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Venice, March 14. N. S.

AN Express arrived here last Sunday from Hungary, and brought the Treaty of Truce with the Turks, which the Senate have Ratified, and sent back to be Exchanged. By this Treaty, the Republick yields the Fortress of Lepanto to the Turks, and is obliged to demolish the Fortress of Prevesa, and the Castle of Romelia. The Isthmus of Corinth is to be the Boundary of the Turkish and Venetian Dominions on the side of the Morea; The Republick keeps the Island and Fortress of *St. Maura*. The Islands of the Archipelago are to be restored to the Condition they were in before the War, and the Venetians are not to pretend to any Contributions from them; The Republick is to continue in Possession of what they have in *Dalmatia*, and consequently the Fortresses of *Castel-Nevo*, *Cattaro*, *Risano*, *Clin*, *Sing*, and *Sclut*, together with those of *Verga*, *Duare*, and *Vergorats*, are to remain in the hands of the Venetians. For farther Regulating the Limits, Commissioners are to meet at some convenient Place on the Frontiers of *Dalmatia* before the 23d day of this Month, and in case the said Commissioners do not agree, the final Decision is to be left to the Emperor, and to the King of England and the States-General as Mediators. For this purpose the Senate have made choice of Signior *Giovanni Grimani* to be their Commissioner, who is ordered forthwith to repair thither. They have also chosen Signior *Giovanni Landò* to be their Ambassador to the Port, but 'tis thought he will rather chuse to pay the usual Fine, than accept of so chargeable an Embassy. By some Ships arrived here from *Smyrna* we have an Account, that the News of the Conclusion of the Peace between the Christians and the Turks was received there with great Joy of the Inhabitants; By this opportunity we have Letters from *Andri-nople* of the 10th of February, which say, The Grand Signior having the day before received Advice by an Express of the Conclusion of the Peace, he went to the chief Mosque to return publick Thanks for the same, and afterwards the Mufti exhorted the Sultan, the Grand Visier, and other chief Ministers of the Port who were there present, to a strict observance of the said Treaties, lest Heaven should again afflict them with those Calamities they had suffered during the late War, which they so unjustly entred into against the Christians. There were afterwards great Rejoicings at the Grand Signior's Court, and the Sultan intended in few days to return to *Constantinople*, and to appoint his Ambassadors to the several Princes and States with whom he has made Peace, and to regulate divers other Matters.

Warsaw, March 16. An Express was sent this week to Vienna with some Proposals, touching the Negotiation to be set on foot for adjusting the Affair of *Elbing*, to which 'tis said the Senate of

this Kingdom will in nowise consent, till that Place be delivered into the hands of the Mediators. It's said, that the King of Poland intends to go to *Prussia* before the Meeting of the General Diet. The Queen's coming hither is now spoke of with much uncertainty, the last Letters from *Saxony* giving an Account, that she had deferred her Journey for some time longer. The King has lately made the *Sieur Oginsky* General of his Saxon Forces that are quartered in *Lithuania*, which has given much Jealousie to those who are in the Interests of General *Sapieha*.

Vienna, March 12. The Officers of the Emperor's Forces have given in the Lists they were ordered to make of the several Troops under their Command, by which it appears they consist at present in 86000 Effective Men. The Heer *Leander*, who had the Inspection of the Carriages belonging to the Army, is gone to Hungary with Directions to discharge a great number of Waggoners, Bakers, and others whose Service is unnecessary in time of Peace. The Hungarian Noblemen and Gentlemen, who came to attend the King and Queen of the Romans in their Entry here, have Petitioned the Emperor, that he would cause a Diet to be held at *Presbourg* of the Estates of that Kingdom, in order to settle divers Matters, which his Imperial Majesty has promised them to do so soon as the Condition of his Affairs will permit, and that he will go thither himself to be present at that Assembly; upon which, they have returned their Thanks to the Emperor, and are gone home very well satisfied. The Repartition of the Winter-Quarters for the Imperial Troops in Hungary, in the settling of which the Emperor's Commissioners met at first with great Difficulties, is now adjusted, to the Satisfaction of the States of that Kingdom. Count *Orring* is preparing for his Embassy to the Port; He is to carry with him a rich Present of Plate for the Grand Signior. The Count of *Volkra*, one of the Emperor's Council, is joined in Commission with Count *Marsigli*, to treat with the Turkish Commissioners about settling the Limits between the two Empires, and they will begin their Journey to *Carlowitz* about a week hence. The Heer *Hop*, Envoy from the States-General, has Complimented the King and Queen of the Romans in the Name of the States on their Marriage. The Count of *Oxenstern*, Ambassador from Sweden, has had Audience of Leave of the Emperor, and is gone to his Government of the Dutchy of *Deux-Ponts*, leaving his Secretary here till another Minister arrives from Sweden. Our Letters from *Peter-Waradin* give an Account, that the Venetian Ambassador left that Place on the 7th Instant on his Return hither; And that the Heer *Till*, Secretary of the Imperial Embassy, arrived the 12th at *Salankemen*, where he expected the Turkish Secretary, in order to exchange with him the Ratifications of the Treaty of Truce; Count *Schick*, the Emperor's Second Ambassador at the said Treaty,

