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Vienna, April 6. N. S.

THE King of Denmark's Envoy, since his Return from Venice, has signified to the Imperial Ministers, that his Danish Majesty can by no Means comply with the Proposal made by this Court for reforming his Troops in the Emperor's Service. General Gersdorff, who commands this Body of Danes, has received Orders from the King his Master to hold them in a Readiness for marching; and the Danish Commissary has given in the Account of Arrears due to them. Several Hungarian Parties have been seen on the Frontiers of Lower Austria for some Days past. One of them crossed over to this side of the Leyra, pillaged the Village of Broderstorf, and carried off with them some of the Inhabitants, and several Head of Cattle. Others of their Parties have been chased and defeated by the Imperial Troops. It is advised from the Frontiers of Turkey, that three Hungarian Noblemen, deputed from the Malecontents, were arrived at Belgrade, in their way to Constantinople.

Geneva, April 10. N. S. They write from Geneva, that four Battalions of French Foot are ordered to march out of Spain into Dauphiné. Two of those Battalions are of Charolois, one of Medoc, and the other of Bresse. Eight Regiments from Franche Comté are to move towards the same Station with all Expedition. We have repeated Advices that Marshal Villars is to detach 40 Battalions from Flanders, 18 of which are to serve on the Rhine, and 22 in Provence, Dauphiné and Savoy. Letters from France say, they are in great Apprehensions of a general Famine throughout that Kingdom, and that the People of Grenoble had pillaged three Mazazines of Corn, which had been furnished for the Subsistence of the Army in Dauphiné. Though the French Accounts of the springing of the Mine at Alicant speak of very terrible Effects, they do not say it has obliged the Garrison of the Castle to surrender.

Berlin, April 13. N. S. On Thursday last General Fleming arrived here, in order to conduct his Sister, Madam Prebendow, to Dresden. He has had several Conferences with the Ministers, in which it is said he has proposed a defensive and offensive Alliance between his Majesty and King Augustus. Monsieur Tobianski, Nephew to the late Cardinal-Primate of Poland, is come hither with a Pass from the Allies to return to Poland. It is said, he has Letters from France to King Stanislaus, the Grand General, as well as particular Instructions to join the King of Sweden's Army. Baron Fostner is also here from the Duke of Lorraine, and has been at the Courts of the Elector-Palatine, and his Electoral Highness of Hanover. He has had no formal Audience of the King, but has been presented to his Majesty, and appears at Court as a private Gentleman. Last Monday their Majesties went together to a Country House of the King's called Belvedere. At their Departure from thence the King made a Present of that Seat to her Majesty. On Monday next the King designs to go to Lensberg, and will divert himself at Linan with the usual Sport of Shooting till the latter end of the Week. The Queen intends to take that Opportunity to make a Visit to her Mother at Mecklenburg.

Brussels, April 18. N. S. The Letters of the 17th. just now arrived from Ghent, advise, that the Enemies have failed in a design they had formed for surprizing two Battalions quartered in Alost, which having timely notice of the Approach of the Enemy, retired to Dendermond. Lieutenant-General Wood kept under Arms a Body of 5000 Foot and 1000 Horses, in order to march upon the first Advice of the Motion of the French, and endeavour to intercept their Retreat. Major-General Cadogan arrived here last Night from the Hague.

