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Whitehall, June 29.

WE received this morning an Account that the Earl of *Feverham* Lieutenant-General of his Majesties Forces, having notice that the Rebels were going to *Philipsnorton*, he marched from *Bath* on Saturday last very early, with intention to fall upon their Rear, and for that purpose advanced with a Detachment of 500 Foot commanded by the Duke of *Grafton*, and of Dragoons, and Horse Grenadiers, leaving the rest of the Forces to follow with the Cannon; And coming to a Lane that leads into *Philipsnorton*, he heard some Musquet-shots, and thereupon detached 20 of the Horse-Guards with the Company of Foot Grenadiers of the Duke of *Grafton's* Regiment to go into that Lane to discover what it was; The Lane was soon after lined on both sides with Foot and Horse behind the Hedges, who made a very great Fire upon our men; The Duke of *Grafton* was with them, and went as far as the Gate of the Town with as much courage and resolution as can be expressed; but the Enemy continuing their fire, he retired, and in his retreat was slipt by some of the Rebels Horse, but he passed notwithstanding through them all. Captain *Hawley* who commanded the Grenadiers, did all that a Good Officer could do, and Captain *Parker* and Captain *Faughan* who were there, carried themselves with all the Vigor imaginable, the latter killing Captain *Matthews* who it's thought commanded the Rebels; and all the Officers and Soldiers in general behaved themselves extremely well. We lost in this action 8 or 9 men, besides 30 wounded, among which there was not one Officer; Of the Volunteers Mr *May* was killed, and Mr *Seymour* wounded. The rest of the Kings Forces being come up, my Lord *Feverham* went off from that place and drew up the Army in good order upon a little Hill hard by, the Rebels planted their Cannon (they having six Pieces) and played upon them for two hours, but without doing them the least damage; and my Lord *Feverham* planted likewise his Cannon, which, as he was afterwards informed, did very much incommode the Rebels. The Kings Forces staid there till six in the Evening, it raining very hard all the time; upon which my Lord *Feverham* marched to *Bradford*, where he staid the next day to refresh his Troops; Colonel *Oglethorpe* was sent out with 100 Horse to observe the Rebels, who reported, that they marched Saturday night to *Frome*, and that he

met a Gentleman coming from *Philipsnorton*, who told him the Rebels had lost a great many men in this action, and that one Colonel *Matthews* had been killed.

Whitehall, June 30. The three Scotch Regiments, which were lately sent from *Holland* to *Scotland*, being countermanded upon the suppressing of the Rebels in that Kingdom, are arrived this morning at *GraveSEND*. And the three English Regiments in the Service of the States General of the *United Provinces*, are hourly expected from *Holland*.

Whitehall, July 1. We are informed that the Rebels rested all Sunday at *Frome*, and on Monday began to march towards *Warmister*, but afterwards turned westward towards *Shepton-Mallet*. The Kings Forces marched on Monday to *Westbury*, and from thence on Tuesday to *Frome* or farther to follow the Rebels.

Edenburgh, June 26. This week have been brought in here above 120 of the Rebels Prisoners, among which are four Dutchmen, one of them a Printer, and more are daily taken and carried to other places.

This day *Rumbold* was brought to his Tryal for having come over with the late Earl of *Argyle*, and made a Rebellion in this Kingdom, of which being found Guilty, Sentence past upon him as in cases of High-Treason; and accordingly he was this afternoon drawn upon a Hurdle to the Cross, and there Hanged and Quartered.

Tuesday next is appointed for the Execution of the late Earl of *Argyle*; whose Son *Charles*, having been left sick in *Argyleshire*, is since dead.

Venice, June 18. We have advice that the Popes Gallies and those of *Tuscany* and *Malta* have joyned the Fleet of this State, which was preparing to sail towards the *Levant*. The Turkish Fleet is at Sea consisting of 60 Gallies and 20 Men of War, but it's said they are very ill manned. The great Ship launched here the last week with the new Man of War called the *St. Joseph*, and six Gallies, will sail in three or four days to the Fleet. They write from *Dalmatia* that the Bassa of *Bosnia* hath represented to the Pert that he cannot march with the Troops under his command for *Hungary*, without leaving that Country exposed to the incursions of the Morlaques, and that he expects farther orders from the Grand Signior thereupon before he begins his march.

Madrid, June 21. The 9th Instant in the Evening the Duke de *Medina Celi* received a command from the King to retire within 24 hours to *Cogoludo*,