was still at *Krackenmet*, where he expected the *Hect Till*, intending as soon as he returned to begin his Journey home.

Frankfurt, March 25. The Elector Palatine intends in a short time to come and reside at *Weynheim*, where the Palace is accordingly preparing for him. Count *Bismarck*, the Emperor's Envoy, is gone to *Mentz*, to be present at the choosing of a Dean of that Church, which Dignity is become vacant by the Surrender of the late Dean, now Bishop of *Wurtburgh*.

Brussels, March 29. The Elector of *Bavaria* returned hither last week from *Marimont*, and gave Audience of Leave to the Marquis de *Pomponne* Envoy Extraordinary from *France*. This day his Electoral Highness went to *Treuveure*, where he intends to spend the remaining part of this week. The Burghers of this City have resolved to continue the Excise on Beer.

Hague, March 31. N. S. The Council of War have been assembled here ever since the 26th Instant, to consider of civils Matters relating to the Forces that are in the Service of this State. The Count d'*Auvergne* arrived here last Saturday from *France*, and his Marriage with the Countess of *Staremberg* will be celebrated to-morrow. Monsieur de *Bourepos*, the French Ambassador, is shortly expected here from *Paris*. We hear, Count d'*Armaux*, Ambassador from *France* to the King of *Sweden*, has left *Stockholm* on his return home, and intends to pass thro' *Holland*. Count *Canitz*, Envoy from the Elector of *Brandenburg*, intends shortly to take his Audience of Leave of the States General, in order to his return to *Berlin*. The Count d'*Aversberg*, Envoy from the Emperor to His Majesty of *Great-Britain*, designs to go from hence with the first fair Wind for *England*.

Westminster, March 24. The King came this day to the House of Peers attended with the usual Solemnity, and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne, and the Commons being sent for up by Sir *David Mitchell*, Gentleman-Usher of the Black Rod, and attending accordingly, His Majesty gave the Royal Assent to

An Act to Prohibit the Excessive Distilling of Spirits and Low-Wines from Corn, and against the Exporting of Beer, and Ale, and to prevent Frauds in Distillers.

An Act to Enlarge the Trade to Russia.

An Act for preventing Irregular Proceedings of Sheriffs and other Officers, in making the Returns of Members chosen to serve in Parliament.

An Act for the Clearing, Repairing, Preserving and Maintaining the Haven and Ports of Great Yarmouth, in the County of Norfolk.

An Act for making and keeping the River Tone Navigable from Bridgewater to Taunton in the County of Somerset.

An Act for the Relief of the Creditors of Sir Robert Vyner Knight and Baronet, deceased.

And to several other Private Acts.

These are to give Notice, That the Person who lately received a Letter from H. G. desires he will come to him, and he shall be kindly received.

Whereas His Majesty hath signified His Royal Will and Pleasure by Henry Duke of Norfolk, Earl-Marshal of England, That no Person whatsoever presume to use, give, or suffer to be worn for their Liveries, any sort of Scarlet or Red Cloth or Stuff, except such as are or shall be worn by His Majesty's servants, and those belonging to the Royal Family, or Foreign Ministers: These are therefore to require all His Majesty's Subjects to take Notice of, and conform to His Majesty's Royal Will and Pleasure hereby signified. Nevertheless His Majesty is pleased to permit the wearing of such Scarlet or Red Liveries that are made, and in use, until the 29th Day of September next, but no longer.

March 10. 1698.

Norfolk, E. M.

The Court of Directors of the English Company Trading to the East-Indies give Notice, That the Members of the said Company do pay the 4th Part per Cent. for carrying on the Trade, on the 31st of April next at

Skinner's-hall; and that the 2^d Quarterly Payment of the Annuity due the 25th of March instant, being 2 per Cent. will then be allowed to them out of their said 5 per Cent. And that the Transfer of Stock will be stop'd from the 30th of March instant, to the 8th of April next inclusive.

