Countreys an account of their Rents and other Revenues, which is believed to be done in order to lay a Tax upon them. The Duke of *Holstein-Ploen* is shortly expected at *Malines* from *Maebricht*. The Elector of *Cologne* will return to *Liege* in few days.

**Hague, Febr. 22.** N. S. The Deputies of the Admiralties are still here, and have often Conferences with those of the States-General. Lieutenant Admiral *Allemonde* is gone to *Amsterdam*. The States of *Holland* do not meet again till the 15th of the next Month.

**Kinsale, Febr. 5.** Captain *Holmes* Commander of the *Pearle* brought in here yesterday a French Privateer which he took two days ago off *Waterford* with little opposition; The Prize is called the *Squirrill* of *Brest*, carried to Guns, 6 *Patereroes*, and 50 Men, and was commanded by the *Sieur d'Orlange*, who came from thence about 10 days ago, with another Privateer of the same force, to cruise on this Coast.

**Plymouth, Febr. 12.** This day came in here the *Betty* Transport Ship with several English Seamen that were Prisoners in *France*. They came from *St. Malo* in twenty four hours, and bring an account, that the *Dartmouth*, Captain *Vaughan* Commander, met on the fourth Instant with two French Frigats who had each 250 Men, and 40 Guns mounted, but could carry 46. They engaged about 6 in the morning, and the *Dartmouth* maintained the Fight against them both till Noon, when her Main and Mizzen Masts being brought by the Board, her Rigging all shattered, and the Ship besides so disabled, that she could make no longer defence, but lay exposed to the Enemies Shot, she yielded, and was brought on the 8th to *St. Malo*. The *Dartmouth* had divers Men killed and wounded, and Lieutenant *Jackson* had one of his Legs shot off, and received a wound in the other. The Enemy off likewise many of their Men. This day arrived here the *Daniel* of *London* from *New-Zeak*.

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*Dartmouth, Febr. 12.* Yesterday arrived in this Port a Vessel from *Guernsey*, the Master whereof says, that Captain *Joan Steephens* had brought in there 3 French Prizes laden with Wine, Brandy, Roshin, and Turpentine, and that *Cap. Knap* and *Cap. Bennet* had taken and brought to *Jersey* two other French Prizes laden with Wine and Brandy.

*Kensington, Febr. 14.* This day a most Dutiful and Loyal Address from the Chancellor and Senate of the University of *Cambridge*, Condoling the Death of our most Gracious Queen, that incomparable Patroness of Religion and Learning; and begging Leave under the strictest Obligations of Duty and Gratitude to give His Majesty the utmost Assurance of their unalterable Loyalty to His Majesty, and sincere Affection to His Government; and praying Almighty God to Bless His Majesty with a long Life and prosperous Reign for the Defence of His Church, the Honour and Welfare of this Kingdom, and the Publick Benefit of the Christian World; was presented to His Majesty by His Grace the Duke of *Somerset* their Chancellor, accompanied by the Lord Archbishop of *Canterbury*, and the Lords Bishops of *Ely*, *Norwich*, *Peterburgh*, *Chichester*, *St. Asaph*, and *Lincoln* Elect, and several Heads of Colledges. To which His Majesty returned a most Gracious Answer.

The Towns, Burroughs, and Corporations hereafter named, have likewise made very Loyal Addresses to His Majesty, Condoling the Queens Death, and Assuring His Majesty, that they will to the utmost of their Power defend and support His Royal Person and Government against all His Enemies at Home and Abroad. To wit,

The Bayliffs, Aldermen, Burgesses and Commonalty of *Great Yarmouth* in the County of *Norfolk*; Delivered by his Grace the Duke of *Norfolk*.

The Mayor, Capital Burgesses, and Inhabitants of the Burrough of *Pennry* in the County of *Cornwall*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament.

The Mayor, Recorder, Magistrates, Burgesses, Freemen, and Inhabitants of the Burrough of *East-Loe* in the County of *Lincoln*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament.

The Mayor, Recorder, Capital Burgesses, and other Inhabitants of the Burrough of *Shaftesbury* in the County of *Dorset*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament.

