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Vienna, December 5.

M. Fleischman is arrived here, but without any Sort of Overture from the Turks. On the 2d Instant M. Bentenrieder set out from hence for Hanover, with a private Commission from the Emperour to the King of Great-Britain. Since last Post we had the Particulars of the Surrender of Vipalanca, which was done in so unusual a Manner, that it is worth taking Notice of. As soon as General Mercy appeared before the Place, the Turks offered to surrender it to him upon his own Terms, telling him, that they could have retired before he came up, but that they staid on purpose to prevent the Rascians from setting Fire to the Town, as they had done to the Suburbs; and that they would deliver up to him two of their Chiefs who had formed that Design, that he might punish them according to their Deserts; adding, that they desired him only to give them a Receipt in Writing for the Place, in the Emperour's Name: Which he did, and then allowed the Garrison to go safe to Belgrade. The News of the Seraskier of Belgrade's having been put to Death by the Janisaries, is confirmed. By Letters from Buda of the 1st Instant we learn, that after the taking Possession of Vipalanca, General Mercy having advanced to Orlova, it was immediately surrendered to him; and by the next Advices we expect to hear that our Troops are possessed of the adjacent Island, which will be of very great Advantage to us.

Copenhagen, Dec. 5. The Squadron commanded by M. Tordenschild, with the Transports, designed for Norway, failed from hence on the 1st Instant, and the next Day got into the North Sea; but afterwards the Wind changing, they were obliged to come back into the Sound, where they still continue, as does also the Dutch Fleet, waiting for a fair Wind.

Berlin, Dec. 12. On the 8th in the Evening the Marriage between the Prince of Wirtemberg and the young Princess of Schwedt was celebrated at Court. All the Ministers and Persons of Quality of both Sexes were invited to assist at the Ceremony: The King and Royal Family Supped that Night alone, and the Ladies and Gentlemen had separate Tables provided for them; after which they danced till Midnight. The next Evening there was a great Table in the Fashion of the Prince and Princess's Cypher, for 50 Couple, and the King himself with the other Gentlemen drew

Lots for their Places and Partners, as they likewise did the third Evening, the Balls continuing both times till near One a-Clock. On the 14th the Margravin Philippe gives a great Entertainment to the King and the new married Pair; and on the 16th the Prince with his Lady set out for Stutgard. M. Schlippenbach waits on them first to the Frontiers, and then in a few Days will follow to the Court of Wirtemberg. The King has given the Princess 6000 Dollars to buy her Wedding-Cloaths, a very fine Coach of the late Queen's with six Horses, and 40000 Dollars for her Fortune. The Prince has received a Present of two Saddle-Horses with all their Furniture, is to have the first Regiment vacant, and, as 'tis said, will be made Stadt-holder of Cleves, as the Hereditary Prince of Hesse-Cassel was on his Marriage with the Daughter of the late King. On the 10th Instant Count Golofkin arrived here from Schwerrin. Letters from Warsaw of the 4th Instant say, that tho' most of the Senators and Deputies who are to form the Dyet, were arrived there, the Confederates, before they proceeded, had made some new Demands to the King, by the Cardinal Primate, the Chief whereof are, That the Saxon Troops should be immediately ordered to march to the Frontiers, and that the King should use his best Offices with the Czar for having the Muscovites withdrawn, or in case they failed, should join with the Republick to oblige them to it by all possible Means. Sir Richard Vernon, His Britannick Majesty's Envoy, sets out to Morrow for Dresden, either to wait there, or proceed to Poland, according to the Advices he shall receive of the King of Poland's Journey.

Brussels, Dec. 16. The Marquis de Prié having thought fit to take the Administration upon him, on Sunday the 29th of November his Excellency heard the first publick Mass at St. Gudule's Church, as the Governors of these Provinces usually do on the like Occasions. On the 30th he dispatched Circular Letters to the respective Provinces and Councils, to notify his Entrance on the Government, and sent Copies of his Patent to be registred by the Council of Finances, the Chamber of Accompts, and by the States and Council of Brabant; and on the 1st Instant he was complimented by them respectively: Some time before Count Kingsegg gave up the Administration, he desired the States of Flanders to advance 300000 Florins to subsist the Imperial Troops, on Account of the Subsidy for the ensuing Year: But they declined complying with his Demand,

Demand, in hopes to make a Merit of granting it to the Marquis de Prié, who has already raised 40000 Florins on his own Credit; which Sum he designs to distribute amongst the said Troops. This Supply comes very seasonably to them, they having been ill paid, ever since their Arrival in the Netherlands: And it will give the Marquis time to consider of proper Means for their future Subsistence. His Excellency has not yet formed any Plan for the Administration of the Government: But continues the Provisional Direction, in the same Manner, as Count Kinigslegg did. The States of Flanders, and the President with a Deputation of the Council of that Province, are come hither from Ghent, and on the 5th they made their Compliments of Congratulation to His Excellency on his Entrance on the Government; as did the States and Councils of the other Provinces the 7th, on the same Occasion. On the 5th Instant at seven of the Clock at Night, the Marchioness de Prié arrived in this Town. Count Vehlen, Commander in Chief of the Imperial Troops in these Countries, having lately received Orders from Vienna to pay the same Honours to the Marquis de Prié as are due to the Governour General; the Count ordered Westerlo's Regiment of Horse to receive the Marchioness without the Gate, and an Officer with 40 Horse to conduct her from thence to her House: The Street from the Porte de Louvain to St. Gudule's Church, was lined by Maldegem's and Hartop's Regiments of Foot, and she was saluted with a triple Discharge of the Cannon of the Town. The Marquis de Prié has appointed M. Vanderhagen, who was formerly one of the Council of State, M. de Groef, a Counsellor of the Grand Council of Mechlin, and M. Weynants, a Counsellor of the Council of Brabant, in Form of a Privy-Council, *ad Interim*, to assist him with their Advice in the Affairs of Justice; and they entered on that Function the 10th Instant.