Hague, April 19. N. S. This Day there was made a Promotion of General Officers. The Majors-General, who are nine in number, were all made Lieutenants-General; the Brigadiers, Majors-General; and several Colonels, Brigadiers. Prince Eugene arrived here last Night from Amsterdam. They say he designs to set out for Brussels on Monday or Tuesday next, and most of the General Officers are ordered to attend him thither. Yesterday Morning there happened an Engagement off of Scheveling, between a Privateer of Zealand, and one of equal Force belonging to Dunkirk. After a Dispute of two Hours, the Zelandier made himself Master of the French Vessel, and brought it into the Texel. Several Vessels laden with Corn for France, have been obliged to discharge their Cargo, in Obedience to a Placaert, which forbids the Exportation of all manner of Grain into the Enemy's Country, notwithstanding the Merchants represented that they were loaded before the Publication of that Placaert. All our Letters from France confirm the general Misery of the People, by reason of the Scarcity of Corn, which in most of the Provinces is raised to so excessive a Price, that it occasions an universal Disatisfaction. Rumours of Peace are industriously spread, to prevent the ill Effects of such Discontents. It is said the Duke of Vendosme is to command in Flanders. Eight Sail of Vessels of War are preparing at Dunkirk. Yesterday in the Afternoon the Deputies of the States-General came to a Conference with his Grace the Duke of Marlborough. We have an Account from Brussels, that the Courier which Monsieur Rouillé sent to the French Court, with a Report of the manner in which the Offers towards a Treaty of Peace had been received, passed through that Place in his Return on the 16th in the Evening. Upon which it is expected Monsieur Rouillé will desire another Meeting; but this does not in the least slacken our Preparations for taking the Field the beginning of the next Month.

Dartmouth, April 8. On the 6th Instant came in here two French Prizes, taken by a Dutch Privateer, one laden with Sugar and Indigo from the West-Indies, and the other from France with Salt, bound for Placentia.

Plimouth, April 10. Yesterday sailed her Majesty's Ships the Captain, Revenge, Bedford, Worcester, Southsea-Castle and Garland, and under their Convoy about 250 Merchant-Ships for Portugal, Virginia East and West-Indies, &c. Then sailed my Lord Dursly with 11 Men of War, in order to cruise.

Bristol, April 11. This Day came in the Britania of Barnstable, John Mallack Master, in 30 Days from Virginia. Her Majesty's Ship the Speedwell-Prize failed out of Kingroad yesterday. The Bridgewater and Orford's-Prize are still in Kingroad.

Yarmouth, April 11. This Morning Sir John Norris, with a Squadron of her Majesty's Ships under his Command, came to Anchor on the back of our Sands. And this Evening the Men of War that are here will fail out of our Road, in order to join him. Her Majesty's Ships the Falkstone and Advice's-Prize continue in our Roads.

Portsmouth, April 12. On the 7th Instant came to Spithead from the Downs her Majesty's Ships the Resolution, Sterling-Castle, Lynn, Seafair, Thorlington, Portsmouth, Hector, and the Griffin Fire-ship, with about 20 Sail of Merchantmen and Coasters under their Convoy. The same Day came up from cruising the Chatham, Exeter and Crown. On the 8th the Resolution failed into the Harbour. And at the same time the Newport failed out to Spithead. On the 9th, the Dutch Men of War bound for Lisbon failed from St. Hellens, with about 60 Sail under their Convoy. Yesterday two Marine Soldiers were shot to Death at the Head of the Regiments in this Garrison, for Mutiny.

Whitehall,

Whitehall, April 13. Baron Smith, formerly one of the Barons of Exchequer of England, and made one of the Barons of Exchequer of Scotland, upon the constituting of that Court since the Union, is appointed by her Majesty to be Lord Chief Baron of the said Court, in the Room of the Right Honourable the Earl of Seafield, who has resigned the same.

On Tuesday the 3d of May, will be exposed to Sale at Lloyd's Coffee-House in Lombardstreet, London, by Direction of the Agent to the Captors, the Ship, Tackle, Furniture, and Lading of the Prize Sage of Olone, taken by Her Majesty's Ship the Medway-Prize, Captain John Beverly Commander, now lying in the Port of Falmouth. Inventories whereof will be timely printed, dispers'd, and affixed upon the Royal-Exchange, London.

Advertisements.

