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Turin, February 19.

THE Preparations are continued at *Vallence* and other Places on the *River Po*, for the Siege of *Casal*, which they say will be undertaken in the beginning of *April*; and at the same time a Body of Troops will be drawn together near this City to observe the Motions of the Enemy. The Count de *Breiner*, Commmiary-General of the Emperors Forces in *Italy*, has writ to the Princes that are Feuditaries of the Empire, summoning them to send Deputies to *Milan* to treat about the Contributions they are to furnish for the subsistence of the Imperial Troops.

Vienna, Febr. 23. Prince *Lewis* of *Baden* is expected here about the 28th of this month from his House in *Bohemia*, and soon after his arrival it will be declared who shall Command the Emperors Army in *Hungary* the next Summer. The Prince of *Hesse-Darmstadt* is gone to *Milan*, being to command the Forces designed from thence to *Catalonia*. The Sieur *Szczecny*, Archbishop and Primate of *Hungary*, died some days ago at *Presburg*, being very old; He has by his Will left all his Estate, which is very considerable, to the Emperor, except some Legacies which he has given away: 'Tis believed that the Cardinal of *Colonniz* will succeed in that Archbishoprick. We hear from the Frontiers, that the late *Bassa* of *Gyula* was, upon his arrival at *Belgrade*, made a Prisoner by order from the Port, for having surrendered that place. General *Veterani* will shortly return to *Transylvania*.

Colgne, March 1. New Levies are making for the Service of our Elektor; and we are told that He will take into his Pay one of the Bishop of *Master's* Regiments. The *Rhine* is now open again.

Hamburgh, March 1. They write from *Warsaw*, that the Differences among the Deputies of the Dyet continuing to such a height that they could not agree about the Choice of their Marechal or Speaker, and the time of its continuance, according to the ancient Statutes of the Kingdom, expiring the 19th of the last month, the Dyet broke up the same day, and the Deputies were returning home. These Letters add, that the Tartars had put a Supply of Provisions into *Camnic*, and had afterwards made a great Ravage on the Frontiers of *Poland*, some of their Parties advancing even into the Neighbourhood of *Lemberg*.

Paris, March 4. Some days ago was published here a new Addition to the Edict for the Poll Tax, by which all Men and Women Servants, and many others that were before omitted, are made liable to it; For being sensible that they were much mistaken in their Computation of what this Tax would produce, to make it up they do now include all sorts of People, contrary to the French Kings first Declaration, which imposes it only upon Housekeepers; And this occasions much murmuring in the Provinces, where the Poverty is very great. The Men of War are fitting out at *Toulon*; and 'tis said the Marechal de *Tourville* will be going thither in few days; They talk still of sending thence some time the next month a Convey of Provisions and Ammunition to *Catalonia*; A Magazine of Powder was lately burnt at *Toulon*, and they have taken up one of the Guards Marine

upon suspicion of his having set it on fire. They continue to fit out several Frigets at *Rochfort* and other Ports of the Ocean, which it's believed are designed for Convoys and Cruisers. The French Kings Journey to *Compeigne* is fixed for the 6th of the next month, and is to last 3 weeks to take a Review of the Troops of the Household. They are at this Court in much pain for *Casal*, which all the Advices from *Italy* assure us, the Allies intend to besiege this Spring; and Directions have been sent to the Marechal de *Catinat* to hasten all he can the preparations for the Campagne on that side.

Brussels, March 6. The Duke of *Wurtemberg* went from hence two days ago to *Mulines*. Upon advice, of the preparations the French are making at *Namur*, several Regiments of Horse and Foot are ordered to be in readiness to march that way. The Forage that was lately burnt at *St. Guislan* by a Party of the Garison of *Aeth*, consisted of 160000 Rations, which was brought from *Douay* and other Places thereabouts, and was designed for the Magazine at *Mons*, but being stoppt by the Ice at *St. Guislan*, it was landed and laid up there till the Weather should break.

