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Mizew, March 8. N. S.

**O**UR Letters from the *Saxon* Camp before *Riga* give an Account, that on the 4th Instant, at night, a Detachment was sent to attack the *Dunamunder* Fort, which they thought to have surpris'd, but the *Suedes* having timely discovered them, fired their Cannon, and obliged them to retire with the loss of divers of their Men. General *Fleming*, who went out of the Camp some days ago with a Body of 2000 Horse, was not returned from this Expedition. The *Saxons* have not yet begun formally to besiege *Riga*, as well by reason of the Frost which hinders them from opening their Trenches, as for want of their Cannon, part of which passed this day through this City going to their Camp. The *Suedes* on the other hand are very diligent in making the necessary Preparations for their Defence, and have sent out of the Town all the Women and Children, and other useless People, to the number of above 3000.

**Dantzick, March 12.** The last Advices from *Livonia* say, the Garrison of *Riga* has received a Reinforcement of 1600 Men from *Finland*, and that Count *Dahlberg* the Governor has sent an Express to *Stockholme*, to acquaint the King of *Sueden*, that the Place is in a very good Posture of Defence, and to assure him, that he will defend it till the last extremity. The *Saxons* had received their Artillery just before the departure of the last Letters from their Camp, which are dated the 9th, and 'twas believed they would in few days begin to bombard the Town, the Weather not yet permitting them formally to besiege it. In the mean time, several *Saxon* Regiments quartered in *Lithuania* are marching to join the Troops before *Riga*; But it's said, the 6000 *Lithuanians* under the Command of General *Sapieha*, are to remain on the Frontiers of that Country till further order.

**Vimsa, March 10.** The Dutchess-Dowager of *Russea*, who left this Place on the 4th Instant in order to return to *Mosiena*, arrived the next day at *Neustadt*, where she and her Retinue were lodged in the Imperial Palace, and splendidly entertained at the Emperor's Charge by Count *Hoyos*, who is to conduct her as far as *Poutieba*, on the Borders of *Italy*; She stayed there the 6th, and on the 7th continued her Journey. Count *Wurbna*, whom the Emperor has lately made Chancellor of *Bohemia*, is daily expected here from *Prague*. 'Tis said, the Count of *Salabury* will be made President of the Imperial Chamber. Several Persons of Quality are gone from hence to *Glogan* in *Silesia*, being appointed by the Emperor to Complement the King of *Poland* in his Name, as he passes through that Place in his return from *Saxony* to *Warsaw*. The Letters from *Croatia* say, Count *Marfigly*, the Emperor's Commissioner, was at *Szizzeck*, where he intended to continue the remaining part of the Winter, and would in the Spring renew his Conferences with the *Turkish* Commissioner for settling the Limits

in *Upper Hungary* and *Transylvania*. The *Turkish* Ambassador continues to visit the Emperor's Ministers and other Persons of Quality at Court, and has made very rich Presents to divers of them. We have not yet received any Account of Count *Oetting's* Arrival at *Constantinople*.

**Dresden, March 14.** The States of *Saxony*, who have been assembled here some time, will separate to morrow. The King of *Poland* intends in few days to return to *Warsaw*. Baron *Welling*, Envoy from the King of *Sueden*, is fallen ill, which obliges him to continue here longer than he intended; but he designs, as soon as his Health will permit, to return to *Stockholme*.

**Francfort, March 17.** The *French* at *Brisac* are getting every thing ready for delivering that Town to the *Germans*; And the Count *de Thungen* is appointed by the Emperor to take Possessions of it in his Name. The Elector Palatine has ordered another Payment of 100000 Livres to be made to the *Durches* of *Orleans*, which has been due some time.

