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Venice, January 3. N. S.

**T**HE French Ambassador hath left his own House, and hath at present an Apartment in that of Baron Widmar (who was formerly the Duke of Bavaria's Envoy at the Court of England) with a design to set out for France within few Days, by the way of Switzerland and the Country of the Grisons. An English Merchant-man, called the Brice Gallies, is arrived here from Great Britain. Our last Advices from Rome say, the Pope's Indisposition was so great, that he omitted all the usual Functions at the Feast of the Nativity. A Courier lately arrived at that Court, with Instructions to Monsieur Molines to solicit for the Pope's Grant of the Archbishoprick of Toledo, and other Benefices that were vacant in the Kingdom of Spain. It is said, Prince Avellino was speedily expected from Barcelona, with the Character of Ambassador from his Catholick Majesty to his Holiness. They write from Naples, that Cardinal Grimani had lately made several Alterations in the Ministry of that Kingdom; that divers rich Prizes had been taken from the Enemy on the Coast of Calabria, and brought into Reggio; that the French Troops in Sicily were preparing to quit that Island, and that General Mahoni and most of the principal Officers were already sailed from thence.

*Vienna, January 4. N. S.* This Court appears very well satisfied with the Measures which have been taken by the High Allies to carry on the War, and are resolved to exert their utmost Power to oblige the French King to grant such Terms as may effectually tend to the Security of the Empire, and the Tranquillity of Europe. Prince Eugene hath summoned all the Principal Officers of the Imperial Armies to assist at a General Council of War. Count Merzi is arrived here from the Upper Rhine, and General Heister is returned from Hungary. The Emperor hath prolonged the Term within which the Hungarian Malecontents are to return to their Allegiance, and to receive the Benefit of his late gracious Declaration of Pardon; and also ordered the Articles which the last Diet of Presburg had resolved to grant the States of Hungary to be made publick. The Substance of which is, That the States of Hungary shall have the Liberty to proceed to the Election of a new King, if the Line-Male of the late Emperor Leopold shall happen to be extinct. That the Hungarian Nation shall be entirely governed by their own Laws. That no Gentleman or Burgher of Hungary shall be Arrested before a due Citation, unless in Cases of High-Treason; on Conviction of which Crime their Goods shall be confiscated. That a General Diet shall be Assembled every three Years. That the Treasury of Hungary shall be dependant on that of Vienna, for the better Administration of the publick Revenue; and therefore be no ways Regulated by the general Diet. That the Emperor shall have the disposal of all Ecclesiastical Preferments. That the Affairs of Religion shall be established on the Resolutions of the Diets of Presburg and Ardemburg. That an Hungarian Counsellor may be elected at the first Diet, who is to have the Charge of the Execution of the Laws. That if Prince Ragotzi and his adherents do not make their Submission to his Imperial Majesty within the last Term granted for their Pardon, they shall be declared Traitors and Enemies to their Country, and their Goods shall be Confiscated for the Service of the Publick. His Imperial Majesty further promises to restore the Lands taken from the Turks to the lawful Proprietors, if they can prove their Title. It is uncertain whe-

ther these Overtures of Accommodation will Recensure the Differences of that Kingdom; but it is said, that Prince Eugene will mediate with the States of Hungary at the next Diet of Presburg, in order to determine that War. Advices from Neutra say, that the Garrison of Neuheufel is reduced to great Want of Money and Provisions. Letters from Constantinople confirm that great Military Preparations are making throughout the Turkish Dominions; and that considerable Bodies of Horse and Foot are marching towards the Frontiers of Muscovy.