Hague, March 8. The States of *Holland* meet again tomorrow. The Sieur *Gildermast* is deputed by the Council of State to go to *Bomel* and other Places to review the Horses and Carriages belonging to the Artillery, for which purpose he will part from hence towards the latter end of this week. The news of Captain *Killigrews* Engagement with two French Men of War near the Coast of *Sicily* comes by several Letters of the 18 past from *Venice*, which though they differ in some particulars, yet do all agree as to the main of the Action, and leave no room to doubt the truth of it; and among the rest, one Letter from thence of the same date gives this account;

That Captain *Killigrew* having with him a Squadron of 7 English Men of War, had on the 27th of *January* detached 3 of them to cruise in the Channel of *Malta*, and 3 about *Cape Passaro*, while he remained with his single Ship near the *Fare* of *Messina*; That quickly after Captain *Killigrew* fell in with two French Men of War, one of 64 and the other of 50 Guns, and engaged them both for the space of 4 hours, when upon the report of the Guns one of the detached English Men of War came into his assistance, who so well seconded Capt. *Killigrew*, that the French betook themselves to a running Fight, and in a short time the Ship of 50 Guns surrendered and soon after sunk, and the other, having all her Masts shot by the board, yielded also, and was carried to *Messina*; There were on board the two French Men of War above 700 Men, of which almost one half were killed and wounded; Capt. *Killigrew* was likewise killed in the Fight, and about 50 of his Men killed and wounded.

Dublin, Febr. 22. We have an account from *Castleron*, that one *Marphy*, Captain of the Tories, who was named in the Proclamation lately put out by the Lords-Justices, was taken the last week and sent to the County Gaol. And one *Demen*, another great Tory, was some days ago killed on the borders of *Kerry*, by one of his own Gang, who brought in his Head according to the said Proclamation. The Letters from *Corke* of the 19th advise, that about 20 Sail of English Ships passed by that Port the same day to the Eastward, supposed to be bound home from *Cadiz*.

Plymouth, Febr. 26. Yesterday sailed from hence about 20 Sail of Merchant Ships with their Convoys for the *Downes*; The same day came in a Dutch Ship called the *St. Mathias* laden with Dead Boards; and this day the *Sea-Flower* of *Amsterdam* from the *Canaries*.

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Bristol, Febr. 29. This day arrived here the *Entrée* of *Cooke* in 8 weeks from *Antegoa*, which *Island* they left in very good health.

Portsmouth, Febr. 27. Yesterday came to Spithead His Majesty's Ship the *Maiasson*, who brought in with her a Privateer of 4 Guns and 30 Men belonging to *Dunkirke*; and this morning the *Maiasson* went out again.

Deale, Febr. 28. Yesterday in the afternoon came into the Downs His Majesty's hired Ship the *Covantation* and *Joseph*, with about 22 Sail of Merchant Ships from *Plimouth*.

Whitehall, March 3. The Letters from *Madrid* of the 9th of *February*; New *Stile*, which are come in this day by the way of the *Grøyne*, give an account, That His Majesty's Ship the *Plimouth*, with 5 or 6 Men o. War more, were gone up the *Straits*; That on the first of *January* the *Dufford* arriv'd at *Cadiz* from *Cruising*, and brought in with her two *Genouefe* Ships to be searched, and two French Prizes, one a Ship of 16 Guns bound from *Marsailles* to *St. Malo*, and the other a Brigantine of the same place bound to *Martinez*; That the great Ships were *Carreening*; and several others were gone out to *Creife*. That the King of *Spain's* Confessor was ordered to retire from *Court*; and the Inquisitor General died at *Madrid* the 29th of *January*. By the way of *Holland* there are Letters from *Madrid* of the 17th of *Febr.* N. S. which say, they had Advice that two English Men of War were arriv'd at *Bilboa*, who had taken a French Privateer of 18 Guns belonging to *St. Malo*, and had retaken an English Ship bound home from *Virginia*. That the Spaniards had hired several Ships at *Cadiz* to Transport the Troops that are to pass from the *Milaneze* to *Catalonia*: That they were likewise sending thither a considerable number of Recruits by Land. That the Garrison of *Ceuta* had lately repul'd the Moors in 3 several Assaults. And that they writ from *Cadiz* of the 7th, that at the going away of the Pestilential Ships appear'd off of that Port, which they thought to be a Convoy with Provisions from *England*.