**Hamburgh, March 19.** The Negotiation for adjusting the Affair of *Holstein* is continued, and 'tis said, that another Project of a Preliminary Treaty has lately been framed, and among other things 'tis propos'd, That the Duke of *Holstein* shall demolish one of his new Forts, and that every thing else shall remain in its present Condition, until the whole Matter be fully determined; but we do not yet hear how far the Parties concerned are inclin'd to close with it. The *Danish* Forces quartered at *Altona* are shortly to march towards *Rensbourg*, and some other *Danish* Troops are to come to *Altona* in their Place. It's still discourst, that the *Danes* have a design to bombard *Tonningen*, and the Governor of that Place is taking all possible care to put it into a good condition of Defence. The Princes of the House of *Lunembour* are making new Levies, and their Forces are all in a readiness to march upon the first Orders they shall receive. The Letters from *Copenhagen* say, an Embargo is laid upon all Ships there till the middle of *May*; That they continue to work with great Application in fitting out their Squadron of Men of War, which 'tis believed will be ready to go to Sea by the end of this Month. A Train of Artillery is preparing for the Service of the *Danish* Troops in *Norway*, Commanded by General *Wedel*, and new Levies are making as well to reinforce those Forces, as the *Danish* Troops in *Holstein*. They write from *Stockholme*, that the *Suedes* do likewise continue their Preparations with great Diligence; That the Ambassadors whom the King of *Sueden* sent some time ago to the Czar of *Muscovy*, are returned; And that the King was gone from *Stockholme* with the Duke of *Holstein*, to pass some days at *Coningser*.

**Liege, March 19.** The Elector of *Cologne* having, in Compliance to the Desire of the States of this Country, resolv'd to pass through this City in his Return to *Bonn* from *Brabant*; He left *Brussels* on the 15th Instant, and came to *Marchienne* on the *Sambre*. At his entrance in-

to the Territories of *Liège*, he was received by all the Nobility and the Deputies of the Cities between the *Sambre* and the *Maeſe* all on *Hortelback*, and was Complimented by the Count of *Groesbeck*; the Militia of the Country were ranged in the Road from *Marchienne* to *Florenne*, at which place his Electoral Highness was met by the French Governor of *Philipville*, accompanied by several Officers of that Garrison, who complimented his Electoral Highness and invited him to *Philipville*, which the Elector excused. As he passed near that Town, his Electoral Highness was saluted with the Cannon and small Arms of the Garrison. At his Entrance into *Dinant*, (where he lay that night,) he was received by the Magistrates, and the Burghers in Arms, and was saluted with the Cannon round the Place. His Electoral Highness spent the next day in viewing the Town and Cittadel of *Dinant*; On the 17th he came to *Huy*, and was complimented by Deputies from the Chapter of *Liège*; The same day he arrived here, and was met in the Suburbs by the Magistrates, who attended him to the Palace, the Burghers in Arms saluting him with a triple Salvo, and the Guns of the Cittadel were several times discharged. Yesterday the Elector received the Compliments of the Clergy, the States, the Courts of Justice, and of all the Persons of Quality; And he intends in few days to continue his Journey to *Bonn*.

*Hague*, March 23. The Count de Briort, Ambassador from France, has notified his Arrival to the States-General, and has been visited by the *Sieur d'Oslyke*, who presides this week in that Assembly; and his Excellency is preparing for his Publick Entry and Audience. The Envoy of *Morocco* is gone to *Amsterdam*, where he is to embark on a Man of War which the States have appointed to carry him home. The Deputies of the Admiralty began this day their Conferences with those of the States-General. 'Tis said, a Placet will shortly be Published, to forbid the Subjects of this State to enter into the Service of any Foreign Prince or State.

*Paris*, Mar. 24. N.S. The King has appointed Monsieur de Heron, who resides at present on the part of this Crown at the Court of *Hanover*, to go with the Character of his Envoy Extraordinary to *Poland*, being the first Minister he has sent to the King of *Poland* since his Election to that Crown. The King has made a Present to the Duke d'Elbeuf of 80000 Crowns in ready Money, and of 50000 more which are to be paid him by the Province of *Artois*, whereof he is Governor. Monsieur *Vrybergue*, His Majesty of Great Britain's Commissary for the Affairs of *Orange*, is on his departure hence for *England*.

*Bristol*, March 13. This day sailed out of *Kings-Road*, the *Tiger*, Captain *Hort* Commander, bound to *Pensylvania*, the *Carolina Merchant*, for *Carolina*, and the *Zant Frigate*, with several other Vessels for *Newfoundland*.