*Berne, January 4. N. S.* The French Troops having made several Motions in Alsatia, General Rhsfeld hath written to all the Cantons to take the utmost care of all the Avenues of that of Basle, to prevent the Enemy from making any Attempt on the Forest Towns, and 'tis said the Helvetic Body will take effectual Measures for the Security of those Places. The Abbot of St. Gall having returned an Answer to the Cantons of Berne and Zurich, that he would evacuate the Castles in the County of Tockenbourg, conformably to the Resolution of the General Diet, provided that these Cantons would enter into Engagements, that the Inhabitants of Tockenbourg should attempt nothing against him; the Roman Catholicks of Lucerne, Uri and Fribourg were very much dissatisfied at this Answer, and used their Endeavours to prevent an Accommodation of this Business in such a manner; but it is believed that Affair will, notwithstanding their Opposition, be speedily concluded. Advices from Turin say, the Differences between that Court and his Imperial Majesty were adjusted, and that his Royal Highness designed to augment his Forces with six thousand Men, having held frequent Councils with his Ministers on that Subject.

*Brussels, January 16. N. S.* The Council of the States of Flanders having prepared an Act of Oblivion and Indemnity for all those who were concerned in the Surrender of Ghent and Bruges to the Enemy. The Deputies of the States took a Journey to Ghent on that Occasion, and were received with great Demonstrations of Joy by the principal Inhabitants, and some established Communities of that City. This Act declares, That notwithstanding the Surprize of Ghent and taking of Bruges were very prejudicial to his Catholick Majesty's Service, and the Common Cause; yet, to give them an Instance of his Clemency and mild Government, his Majesty had, by the Advice of his Council, granted them a General Pardon, had enlarged such as were imprisoned on Suspicion of being Accomplices in that Action, restored them to their former Privileges and Honours, and strictly required that they should not be persecuted, or any ways reproached for any thing that was transacted in that Affair. Letters from Compeigne say, that notwithstanding the Solicitations of Count Bergeick for Money at the Court of France for the Payment of the Spanish and Walloon Troops in Flanders ever since the taking of Mons, and the frequent Promises they have obtained, that the Arrears due to those Forces should be discharged the beginning of this Month, they had yet received none of their Pay. Advices from Paris say, that the Duke of Burgundy had expressed a Desire to command the Army in Flanders the next Campaign; but the King had not yet determined that Affair. We are assured that the Superintendent of the Finances had represented to his Majesty the Impossibility of establishing Funds sufficient to defray the extraordinary Expences of the War; and though it had been industriously given out by the Court, that there were Means already

already found for raising 100 Millions of Livres. it is believed that they will not bring in 30. The Viceroy of Peru, a Native of Catalonia, having made his Application to the Courts of Paris and Madrid, was to be continued in the Government of that Kingdom three Years longer. These Letters add, that they were in great Expectation of the Arrival of the Galleons with Bullion from the West-Indies. In the mean time the Court never laboured under greater Difficulties for Money, than at present. The vigorous and unanimous Proceedings of the British Parliament and the States-General had very much alarmed the Kingdom; but to remove the Fears of the People, the French Court gave out that their Troops of Augmentation would be much superior to the Allies next Year, and that Care had been taken to lay in Stores in the Magazines of the Frontier Towns in Flanders sufficient for the Maintenance of two hundred thousand Men. Letters from Madrid, of the 23d of the last Month, say, that great quantities of Fire-Arms were expected from France; and that the Duke of Anjou had resolved to offer the Command of the Army, which is to serve against Catalonia next Year, to the Duke of Berwick.

**Kinsale, December 29.** This Day arrived the Norwich Man of War, being a fourth Rate, Captain Study Commander, from Cork, Convoy to the Providence of Limerick, Red-Lion of Rotterdam, Jane, John and Elizabeth, Ann and Mary, and the Endeavour, all of and from Cork, with Hides and Butter for Rotterdam; the Maes Dogger, Keizar, and the Thousand Fears, all of Zurickza from Cork, with Hides, Butter, &c. for Zurickza; the Resolution of Rotterdam from Cork, with Hides, &c. for Ostend; the Ann of Youghall with Tallow for Flimouth; the Francis of Cork, with Butter for Bridges, and the African Galley of Amsterdam from Guinea, with Elephants Teeth for Amsterdam.