ON Wednesday the 11th day of May next, will be run for in Woodstocke-Park in Oxfordshire, A Gold Plate of 50 Guineas, given by His Grace the Duke of Marlborough, by any Horse, Sec. carrying 12 Stone, the best of 3 Heats. The next day will be run for, a Plate of 12 Pound value, by any Horse, Sec. carrying 10 Stone, 3 Heats, the winning Horse, Sec. to be Sold for 25 Guineas. And on Friday the 13th, there will be a Brace of Bucks run for at 10 a Clock, by any Horse carrying 10 Stone, 3 Heats, the winning Horse, Sec. to be Sold at 15 Pound. And in the Afternoon the Gentleman's Plate will be run for, of about 55 Pound value, by any Horse carrying 11 Stone, 3 Heats, the winning Horse, Sec. to be Sold for 50 Guineas. Whatsoever Horse runs for any of these Plates must be shown at the Marker-place in Woodstocke, and Entered by the Clerk of the Race that Day sevennight before each of the Plates are Run for.

A Feet running for the Town Plate at Lamborne on Wednesday in Easter-week next, there will be a Match run on Lamborne Downs, between Heaney-Shoulders and Count Scullards Stradler, for a considerable Sum of Money, ten Stone each.

ON the 3d, 4th, and 5th of May successively, will be run for on the Downs near Cirencester in Gloucestershire, three Plates, and for each three Heats. The Gentleman's Plate of about 50 Guineas, 12 Stone, any Person may ride, the winning Horse to be Sold for 50 Guineas; 10 Horse to be entered under 5 Guineas that is not a Subscriber. The Town-Plate of 20 l. 11 Stone, Jockeys to ride, the winning Horse to be Sold for 20 Guineas. The Galloway Plate of 5 l. by Horses not exceeding thirteen Hands and a half, 8 Stone; or any under that size, Weight being allowed according to Horsemanship, Jockeys ride. The Horses are to be shewed and entered at the Ram-Lan in Cirencester seven days before they run. At the same time there will be a great Match of Cock-fighting for 10 Guineas a Battel, and 200 Guineas the odd Battel, which will continue all the Week.

A Wharf at Deptford, in the County of Kent, fronting the River of Thames, commonly called and known by the Name of the Stone-Wharf, being 110 Foot in breadth from East to West, next the River of Thames, 175 foot in depth on the West-side, and 138 foot in depth on the East-side, and in breadth at the South-end 105 foot; with the Tenements, Buildings, Crane and Crane-house, thereto belonging, Parcel of the Revenues of London-Bridge; now to be Let by Lease by the Committee of Bridge-house Lands. All Persons desirous to treat with the said Committee for the same, may apply themselves to the Clerk-Comptroller of the said Revenues, at the publick Compting-house at the Bridge-house in Southwark, for Information therein; and are desired to deliver their Proposals in Writing, to the said Clerk-Comptroller, sealed up, by or before the first Day of June next.

A N entire Freehold-Estate of about 260 l. per Ann. to be sold, with a Manor and Royalty of Fishing, lying within a Miles of Newport-Pagnell, and one Mile of Olney, in the County of Bucks, with or without a Perpetual Advowson of 200 l. per Ann. Further Particulars are to be had of Mr. John Backwell, Attorney, in Lincoln's Inn.

T O be Sold a large Mansion House with several Manors, Messuages, Lands, Tenements and Hereditaments in Reedham, Halvergate, Wyckhampton, Strumpshaw, Lymphenowe, Freshorp, Bradiston, and other Places adjacent, in the County of Norfolk, of about 1700 Pound per Annum. late the Estate of Sir James Edwards; Baronet, and Michael Edwards, Esq; both deceased, and before the Estate of Richard Berney, Esq; deceased. Enquire of Dame Retycker Edwards near the Church in Hackney, or of Mr. William Fashion, Scrivener, in Threadneedle-Street, London.

F OR Sale by the Candle, On Thursday the 21st of this Instant, in Southampson, at 9 in the Forenoon, 90 Hogheads of new excellent Obrian (French Prize) Clares, Neat, an entire Parcel just imported from Guernsey. To be shown by Mr. Charles Arrowsmith from the 22th Instant to the Hour of Sale, in Southampson aforesaid; and also 18 Pipes of new Viana just landed, to be seen at the same Place 3 Days before the Sale, and there to be sold by Thomas Tomkins, Broker.