*Kenſington*, March 14. An Humble and Loyal Address from the Council and General Assembly of His Majesty's Province of *New-Hampshire* in *America*, wherein they Congratulate His Majesty upon the Peace, and Dutifully acknowledge His Majesty's Royal Favours to them, and particularly in having appointed the Earl of *Bellamont* to be their Governor; was this day Presented to His Majesty by Sir *Henry Ashburn* Baronet; And His Majesty received it very Graciously.

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court, to consider of making a Dividend, will be hold at the Bank on Wednesday next, the 20th Instant, at 10 in the forenoon; That Printed Lists for the Annual Election will be ready to be delivered out at the Bank on Thursday the 4th of April next; That a General Court of the Election will be held at the Bank on Tuesday the 9th of April next, from 9 to 12 in the forenoon, and from 3 to 6 in the afternoon, for the Election of a Governor and Deputy, which Court of Election will by Adjournment be continued and held at the same Place, and during the same Hours, on Thursday the 11th of April aforesaid, for the Choice of 24 Directors; That the Elections will be declared so soon as the Scrutinies are over.

#### Advertisements.

The History of the Holy Bible in large Folio, illustrated with 245 Cuts and Maps, being Reprinted by Subscription at two Guineas in Quires, and a 7th Book gratis, Subscribers are desired to pay in their Money before the 31st Instant, after which no Subscriptions will be taken in: and no more to be Reprinted than will be then subscribed for, the Plates being already working. The Paper, of double value to the former Impression, may be seen at several Bookellers, and at the Undertakers, S. Sprint, J. Nicholson, and J. Pero, in Little-Britain. Gentlemen may have their Arms and Seats engraven on some vacant Plates for 30 s. more; and Subscribers are desired to send in their Names to be Printed before the Book, this being the last Notice that will be Published concerning it.

Whereas Notice has been given, That Sir Paul Ricaut's History of the Turks, &c. for 20 years past, would be delivered to Subscribers in Easter-Term next; This is to give Notice, That no Subscriptions will be taken after the last Day of this Month, proposed at 18 s. to Subscribers, 6 s. in hand; and 12 s. upon delivery, and 7 Books paying for 6. Printed for R. Clavel in St. Paul's Church-yard, and A. Roper against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-Street.

The Sufficiency of a standing Revelation: A Sermon preached at the Cathedral Church of St. Paul the first of January last, being the first for the Year 1700, of the Lecture Founded by the Honourable Robert Boyle Esq; by Offspring Blackhall, Rector of St. Mary Aldermary, and Chaplain in Ordinary to His Majesty. Printed for W. Kettleby at the Bishop's Head in St. Paul's Church-yard.

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Lost off a Horse in Cheapside last Saturday night, a pair of Leather Bags, wherein were some Linnen marked T. P. and D. P. several Writings relating to an Estate in the Isle of Ely, and other Papers. Whoever brings them, or gives notice of them so as they be had again, to the Porter of Bedford-house in the Strand, shall have 3 Guineas Reward.

A Manor and Farm lying in or near Broxted in Essex, and several Lands and Tenements thereunto belonging, of about 200 l. per Annum; and the Site of the Manor of Allacke in Prowston near Norwich in Norfolk, and several Lands and Tenements thereunto belonging, of about 80 l. per Annum; are to be sold by a Decree of the High Court of Chancery to the best Purchaser, to be approved by Dr. Edisbury, one of the Masters of the said Court; Particulars may be had at his Chambers in Symonds-Inn in Chancery-lane.

Lost last Wednesday night from Mr. Miles, a Sadler, in Kirgston upon Thames, a Parcel of Writings and Papers, of no use but to the Owner; also a Silver-laced Waistcoat, and a large Silver-Staff-Box the inside gilt, and a Coat of Arms engraven on the top. Whoever brings them to Mr. Miles aforesaid, or to Mr. Fowles, Goldsmith, at the Black Lion in Fleet-Street, London, shall have a Guinea for the Writings, and Four Guineas for the Waistcoat and Staff-Box.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Matthias Giesque, late of the City of London, Merchant, intend to meet on Thursday the 2d of May next, at 9 in the forenoon, at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; and all Creditors concerned are then to come prepared to prove their Debts, and in the mean time to pay their Contribution-money to Mr. Joseph Tatem, otherwise they will be excluded the said Dividend.