**Falmouth, January 7.** Yesterday sailed the Great Pearl, Captain Creado Commander, to cruise. The Union Packet-boat is preparing to sail for Lisbon, and will carry over some of the new raised Men for that Place. Great Quantities of Pilchards are taken in our Bays, and are observed to be as good as if it were in the Summer Season.

**Portsmouth, January 10.** On Sunday last in the Afternoon her Majesty's Ship the Swiftsure, on Board whom is Commodore Cornwall, with the Lancaster, Yarmouth, Mary Galley, Sunderland, Rochester, Looc, Advice, Swallow's-Prize, Medway's-Prize, Ruby and Strombulo arrived at Spithead, with several East-India Men, and other Merchant-ships under their Convoy from the Downs. Just now the Scarborough, Falkland, Sunderland and Yarmouth are under Sail, in order to follow Sir John Norris to the Straights. There are at Spithead the Edgar, Ruffel, Windsor, Rupert, Warspight, Nonsuch, Feverham, Swiftsure, Lancaster, Mary Galley, Looc, Ruby, Advice, Rochester, Swallow's-Prize, Medway's-Prize, Strombulo and Phoenix Fireship.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty having received two Papers signed by Sir, by which an Offer is made to discover something that may be of Advantage to her Majesty's Service, in relation to the Ships of the Royal Navy; their Lordships do hereby give Notice, that if the Person will attend them at their Office, he shall have all fitting Encouragement and Protection.

A General Court of all the Adventurers of the Royal African Company of England is appointed to be held at their House in Leadenhall-street, on Tuesday the 17th Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon, upon special Affairs. And another General Court on the 18th Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, to declare the Choice of a Governor, Sub-Governor, and Deputy Governor for the Year ensuing, and their Votes to be brought in between 9 and 12 of the same Day. And another General Court on the 19th Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, to declare the Choice of 24 Assistants, and the Votes to be brought in between 8 and 12 of the same Day. And another General Court on the 2d of February next, at 11 in the Forenoon, to declare the State of the Stock.

**Advertisements.**

This Day is published, Biblicæ Anatomica, Medicæ, Chirurgiæ, &c. containing a Description of the several Parts of the Body's each done by some one or more eminent Physician or Chirurgion; with their Diseases and Cures. Illustrated with several hundred Figures, done by the best Artists, and from the truest

Designs. To be published Monthly. This third for January contains several Tracts of the Bones, with two large Plates, on which are near 20 Figures of the Bones relating to the Head. Printed by J. Nuts; and sold by W. Lewis, D. Brown, J. Pemberton, R. Knaplock, R. Wilkin, M. Atkins, W. Taylor, T. Horns, A. Bell, and J. Morpew; where may be had the First and Second Months. Pr. 1 s. each.

The Annual Feast of the Gentlemen Educated at St. Paul's School will be held on the 27th Instant, at Mercer's-Hall in Cheap-side. Tickets will be delivered at Mr. Edward's in Peter-lane, at Easton's Coffee-house near the Royal Exchange, Mr. Tooke's, Bookseller at Temple-bar, Mr. Truby at the Queen's Arms Tavern in St. Paul's Church-yard, and at Oliver's Coffee-house at Westminster-Hall-Gate. Stewards are provided for the next Year.

If there be any Creditors yet remaining of the Right Honourable Charles late Earl of Burlington, Deceased, that have not proved their Debts before Sir Robert Legard, Kt. one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, in order to be Lett in to have a Satisfaction for the same, they are required to prove them on or before the 10th of March next; and for that purpose they are desired by the Trustees of the said Earl to apply themselves to Mr. Moses Moore, at his House in Chancery-lane, who is appointed Solicitor for the said Creditors.

Notice is hereby given, That a Freehold Estate, being a convenient Farm of about 50 l. per Annum, in Broughton, in the County of Southampton, is to be sold; and that by such Sale the Heir at Law of John Cross, late of Rumsey, &c. Physician, deceased, will have a considerable Benefit. Further Information may be had of Mr. George Richardson, at his Chambers in Clifford's Inn, or Mr. Goddard, Attorney, at Rumsey aforesaid.

