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AT the Court at *Kensington* the 1st of *July*, 1718.

P R E S E N T,  
The King's most Excellent Majesty in Council.

This Day the Right Honourable Nicholas Lechmere, Esq; was, by His Majesty's Command, sworn of His Majesty's most Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

*Venice, July 1.* By Letters from Corfu of the 12th past, by the Way of Otranto, we have Advice that the Captain General Pisani is sailed with the Gallies to Zant, where the Fleet waits his Excellency's Arrival, consisting of 25 Ships of War well manned and provided with all Necessaries, and expecting to be joined soon by the Maltese Squadron. The same Letters say, the Ottoman Fleet is come to Napoli di Romania, and consists of 35 Sail. Admiral Grimani, with two Men of War and 16 Transports, is sailed to the Coast of Albania, having on board General Schuylemberg, with a Regiment of Italians, 300 Germans, 26 Engineers, and all Necessaries for undertaking a Siege; but it is not known what Place he will attack. At Lido arrived this Week the Battalions of Verona, and of Padua, consisting each of 500 Men. This Week also is expected that of Rurigo of 450 Men, besides several independent Companies. All these are to be sent to Dalmatia for reinforcing the Army there, which is to join the Army in Albania that is commanded by General Schuylemberg, and the Proveditore General Mocenigo is to stay at Sebenigo to cover that Frontier. This Week the great Council has chosen into the Nobility Sig. Charles Zini, with his 10 Sons, five of whom are to be Priests, and so are excluded from all Benefit of their Nobility.

*Berne, July 6.* The Deputies named on the Part of this State for the General Diet of the Helvetick Body, are arrived at Baden, where the French Ambassadour, the Marquess D'Avaray, was likewise expected on the 4th Instant, which Day was appointed for opening the said Diet. Two Deputies from Neufchatel had Audience on the 4th of the Sovereign Council here, to whom they delivered a Memorial complaining of this Canton's prohibiting the bringing of their Wines into this Country, and setting forth their Privileges and the Right they had acquired by the Treaty of Comburgherthip with this State, to sell their Wines in these Parts. Whereupon a Commission has been appointed by the said Sovereign Council to examine their Pretensions, and to make report. They write from Milan the 28th past, that the Governour of that Dutchy had begun to form a Camp near Vercelli, which was said to consist of 10000 Men; that the Militia had likewise received Orders to be ready to march whenever it should be required; and that great Diligence was used in repairing the Fortifications of Pavia and Novara.

*Hambourg, July 8.* Yesterday the Burghers of this City had a general Meeting at the Town-House, where the President of the College of Sixty acquainted the Common Council, that Count Fuchs, the Imperial Envoy, had lately sent for some Deputies of the College, and represented to them, that he had Orders from the Emperour to let the Burghers know his Majesty's Intention was not, that they should receive the least Prejudice by the Act or Constitution relating to this City made by Cardinal Schonborn, at the Time of his Residence here as Imperial Commissioner; but that he the said Envoy was instructed to make such Alterations in the said Act, as the College should

should think fit; and the President demanding upon this Proposition the Advice of the Common Council, it was agreed, that Thanks should be returned to the Imperial Minister for his Care of their Privileges and Liberties, and two eminent Lawyers were nominated as Plenipotentiaries from the Burghers, to confer with the Count, in order to revise and alter the said Act, in such Points and Articles as they shall think necessary for the common Good. The Hessian General Ranck arrived here last Night, coming from Bremen, and 'tis supposed he will pass over into Sweden by the way of Lübeck. Letters from Copenhagen of the 5th Instant advise, that Sir John Norris with the British Squadron was then lying off Stevens-Point in the Bay of Koge; and would keep that Station till the Arrival of the Dutch Squadron. Four Danish Men of War and two Frigates, were ordered to cruize off Sand-Hammer and near Bornholm, to get Intelligence of the Swedes, who had some Cruizers in those Parts. The King of Denmark is at Clafsholm, a Seat which his Majesty bought lately in Jutland.