A Ltho' the Price of true French Brandy is much risen since Major Bird has lower'd his Price, yet considering the great Quantity that has of late been Imported, and how little of it has been bought and Sold by the Distillers, he is of Opinion that the Price must fall again; therefore he will not as yet advance his Price, but will give timely Notice, if he finds himself obliged so to do.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against John Vickers of Market-Rayn in the County of Lincoln, Mercer; and the said Vickers hath surrendered himself and conformed himself according to Act of Parliament; the said Commissioners design to meet at the Red-Lyon at Spittle, in the said County, on the 20th of April Instant, to make an Assignment.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Barron of Spittlefields, in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 21st and 28th Instant, and on the 14th of May next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Daniel Peck of Chester, Merchant (who is declared a Bankrupt, and has surrendered himself, and been examined) intend to meet on the 29th Instant, at Mr. Savill's at the Wheat-Sheaf in Flint, in the County of Flint, at 10 in the Forenoon; at which time the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees; and the said Bankrupt is to be further examined.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Gabriell Davis, late of Abingdon in the County of Berks, Barber, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 20th Instant, on the 11th and 14th of May next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-Chamber in Guildhall, London. At the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-Mony, and chuse Assignees.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Richard Winnington of London, Dyer, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 16th and 19th Instant, at 9 in the Forenoon, and on the 14th of May next, at 3 Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at the second of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

T HE Creditors of Thomas Pirkin, late of London, Linnen-drafter, that have already proved their Debts, are desired to be present at a Meeting, to be had in the Old Council-chamber at Guildhall, London, on Thursday the 29th Instant, at 9 in the Forenoon, to give their assent or dissent to the Composition or Agreement proposed to be made by Thomas Brewwood with the Creditors of the said Thomas Pirkin, pursuant to the Act of Parliament in that behalf.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Osborne, late of Dawlish, in the County of Devon, Woolcomber, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 19th and 26th Instant, and on the 15th of May next, at 3 Afternoon, at John's Coffee-house, in Exon; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

W Hereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Durwin, of London, Orange-Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 20th and 29th of April Instant, and the 13th of May next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and chuse Assignees.

W Hereas William Wood, late of the Parish of St. Clements Dares, in the County of Middlesex, Salesman, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been twice examined; these are to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 26th Instant, at 3 Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. And all Persons indebted to him, or that have any Estate or Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to deliver the same to Mr. Edward Byrton of Princes-street, London, Warehouse-man, or to Mr. Benjamin Pancer-lane, London, Assignees, or they'll be sued.

A Commission of bankrupt being awarded against Stephen Theard, late of London, Merchant, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 20th and 29th Instant, and on the 14th of May next, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid Contribution-mony, are then and there to do the same. And all Persons who are indebted to the said Theard, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay or deliver the same to John Dunk'yne of Leadenhall-street, and Peter Hamkly of Thames-street, London, Merchants, Assignees, or they will be sued.

T HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Richard Corbett, late of Spittlefields, in the County of Middlesex, Yarnseller, intend to meet on the 24th of May next, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-mony, are to come prepared to do the same, or they'll be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against John Parsons, Junior, of New-Sarum in the County of Wilts, Linnen-drafter, and he having surrendered himself to the Commissioners, and been examined; these are to give notice, that the Commissioners intend to meet on the 29th of April Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contribution-mony, and assent to dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate.

S TOY from Thomas Haswell of the Parish of Gosden, on Monday the 23th of March last, at Night, a black bull fat'd Mare, about 14 hands and an Inch high, with some Saddle spots, her Head being rub'd with her Flanch, about 10 or 11 years old; Whoever shall bring her to John Whales, at the Sign of the Horse-shoe at the Stone's End in Southwark, or to Thomas Haswell aforesaid, shall have 10 s. Reward.