To be Sold a well built Brick House, the Sign of the Angel in Kingsstreet Covent-Garden, with a Back-house and other buildings behind it, well Tenanted, and lately put into good Repair; the clear Rent is 70 l. per Annum, 'tis Leasehold, and twenty two Years to come. Inquire of Mr. John Morton at the Archbishops, or of Mr. Matthew Snabin at the White Bear, in Corahill.

Rebecca Ursula Weedon, the Wife of John Weedon of White-chappel, Carpenter, hath Eloped from her said Husband, and hath contracted several Debts, without the Knowledge or Consent of her said Husband; thus it is given Notice to all Persons not to Trust the said Ursula Weedon, for that her said Husband will not pay any Debts she shall contract after the Publication hereof.

All Persons having any Apparel, or Linnen, in the Hands of Cornelius Drew, at the Sun in Silver-street near Cripplegate, are desired to redeem them by the 25th of April next, else they will be disposed of, he having left off dealing in those Goods; but in the repeated Request of divers Persons) will continue to deal in Plate and Rings on moderate Terms.

Whereas a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against Samuel Clyar of London, Linnen-draper, and he being declared a Bankrupt, it is required to surrender himself to the Commissioners on the 17th and 24th Instant, and the 11th of February next, at 3 Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; at the first of which Sittings, the Creditors are to come prepared to prove Debts, pay Contributions, and chuse Assignees.

A Commission of Bankrupt being awarded against Joseph Collett and Jonathan Lurall of London, Merchants and Co-partners; All Persons that owe them any Money, or that have any Goods, or other Effects of theirs in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to Mrs. Sarah Burrall of Battersey in the County of Surry. Widow, Assignee of the said Joseph Collett and Jonathan Burrall's Estate, or they will be Sued for the same.

Whereas Walter Weerry of Portsea in the County of Southampton, Vic-waller, hath surrendered himself (pursuant to Notice) and been examined, this is to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 26th Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon at Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay their Contributions Money, and assist in the choice from the Assignees of his Assignees.

Deceased out of Capt. Bell's and Capt. Lambert's Companies in the Honourable Sir Charles H. B. Regiment, Michael Colwell, about 25 Years of Age, 5 Foot 6 Inches high, a well bred Trade, fair Complexion, wears a black Coat, a white waist breasted Coat. John Fuller, about 25 Years of Age, about 5 Foot 6 Inches high, Joiner by Trade, a fair complexion, wears a brown Coat, both Frenchmen, Sprak very little English. John Peter Swaback, about 22 Years of Age, 5 Foot 5 Inches high, in his own Hair, and a brown Coat. Rudolph Hooper, about 15 Years of Age, 5 Foot 6 Inches high, black Complexion, busy hand, wears a grey coloured Coat. John George Leitch, about 40 Years of Age, 5 Foot 6 Inches high, or better, has had a Cut in one of his Hair, Speaks French. Abraham Faber, about 30 Years of Age, 5 Foot 6 Inches high, or better, brown Complexion, wears a buff coloured Coat, his own Hair, all four Palatines, they speak no English. Whoever gives Notice at Young Man's Coffee-house at Charing-cross, or at the Castle Tavern in Taunton, so that they may be secured, they shall have two Guineas reward for each; and if they return within a Fortnight to their Quarters at Taunton in Somersetshire, they shall be forgiven.

John Fitzgerald, aged about twenty two Years, and about 6 Foot high, light Cloines trimmed with black, brown Wig and fair Complexion, an Irish Man, and Speaks much of the Country; also Samuel Raymond, aged about 30, and about 5 Foot 6 Inches high, a West Country Man, long Visaged, and very much Pock-braken; Broke out of the Marlhalta in Southwark the 11th Instant about 6 in the Evening. Whosoever apprehends them, and gives Notice to Mr. Darby, Keeper of the Marlhalta, shall have 5 Guineas reward for each Person.