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From the Saxon Camp before Riga, Mar. 11. N. S.

WE continue to keep the Town of Riga closely blocked up, and have at last received part of our Artillery, and expect the rest very suddenly. We have raised a Battery of three Mortars, but find that none of our Bombs reach the Town; and from the Town they ply us so warmly with their Cannon, that we cannot approach nearer to the Place without opening Trenches, which the Frost renders impracticable. Our Troops begin to suffer for want of Wood for Firing, and Forage which the Country hereabouts cannot sufficiently furnish. General Fleming, who went out of the Camp some days ago with a Party of 2000 Horse, is returned, and has brought back with him a considerable Booty of Provisions and Cartel, and has taken a Cornet and 6 Troopers Prisoners, who belonged to the Reinforcement the Swedes at Riga lately received from Finland, which was given out to be 1000 Men strong, but does not exceed 500. There is a Report, that 10000 Finlanders are marching to relieve Riga. We do not hear of any Motion of the Muscovites.

Mittau, March 12. Our last Letters from the Camp before Riga say, the Besieged made a Sally upon the Saxons last night; they fought a considerable time, and divers were slain on both sides, but we have not yet been able to learn the Particulars. The Reinforcement which lately got into the Town, was commanded by the Sieur Tiesenhuyssin, a Livonian Gentleman, and consisted of 300 Finlanders, and about 200 Soldiers he himself had raised in Livonia. General Fleming's Expedition into that Dutchy, had not the Success he seemed to expect, none of the Gentlemen having joined him, but it prevented the Sieur Tiesenhuyssin's getting together a greater number of Men than 200 or 300, and the Saxons brought back with them to the Camp between 2 and 300 Cartel, and about 500 Sledges with all sorts of Provisions. 'Tis said, the Sieur Oginsky is marching with a Detachment of the Forces of Lithuania to join the Saxons, but General Sapieha with another Body of Troops is to remain on the Frontiers of that Dutchy till further order. General Fleming lately sent an Officer to Birza in Samogitia with Letters from the King of Poland, and from himself, requiring the Magistrates of that Place to furnish some Cannon for the use of the Troops before Riga; but they made a difficulty of obeying these Orders, alledging, That the Republick of Poland not having declared War against Sweden, they could do nothing of this nature without particular Directions from the Crown-General. General Sapieha has sent a Letter to the Duke of Curland, complaining that the Country People on the Frontiers of his Country make frequent Excursions into Livonia, and carry away with them the Cartel and Provisions, which occasions a Scarcity thereof in the Saxon Camp, and desiring effectual Care may be taken to prevent the like for the future, for otherwise he shall be

obliged to shew his Resentment against the Courlanders. Divers of the principal Inhabitants of this Dutchy are removed with their best Effects to Memel.

Copenhagen, March 10. They continue to work here with great diligence in fitting out the Danish Fleet, which will consist in 32 Men of War, under the Command of Admiral Jewell; And of these, a Squadron will it's said be forthwith sent out to cruize on the Coasts of Sweden, to hinder their sending any Forces to Livonia, Pomerania, or Holstein. In the mean time the Sieur Greiffenhrantz is come hither incognito from Stockholm, and it's said his Business is to negotiate an Adjustment of the Differences between the King of Denmark and the Duke of Holstein.

Vienna, March 13. Count Strahlenheim, who lately arrived here with the Character of Envoy Extraordinary from Sweden, has had several Conferences with the Imperial Ministers concerning the Proceedings of the King of Poland's Forces in Livonia, and 'tis said the Emperor will offer his Mediation for accommodating Matters between them. The Count de Wurmb is arrived here from Prague, and has taken Possession of the Office of Chancellor of Bohemia lately given him by the Emperor. The Count of Cronberg, Chamberlain to the Emperor, Marshal of the County of Gorizia, and Supreme Director of the County of Vinnoval, died here some days ago.

Dresden, March 17. The States of the Electorate of Saxony are separated; and the King of Poland intends to go hence this Evening, in order to his return to Warsaw. A Review has lately been taken of the Forces in this Country, and they are to be in a readiness to march upon the first Orders they shall receive for that purpose.

Berlin, March 20. The Elector of Brandenburg went on the 17th Instant to Oranienburg, and returned hither yesterday. The Prince of Hesse-Cassel arrived here this day from Cassel, in order to his Marriage with the Elector of Brandenburg's eldest Daughter, which Ceremony will be performed in 12 or 14 days, about which time the Electors of Brandenburg is expected from Hanover.