Kennington, March 2. The Magistrates and Inhabitants of the Corporations and Places hereafter named, have made humble Addresses to His Majesty, in which they declare the just Satisfaction they have of the inestimable Loss His Majesty and these Kingdoms have sustained by the Death of the late Queen of Blessed Memory, and beg Leave to assure His Majesty of their unfeigned Zeal and Affection to His Majesty's Service and Interest, and their Resolutions to expose on all Occasions their Lives and Fortunes for the Defence and Support of His Majesty's Government, against all His Enemies at Home and Abroad.

The Mayor, Aldermen, Bayliffs, and Burgesses of the Town of *Exwick* upon *Tweed*; Delivered by their Representatives in *Parliament*.

The Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the Burrough of *Helfone* in the County of *Cornwall*; Delivered by their Representatives in *Parliament*.

The Mayor and Burgesses of the Burrough of *Liskeard* in the County of *Cornwall*; Delivered by Sir *Boucher Wrey* one of their Representatives in *Parliament*.

The Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Burgesses, and other Inhabitants of the Burrough of *Kirby Kendal* in the County of *Westmorland*.

The Mayor, Recorder, Bayliffs, and Burgesses of *Flint*. The Civil and Military Officers, Pylors, and other Inhabitants of the Port of *Deale*.

The Gentlemen and Freeholders of the County of *Louth* in *Ireland*.

The Mayor, Recorder, Aldermen, Sheriffs, and Common-Council of the Town and County of *Drogheda* in *Ireland*.

The Gentlemen and other His Majesty's Subjects in the County of *Longford* in *Ireland*.

All which Addresses His Majesty accepted very Graciously.

Sir Robert Howard *Kt.* Auditor of His Majesty's Receipts of *Exchequer*, gives Notice, That the Act, Entituled, An Act for Granting to His Majesty an Aid of Four Shillings in the Pound for One Year; and for Appoying the Yearly Sum of three hundred thousand Pounds for Five Years out of the Duties of Tunnage and Poundage, and other Sums of Money payable upon Merchandizes Exported and Imported, for carrying on the War against *France* with Vigour, doth impose the Contributors (who omitted paying the Taxes, for the Money by them Advanced upon the Act for Granting to Their Majesties several Rates and Duties upon Tunnage of Ships and Vessels, and upon Beer, Ale, and other Liquors, for Securing certain Re-compence and Allowances in the said Act mentioned, to such Persons as they voluntarily advance the Sum of Fifty or more shillings and Pounds towards Carrying on the War against *France*) to Name any Life or Lives at any time or times before the sixth day of *March* instant.

The Invention of *Mild Lead Shaking* having for several years been discontinued upon pretence of its extraor-

inary eating and decaying the *Rudde Irons*, is lately discovered by some *Eminent Merchants* who have applied to two *Shops* within these few months, one are now shewing a *Third*, which will be found by the middle of the month at *Mr. Hall's Dock* by *Cuckolds Point*, whereby one that has a mind to see the manner that is now used for the Shaking as the *Well-known* Part of the *Shaking* farther Satisfaction of all Persons, a Book is now printing its usefulness in *Swing Gravel*, and *Ironing* the same from the *Worm* without *harm* to the *Shaking* covering Houses, &c. and therein is a *Book* to be sold at *Mr. Hanfman's shop* in *Westminster-Hall*, *Mr. Collins* by the *Temple-Gate*, the *Harp* in *St. Pauls Church-Yard*, and the *Leg and Star* in *Corahil*. The said *Mild Lead* is sold by *Mr. Hale* at the *Mill'd Lead* sign in *Orange-street* by *Red-Lyon-Square*, who also provides *Plumbers* to work it, and undertakes the said *Shaking* at a Rate certain.

Advertisements.

Prince ARTHUR. An Heroick Poem. In Ten Books. By *Richard Blackmore* M. D. and Fellow of the College of *Physicians* in *London*. Printed for *A. and J. Churchill* at the *Black Swan* in *Fater-Noster-Row*.

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: *Sublimis et Oculis quatuor insidit*—*Nate*. Apr. 30. 1662.—*Mon*. Dec. 21. 1694. Price 5 s. a-piece. Engraved and Coined by *Jeremias Norbertus Reuter* at the *Mint* in the *Tower of London*. Sold by *M^r. Lane*, *Goldsmith*, at the *Rose* in *Lombard-Street*, and by several *Book-sellers* and *Cutlers* in *London* and *Westminster*.