The Court of Directors of the Governor and Company of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court of the Members of the said Company will be hold at the Bank on Tuesday the 28th of March instant, at 8 in the Forenoon for the Election of a Governor and Deputy-Governor; and on Friday the 31st Instant, for the Election of 24 Directors; and that the Votes of the Members qualified will be received for the Election of Governor and Deputy-Governor on Tuesday the said 28th Instant, from 9 to 12 in the Forenoon, and from 2 to 6 in the Afternoon, which Election will be declared either the same Night or the Day following; and that the Votes for the Election of 24 Directors will be received on Friday the said 31st Instant, from 9 to 12 in the Forenoon, and from 2 to 6 in the Afternoon, which last Election will be closed the same Night, and declared so soon as the scrutiny can be taken. Printed Lists of the Members, with their respective Qualifications to be choos'd and to be cho'sen, and an Abstract of the By-Laws and Statutes concerning Elections, are ready to be deliver'd at the Bank to such Members as shall require the same, for their better Direction in the giving in their Votes.

Whereas the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have received a Letter dated the 21st of this Instant March, signed M. G. wherein the Subject's complaints of some great Abuses which he has received in His Majesty's Service; Their Lordships do hereby give Notice, That if the Person who wrote the said Letter will attend them at their Office, and discover the Abuses he has received, he shall have all fitting Encouragement and Protection.

Advertisements.

The Second Edition of the *Romæ Antiquæ Notitia*, or Antiquities of Rome; Written by *Basil Kennert*, and Dedicated to His Highness the Duke of Gloucester: Is now Published with large Additions. Printed by *John Child* at the White-Hart, and *Ro. Knaplock* at the Angel and Crown, in *St. Paul's Church-yard*.

ON Friday the 8th of April next, will be sold by the Candle at *Lloyd's Coffee-house* in *London*, at 3 in the Afternoon, 774 Shares of the *Lanning Company* of *England*, in several Lots.

There are several Thousands of Double Ramckelos Roots brought from *Holland*, and are to be sold very cheap by *Mr. Charles Blackwell*, Sealdman, at the Kings-head near *Fleet-lane* in *Holborn*, *London*; where also are sold choice *Tuberose* Roots.

The major part of the Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against *James Shewell*, late of *Covenary* Merchant, intend to sit on Monday the 17th of April next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the *Trin-Chamber* in *Guildhall*, *London*, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate, and the Creditors are then to prove their Debts, and pay in their Contributions, or otherwise they will be excluded this Dividend, this being the last Notice. And those Persons who have not already proved their Debts, are desired in the interim to send in their Accompts to *Mr. Tho. Poore's*, Attorney in *Cancon-street*, one of the Commissioners, in order to prepare their Proofs.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against *George Stoney*, late of *Rilston* in *Yorkshire*, Drover, All Persons Debtors to the said Bankrupt's Estate, or have any of his Effects in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same to any Person, but such only whom the Commissioners shall appoint.

There are newly brought from *Italy*, very fine *Tuberose* Roots, and to be sold by *Mr. Sabatier* at the *Bunch of Grapes* in *Fountain-Court* in the *Strand*, *London*, at very reasonable Rates.

Off the first Instant, herwitz *Ludgate* and *Cheapside*, a green *Vellum Pocket-Book*, with a Note dated *Dec. 24. 1698*, payable to *Mr. Tuck* or *Bedler*, subscribed by *J. Barro-dall* for *Geo. Caldecott* and *Windsor* Sardis for 45 l. and other Papers. Whoever brings them to *Mr. Arthur Ingram* at *Mr. John Freeman's*, Merchant in *Spelman-street*, shall be well Rewarded.

Taken the 14th Instant out of *Mr. Ric. Nurse's* Stable of Childsford in *Kent*, a dark Iron-gray Gelding near 15 hands, his Mane half shorn, has a Crack on one of his fore Feet down to his Hoof, and no white about him. Whoever secures him, and gives notice to *Mr. Nurse* aforesaid, or to *Mr. T. Nurse* in *Pump-Court*, No 2. in the *Middle-Temple*, *London*, shall have a *Guinea* Reward, and reasonable Fees.

Off the 16th Instant out of *Mr. Edward Roberts's* Stable of *Milton* near *Teauxbury* in *Gloucestershire*, a Chestnut-coloured Mare, with a Blaze, her hind Feet white, above 14 hands, finely cap'd, comes 7, Trot and Gallop very fine. Whoever secures her, and gives notice to *Mr. S. Sargent* at the *Golden-Cross* Inn in *Worcester*, or to *Mr. Ch. Carter* at the *Poll* in the *Paradise* Street in *West-Smithfield*, *London*, shall have a *Guinea*, and reasonable Charges.

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