The Directors of His Majesty's Royal Hospital for Seamen at Greenwich, do hereby give Notice, that such Founders or others who are willing to serve the said Hospital with all such Sorts of Brass Work as shall be required of them, as Brass Cocks, Washers, &c. of all Sizes, and deliver the same in by Weight, may give in their Proposals to them, sealed up, on Saturday the 15th of this Instant, at Ten in the Morning, in the said Hospital; and in the mean Time may be particularly informed, by the Clerk of the Works there, of all such Sorts and Sizes as shall be wanted.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies, do hereby give Notice, that a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East-India House in Leadenhall-Street, London, on Friday the 14th Day of this Instant, December, at Eleven in the Forenoon; and that the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up from Thursday the 20th Instant, till Monday the 21st of January next; and that the Annuity Warrants due at Christmas, will be ready to be delivered to the Adventurers on Tuesday the 15th of the said January.

Advertisements.

†† The fine large Folio Bible, which has been some Years Printing at Oxford by John Baskett, His Majesty's

Printer, will be published the 20th of January next, and continued to be sold at the Prices first proposed, for 3 Months from the Publication, viz. The large Imperial 6 Guineas, the Super-Royal 4 Guineas, the Elephant 50 s. But after that Time, there having been an Additional Duty laid upon Paper since the said Proposal, and the Expense very large for extraordinary Correcting, and the new Designs by Mr. James Thornhill, Monf. Cherou, and Monf. Laguerre, and the Sculptures done by the greatest Masters both at Home and Abroad, viz. Monf. Simonneau, Dupic, Dubose, Bauvais, De Guernjer and Vandergutch, &c. the fine Imperial will not be sold under 7 l. the Super-Royal 5 l. and the Elephant 3 l.

This Day is Published very neat Editions of the following Books.

* * I. Plutarch's Lives, in 5 Parts, 12mo. II. Dryden's Miscellany Poems, in 6 Vols. 12mo. III. Ovid's Epistles with Cuts, 12mo. IV. Lord Lansdown's Poems, 12mo. V. Lord Koecker's Poems, 12mo. VI. Prior's Poems, 12mo. VII. Milton's Paradise lost and regained, 12mo. VIII. Waller's Poems, 12mo. IX. Dryden's Juvenal with Cuts, 12mo. X. Dryden's Virgil in 3 Parts, 8vo. with Cuts. XI. Dryden's Epistles, 8vo. XII. Lord Roscomon, D. of Buckingham, and Mrs. Duke's Poems, 8vo. Printed for Jacob Tonson, and sold by T. Horne, J. Churchill, J. Knapton, J. Wyat, R. Knaplock, D. Midwinter, R. Robinson, J. Bowyer, W. Taylor, H. Clements, R. Golling, T. Varoam and J. Osborn, W. Iain, W. Meers, and J. Browne.

THE Estate, late of Sir Francis Leigh, in the Parishes of Beckenham, Bromley and Lewisham, in the County of Kent, is, pursuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, to be sold for Payment of Debts before Samuel Browning, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Lincoln-Inn, and the Creditors of the said Sir Francis Leigh, who remain unpaid, are, on or before the 1st of January next, to come in and prove their Debts before the said Master, otherwise they will be excluded from the Benefit of the said Decree.

WHEREAS there is an Act of Parliament made in the first Year of King James I. which saith, No Person or Persons shall fell, or cause to be felled, any Oaken Trees or Lops of Trees meet to be Barked, where Bark is worth 2 s. a Cart Load, over and above the Charges of Barking and Pelling, (but in Bark Season only) upon Pain of Forfeiture of every such Oaken Tree so felled, or double the Value thereof: That no Person or Persons may plead Ignorance, These are therefore to give Notice, that if any Person or Persons shall fell any Oaken Trees, or cut any Lops or Tops of Trees, contrary to the Statute aforesaid, that they will be sued for the same.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt is awarded against John Gosfright of St. Clements Docks, in the County of Middlesex, Gheesemonger, and he being declared a Bankrupt, the Commissioners in the said Commission named, intend to sit on the 20th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts and pay their Contribution-Money: And all Persons that are indebted to him, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their Hands, are not to pay or deliver the same to any Person but such only as the said Commissioners shall appoint; but are forthwith to give Notice thereof to Mr. Thomas Smith, Attorney, in Great-Ballcheap, Cannon-Street, London.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Hewitt, late of Knorrford, in the County of Chelster, intend to meet on the 27th of December Instant, at the George in Leverpool, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; where the Creditors who have not already proved their Debts, and paid their Contribution-Money, are then to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Watson and Mary Powell, Widow, of London, Viduallers and Partners, have certified to the Right Honourable William Lord Cowper, Baron of Wingham, Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, that they have in all things conformed themselves according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts; this is to give Notice, that their Certificate will be confirmed and allowed as the said Acts direct, unless cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 7th of January next.