A Discourse of the great Difingenuity and Unreasonableness of Repining at Afflicting Providence, and the Influences which they ought to have upon us, on *Job 2. 10.* Published upon Occasion of the Death of our Gracious Sovereign *Queen Mary* of most Blessed Memory. With a Preface containing Observations touching Her Excellent Endowments, and Exemplary Life. By *Edward Lord Bishop of Gloucester*. Printed for *A. Ashmole* at the *Three Pigeons* in *Cornhill*.

A New Body of Geography, being a Description of the World, with Maps of every Country, and Diagrams of the chief Fortified Towns in Europe, Fairly Engraved in Copper, with an Abridgment of Cosmography, shewing the Doctrine of the Sphere, Use of Globes, &c. in Folio. A further Account may be had in the Proposals for Printing it by Subscription to be had of *Abel Swall* and *Im Child* at the *Unicorn* at the *West End of St. Dunstons*, and of most other *Book-sellers*, who shall have the usual Allowance.

The Oxford Translation of *Malbranche's Search* after Truth, is published Compleat; To which is added an account of the Author, and his Works, as also his several Controversies with *M. de la Ville*, &c. concerning them. Besides which is inserted, an Entire large Treatise by *F. Malbranch*. Entituled, *A Treatise of Nature and Grace*, particularly relating to his Search after Truth, and never till now Englished. All Translated by *T. Taylor* M. A. of *Magd. Colledge*. And for greater Exactness, Revised by several Gentlemen at *Oxford*. Printed there for *Tho. Bennet* at the *Moon* in *St. Pauls Church-Yard*, *London*.

The Parson's Counsellor, with the Laws of Tythes and Tything, in Two Books, the first containing the Order every Parson, Vicar, &c. ought to observe in obtaining a Spiritual Preferment, &c. The second shews in what manner all Tythes and other Church Duties are to be paid, as well in *London* as elsewhere, as well by the Canon as Statute Laws, and in what Court they are recoverable, &c. necessary for all Clergymen and others to know. The Fifth Edition very much Enlarged by *Sir Isaac Dege* *Kt.* Printed for *R. Sare* at *Grays-Inn-Gate*, and *J. Hall* at *Marsh* against the *Royal-Exchange* in *Cornhill*.

The Catalogue of the Manuscripts in *England* and *Ireland* being far advanced; it is desired that those who are Possessors of any thing in that kind, would be pleased with all convenient speed to send the Lists of them to the *Theater* at *Oxford*. A further Account of what progress is made in it may be seen in the *Term-Catalogue*.

At *Davis's Auction-House* in the *Old-Palace-Yard*, *Westminster*, on Thursday next the 7th Instant, will be sold by Auction a Curious Collection of Pictures, which will be the last day of his Sale there.

In the *Temple-Exchange*, near the *Inner Temple-Gate* in *Fleet-Street*, are several Shops proper for all sorts of Trades; where is appropriated Lodging-Rooms for each Shop convenient, which will encourage young Beginners, it standing in a good part of the Trade, and to be Let at cheap as Chambers alone in the *Temple-Street*. Enquire there.

Whereas a Commission of *Bankrupt* hath been awarded against *Seymour Wood* of *London*, Oylman, all Persons who owe him any Money are forbid paying the same to the said Wood or his Order, but to such as shall be empowered by the Commission to receive the same.

Two Mens Teal colour Silk Wastons, wove, and without Irons, bound in a Paper, and Directed to *Mr. John Flackey* in *Portsmouth*, for *Captain Vander Post*, was left in a Coach the 1st past in the Evening in *St. Catharines* near the *Machine*. Whoever brings them to *Mr. Skinner* at the *Black Lion* in the *Royal-Exchange*, shall have 20 s. Reward.

There are lately come from *Germany* several Hundred *Lead* Cannon Balls, white and grey, to be sold at reasonable Rates. *Mr. Samuel Ebrales* at the *Apple* and *Child* in *St. Dunstons* near *Aldgate*, and at *Mr. Henry Lane* at the *White-Hall* and *Abchurch-Lane*.