*Dresden, July 6.* On the 3d Instant M. Manteuffel set out from hence for Berlin, to confer with the King of Prussia's Ministers. 'Tis advised from Berlin, that his Prussian Majesty was on the 24th past at Pillau, where he viewed the Fortifications and was entertained by the English Merchants. From thence his Majesty went to Coningsberg, and afterwards to Memel, where it had been reported he was to have an Interview with the Czar, but the latter continues at Petersbourg. His Prussian Majesty is expected back at Berlin on the 13th Instant. The King of Poland has given Order for his Equipage to be got ready, designing to set out for Poland the 26th of this Month, and to be present in the General Diet which is appointed to be held at Grodno on the 15th of August next. By Letters from Petersbourg we learn, that the Conferences held at Aland, between the Swedish and Muscovite Plenipotentiaries, are broke off; those of Sweden rejecting the Czar's Proposals on his own Part, and also refusing to admit his Allies with him into any Treaty.

*Hague, July 12.* Yesterday the Earl of Cadogan and Mr. Whitworth had a Conference with the Deputies of the

States General, for preventing the seducing of British Seamen into foreign Service, and for prohibiting all Commerce between the Subjects of this Republick and the Moors. The Earl of Cadogan continues to assist with the Deputies of this State, at the settling of the Accompts of the Sums negotiated in the Netherlands during the last War; and that Affair will be finished by the 16th Instant. The Marquess de Prié is expected here on the 20th.

*Whitehall, July 7.*

His Majesty has been pleased to confer the Honour of Knighthood on William Smyth, Esq; High Sheriff of the County of Bedford.

*Notice is hereby by the Agent to the Captors, that the Officers and Companies of His Majesty's Ships Hampton-Court and Sterling-Castle, may receive their several Shares of the Head-Money for the Prize Count de Thoulouse, viz. those of the Hampton-Court on Saturday the 19th of July, and those of the Sterling-Castle on Monday the 21st following, at Captain Matthew Belcher's on Tower-Hill; and that the Shares of such as shall not then be received, may, during the Space of three Years, be every Saturday Morning received at the adjourn'd Place.*

#### Advertisements.

**O**N the second Wednesday in August next, a Plate of about 50l. will be run for on Windmill Downs, by any Horse, &c. under the Age of seven Years (which a Certificate is to be produced from the Breeder of every such Horse, &c.) three Heats, carrying 12 Stone Weight: such Horse, &c. to be shown and entered at the Starting-post on the said Downs the Day seven-night before they run.

**T**HE Estate of James Lawrence Churchey, late of Roundhill, in the Parish of Wincanton, in the County of Somerset, Esq; being subjected by a Decree in the High Court of Chancery to be sold for the Payment of his Debts and Legacies; the Creditors of the said James Lawrence Churchey are to come before Robert Hilsford, Esq; one of the Masters of the High Court of Chancery, and prove their Debts, on or before the first Day of Michaelmas Term next, otherwise they will be excluded.

**T**HE Estate of John Cashorne, late of Ilkham in the County of Cambridge, Esq; deceased, consisting of diverse Freehold and Copyhold Premises, Rectories, Tythes &c. lying in Ilkham aforesaid, and in the Parishes of Fordham, Frekenham, Scham, Stunty, and Burwell, in the said County of Cambridge, and in the County of Suffolk, are to be sold, pursuant to an Order of the High Court of Chancery, before John Meller, Esq; one of the Masters of the said Court, at his Chambers in Symond's-lan; where Particulars may be had.

**S**Tolen or strayed, on the 5th Instant, out of the Ground of Tho. Rice, of Little Park in Worth, in the County of Suffolk, a dark brown Cart-Mare, about seven Years old, near 15 Hands high, with a ball Face and two wall Eyes, two white Feet behind, and a white spot on the near Side of her Back: Any one that can bring the Mare, or give Notice so that she may be had again, shall have a Guinea Reward and reasonable Charges.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Jonathan Lawton, late of Newcastle Under-Lyme, in the County of Stafford, Merchant, intend to meet on the 12th of September next, at Ten in the Forenoon, at the House of Mr. Thomas Baddley, being the Sign of the Roe-Buck in Newcastle Under-Lyme, aforesaid, 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 Contribution-Money, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