The Free Burgesses of the Burrough of *Colchester*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament.

The Mayor, Bayliffs, Burgesses, and Freemen of the Burrough of *Clifton* *Wormouth Hardness*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament.

The Mayor, Capital Burgesses, Freemen, and other Inhabitants of the Burrough of *Lyme Regis* in the County of *Dorset*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament.

The Mayor, Aldermen, Burgesses, and other Inhabitants of the Corporation of *Pontfract* in the County of *York*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament.

The Mayor, Recorder, Masters and Counsellors, Burgesses and Freemen of the Burrough of *Totnes* in the County of *Devon*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament, Recorder, and Town Clerk.

The Burrough Men of the Town of *New Shoreham* in the County of *Staff*; Delivered by *John Perry* Esq, one of their Representatives in Parliament.

The Mayor, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the Burrough of *Thetford* in the Counties of *Norfolk* and *Suffolk*; Delivered by one of their Representatives in Parliament.

The Bayliffs, Burgesses, and Commonalty of the Burrough of *Ludlow* in the County of *Salop*; Delivered by their Representatives in Parliament.

The Mayor, Bayliffs, Clergy, Common Council, Burgesses, and other Chief Inhabitants of the Town of *Monmouth*; Delivered by their Representative in Parliament.

The Mayor, Sheriffs, and Citizens of the City of *Waterford* in *Ireland*.

The Grand Jury of the County of *Dublin*.

The Grand Jury of the Ancient Liberty of *St. Thomas* Court and *Dore* in *Ireland*.

The Protestant Dissenting Ministers in *Ireland*. All which Addresses His Majesty accepted very Graciously.

Whereas Their Majesties were Graciously pleased to grant their Letters Patents, bearing date the 8th day of December last, to the Sufferers by the late dreadful Fire in *Warwick*; The Treasurers and Treasurers appointed by the said Letters Patents (to avoid the Charges extraordinary in taking out Duplicates of the same) do desire all Ministers to accept such Printed Copies thereof as shall be sent to them by the Registers of their respective Archdeacons, to Read the same, and by their Collections, assuring them, that the utmost Care is taken to prevent all frauds

in the same; And that the Money so Collected, shall be justly and equally distributed among the Poor Sufferers, according to the true intent of the said Letters Patents.

*A New Universal Baroscope portable in any place, which besides its usefulness in the Camp, Husbandry, and all Business requiring the knowledge of the Weather, and foretells a Storm at Sea, with the same Readings of its Quicksilver that the common Barometer does; at Land, is now by a Doctor of Cambridge, Fellow of the Royal Society, perfected, and advanced above the designs and attempts of other Pretenders. Since its discovery at *Greenwich College* last Winter, the Inventor has enlarged it with the indication of Heat and Cold, and many improving Improvements, which shall be communicated when a competent number thereof shall be made ready for sale by Mr. John Patrick in Jewen-street near Cripplegate Church.*

#### Advertisements.

One large Funeral Medall of Copper, to preserve the Memory of Her late Majesty Queen *Mary*; On one side is represented Her Majesty, on the other are these Words: *Silvius Oculis Quarimus Invidi* — *Nata* Apr 30. 1652. — *Mort* Dec 1694. Price 5 s. a-piece. Engraved and Coined by *James Norbertus Reutter* at the Mint in the Tower of *London*. Sold by *Mr. Lane*, Goldsmith, at the Rest in *Lombard-street*, and by several Booksellers and Cutlers in *London* and *Westminster*.

All Persons who had any Debts or Demands upon the Honourable the late Lord *Lovelace*, are desired to appear in Person or by their Agents to meet his Trustees and Executors at the Old-Devil Tavern within Temple-Bar, *London*, on Friday the First of March next, at 5 Afternoon.