Rensburgh, March 22. On the 20th Instant a Body of the Danish Forces marched into the Bailiwicks of Reinbeck, Trittau, Tremsbittel, and Stemburs, belonging to the Duke of Holstein, where they have taken Quarters; And a Manifesto was Published at the same time by order of the Duke of Wirtemberg, (dated from the Castle of Rheinbeck, where he has his Head Quarters) setting forth, That the King of Denmark being informed that several Foreign Troops were drawing together, with a design to invade his Territories, he found himself obliged to prevent the same, by causing his Troops to enter into some Bailiwicks belonging to the Duke of Holstein, in order to secure the Passes, and to make it manifest, that he does not intend thereby to prejudice the Peace

Se. al Persons of Quality having, for the En-
agement of MUSIC, advanced 200 Guineas,
be distributed in 4 Prizes, the First of 100, the Se-
cond of 50, the Third of 30, and the Fourth of 20 Gu-
neas, to such Masters as shall be adjudged to Compe-
the best; This is therefore to give Notice, That they
who intend to put in for the Prizes, are to repair to
Jacob Tonson at Grays-Inn-Gate before Easte-
Day next, where they may be further Informed.

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THE Commissioners in a Commissions of Bankrupt against Hugh Calverly and Robert Scott, late of London, Merchants, intend to sit on Tuesday the 12th of April next, from 12 o'clock in the Afternoon, at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt Estates; and all Creditors concerned are then and there to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contributions; otherwise they will be excluded the said Dividend.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against William Spurling, late of Whitechapel, Ironmonger, went to meet on Thursday the 18th of April next, at Nine 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 pay their Contribution-money, otherwise they will be excluded the said Dividend.

of Examine the said Debtors.
 Hedges & Co. Commission of Bankrupt: hath been awarded
 against Benjamin Hoxley, Late of Bucklersbury, Lon-
 don, Druggist. All Persons that owe him any Money, or
 that have any Goods, or other Effects of his in their hands,
 are bounden to pay and deliver the same to Mr. Thos
 Gyles, or Mr. Wm. Tott, of Bucklersbury street, Druggs,
 Assignees, or they'll be liable for the same.

A Good Farm, called Inghill, alias Earnhill, in Buldon Hundred, in South Yorkshire, near Thosforth and Conyngthorpe, to be sold, containing a Farm-house, with Barns, Stables, Orchard, Fruit-Trees, and other Conveniences for Improvement, and about 400 Acres of Land, all enclosed, most of it in good Tillage Ground; it is a fruitful and thriving Soil, and no Time in Kind, and Fish all together. Enquire of Messrs Jennings at Burton, near Euxford, aforesaid, or of John Lee the Little Ambrey in Wainfleet.

Ronald Douglas, a well known 10-year-old Ford, road Ford, a nice Compliment, I got to own back that, and today Brown Clashes, in a Red, I longer than his, it's more than his Mother, on May 10th, and a look with him a real large new Gold Watch-Clocks with the Hall Mark, and G.N. the actress, in a Black Shown on Cafe. If he specially remember the first day, he was, and if not, who can ever know him, G. J. and I, and the other, South, on 11th, and in the morning, in a Red, and a Hall, but a true Guinness Brewed, and a Red, that Money, and in with Content.

I Off in North's right hand between the Royal Exchange and Hill's Wall Mfg. a James Bag, in which was a Bank Note of £100, value 6s. 6d. in Silver. Whereupon he sent Mr. William Threlker, next to the G. H. N. P. in Court House Square in Horse-Garden, to bring Ten Pound's Reward.

Figure, March 26. The States-General have caused a Placaet to be published, forbidding their Subjects to enter into the Service of any Foreign Prince or State. The Deputies of the Admiralty continue their Conferences with the Deputies of the States General. The Count *de Briart*, Ambassador from *France*, will make his Publick Entry in few days. The Marquis *de Monac*, who had the Management of the Affairs of that Crown till his arrival, intends very soon to return to *France*.

Paris, March 27. N. S. This said, Orders are sent to Monsieur du Heron, Envoy Extraordinary from this Crown to the King of Poland, (who is at present a *Hannover*) to hasten his Journey to *Warsaw*, and to offer the Most Christian King's Mediation for Accommodating the Differences between Sweden and Poland. Major General *Laubanie*, being lately made Governor of *New Brisack*, is gone to take Possession of that Government. This said, an Edict will shortly be published, for creating 2400000 Livres Annuities on the Town-House of *Paris*. Our Letters from Italy say, the Cardinal *d'Eftrée* is arrived at *Bagnola*, a House belonging to the Duke de *Leviti*, one days Journey from *Rome*, where he intends to stay for the arrival of the other French Cardinals, that they may make their Entry into that City together.

Plimouth, March 15. The *Sigsbee*, *Thos. White* Master, the *Orange-Tree*, *David Stone* Master, and the *Newfoundland*, *John C. Brown* Master, all three of this Place, and bound to *Newfoundland*, sailed from hence the 13th Instant. This day the *Colchester*, Capt. *Rose* Commander, set sail from this Port for the *East-Indies*.

The Court of Directors of the English Company Trading to the East-Indies give Notice, That a General Court of all the Members of the said Company, having each 500 l. Stock, will be held at Skinners-Hall on Tuesday next the 26th Instant, at 10 o'clock in the Forenoon, being a Quarterly Court appointed by the Charter.