The Possibility, Expediency and Necessity of Divine Revelation. A Sermon Preached at *St. Martins in the Fields*, the 7th of Jan. last, at the beginning of the Lecture for the ensuing Year, founded by the Honorable Robert Boyle Esq. by *John Williams*, D. D. Chaplain in Ordinary to His Majesty. Printed for *Ric. Chiswell* in *St. Pauls Churchyard*, and *Tho. Cook* in the *Poultry*. The remaining Sermons for this Year will be likewise Preached at *St. Martins* by the said *Dr. Williams*.

Proposals having been already Published for Printing a General History of England from the Flood, according to the best Traditional Account to *Julius Caesar*, and from thence out of the most Ancient Records, Manuscripts, and Histories, down to the Reign of His present Majesty King *William*; including the Lives of the Kings, and most Eminent Persons both in Church and State. Written by *James Tyrrel* Esq; The Proposals, and a further Account of the said Work, with a Vindication of it from the Exceptions, are to be had of the Undertakers *H. Rhodes*, *J. Denton*, *J. Salisbury*, and *J. Harris*.

Miscellaneous Letters, giving an Account of Works of the Learned, both at Home and Abroad. To be published Monthly. For the Month of February, 1695. Printed by *William Lindsey* at the Angel near *Lincolns Inn* in *Chancery-lane*, and *Richard Baldwin* near the *Oxford-Arms* in *Warwick-lane*.

The Mathematical and Physical Parts of the Library of *Sir Charles Scarborough*, containing a complete Collection of Mathematical Books, with a large Collection of Physics both in all Languages, begins to be sold by Auction this day at 4 Afternoon, by *C. Bateman* at the Bible and Crown in *Middle-row* in *Holborn*, where Catalogues may be had gratis.

Bibliotheca Nobilissima, or a Collection of Books in Divinity, History, Humanity, Poetry, Geography, Philosophy, and other Critical Learning wherever is scarce and valuable in Gr. and Lat. of the finest Prints of the famous *Primmers of Egypt*, consisting of 1000 Volumes in Folio, collected by three Learned Gentlemen, will be sold by Auction on Thursday the 21th Instant, at *Rolls Auction House* in *St. Pauls Church-Yard*. Catalogues given from the place of sale, and the Books may be viewed in situ.

Found in the Custody of some Highwaymen who have been Reading Gaol, and are now in *Newgate*, 26 Pieces of Linen, 4 Tippets, 10 Pieces of Linnen Cloth, Muslin, *Kenin*, *Wool*, *Kambrick*, *Fustian*, *Painted Callico*, *Ivory Combs*, a *Quilted* *Black Petticoat*, several *Almanacks*, *Hoods*, *Razors*, and *Carvers*, 14 Pieces of small Lucc, and a Pocket Book, supposed to be a *Purses Pack*; a Silver Watch stunged, made by *Richard Quetch* of *Reading*, 2 Silver Seals with a Coat of Arms, one Silver *Wined* *Hege*, and a Silver *Headed* *Cane* with a Tuck in it, marked *T S* and a *Cypher*; a long *flaxen* *Wig*, and a new *Camlet* *Coat*, with a large grey *Mare* above 14 hands, comes 6, some *Saddle* *spoon*, will upon the *Crown* of the *hear* *Foot* before; and some *Retra* *table* *Pieces* of *Wool*. To be heard of at *John Cornells* at the 3 *Sign* *Loaves* in *Wid-street* the *Back* *side* of *Drury Lane*, *London*.

At the Marine Coffee-house in *Burchin* *Street*, *Cornhill*, on Friday the 1st of March, at 3 after Noon, will be proposed to Sale by the *Candle*, fine red figured and flowered *Ta* *Pois*, *Chocolate* *Cups*, and other *Curiosities*, which are to be sold the 25th, 26th, 27th, and 28th Instant, at *Mr. Elias Turner*, Merchant in *New-street* next *Devonshire-square*, where Catalogues

On Thursday the 21th Instant will be sold by Auction at *Portland House* in the *Palace-wall*, the late *Countess* *Portlands* curious Collection of Pictures by *Sir Anthony Van Dyke* and other Eminent modern Masters, beginning at 3 Afternoon, and continue till 6, and the first hours daily till all are sold, and Catalogues may be had at the place of sale.