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a Town of his own about 14 Leagues from hence; The Duke desired leave to go to his Estate in *Andalusia*, and two days time to provide for his journey; The former was denied, and the latter answered with a permission to stay here 12 hours longer than the first intimation. On the 10th many of the Nobility and Ministers went to pay their respects to him. And on the 11th in the morning he left *Madrid* accompanied a little way out of Town with several of his friends and Relations. His Offices of Master of the Horse, First Gentleman of the Bedchamber, and President of the Council of the *Indies*, are not taken from him, but the King has named three Noblemen to execute them in his absence; The Conde de *Baños* that of Master of the Horse, the Conde de *Monterey* that of first Gentleman of the Bedchamber, and Don *Vincente Gonzaga* that of President of the *Indies*. On the 8th Instant Don *Alonso Carnero* Veador-General of *Flanders*, arrived here; It's thought he will be made Secretary for *Italy* in the place of Don *Manuel de Lya*, who it's believed will be advanced to the Universal Dispatch. The Count *Monterey* since his entering into his new Office, hath had a Dispute with the Constable of *Castille*, Mayor Domo Mayor, about keeping the Keys of the Palace at night, which the King has determined in this manner, That when the Mayor Domo Mayor does not lodge in the Palace the Keys shall be delivered to the Conde de *Monterey*. The Conde de *Chinchon* is returned from his Government of *Navarre*, wherein he is succeeded by the Prince de *Chinzy*; And the Marquis de *Constant* who was Maître de Camp-General there, is recalled from that Post, and is made of the Council of War here. Two old Regiments are ordered to march from *Catalonia* to *Navarre*, and several new raised Companies are sent thither from hence and other parts, to form a Body of an Army on those Frontiers.

Vienna, June 19. The Duke of *Lorraine* arrived the 13th Instant in the Imperial Camp near *Newbeusel*; It's said he is now at the head of an Army of 30000 Men, and that he intends, before he begins the Siege of *Newbeusel*, to march to *Novigrad* and possess himself of that place. General *Caprara*, whom his Highness sent out with 3000 Horse to learn in what posture the Enemy was, is come back, having met and defeated a Party of Turks who were going to *Novigrad*: The Prisoners he took report that 40000 Turks have lately passed the Bridge of *Esbeck*, who are to serve in *Hungary* this Campaign, and that the Army will be Commanded by the Visier that defended *Buda* the last year; but that the Cham of *Tartary* had sent to the Grand Signior to acquaint him that he cannot send any Troops to his assistance this Summer, having himself need of them to secure his Country against the Invasions of the Cossacks. The Count d'*Estersbach* Palatin of *Hungary*, has undertaken to bring 8000 Hungarians into the Field this Campaign, and to joyn the Imperial Army with them or to act separately as his Imperial Majesty shall think to be most for his Service. On Monday last the two Princes of *Newburgh* returned hither from *Venice*. The Emperor has sent orders to the Viceroy of *Croatia* to assemble his Troops on that side to make head against the Turks who we hear are preparing to make a great Incurtion into that Country.

Hague, June 30. The States of *Holland* and *West-*

Friseland are summoned to meet extraordinarily on the third of the next month. The *Moltwitz* Ambassadors who arrived the last week at *Rotterdam* in their return from *France*, are gone to *Amsterdam*, where they will embark on the first Ship that's bound for *Archangel*. Six *East India* Ships are arrived in the *Texel*, four for the account of the Chamber at *Amsterdam* one for *Horne*, and another for *Enchuyzen*. The Heer *Fuch* Envoy Extraordinary from the Elector of *Brandenburg*, is gone back to *Cleve*.

Paris, July 4. The King will go the next week to *Seeaux* to pass some days there. The Duke and Dutches of *Orleans* have been at *Pontoise* where they were very magnificently entertained by the Cardinal de *Bouillon*. Monsieur de *Louvois* goes very often to visit the Work of the River *Eure*, which it's believed will succeed at last. The Duke de *la Force* is so ill that his recovery is despaired of. They write from *Madrid* that the Duke de *Medina Celi* is retired from Court, and that the King has appointed the Count de *Monterey* to execute the place of first Gentleman of his Bedchamber, The Letters from *Venna* tell us, that the Princes de *Conti* and de *la Roch-Sur-Ton* are in the Imperial Army commanded by the Duke of *Lorraine* which they say was marching to attack the Turks in their Camp near *Buda*.

Westminster, June 29. This day *Thomas Dangersfield*, who was convicted the last Term upon a Information for Writing and Publishing a most Villanous and scandalous Libel called *his Narrative*, was brought to the Kings-Bench-Bar to receive the Judgment of the Court, which was, That he shall stand in the Pillory before *Westminster-Hall Gate*, and before the Royal Exchange, That he be whipped from *Aldgate* to *Newgate*, and from *Newgate* to *Tyburn* That he pay a Fine of 500 l. And that he find Sureties for his Good Behaviour during his Life.

Mr. *Richard Baxter*, who was convicted upon an Information for Writing and Publishing Scandalous and Seditious Annotations upon the *New Testaments*, was likewise brought to receive the Judgment of the Court, which was, That he pay a Fine of 500 Marks, and find Sureties for his Good-Behaviour for Seven years.

Whitehall, June 29. This day a Chapter being held of the most Noble Order of the Garter, to fill the vacant Stall, the Right-Honorable the Earl of *Rocheſter*, Lord High-Treasurer of *England*, was Elected Knight Companion of that Order, and was Invested with the *George* and *Garter*, having been first Knighted by the Sovereign.

These are to give notice, That the Post goes to and fro, betwixt *London* and *Chicheſter*, and all places adjacent, as heretofore, and will so continue to do.

Advertisements

These are to give Notice, That there will be exposed to Sale in a short time by Inch of Candle, all sorts of Playing-Cards, Surveyed by *Robert Whitefield* Master Cardmaker, appointed by Approbation of the Company of Cardmakers for that purpose, who hath Certified under his Hand, that the said Cards are much better in their several kinds than any of the like sorts heretofore usually made and sold. A further Account will be given of the Lots and Prices, and place of Sale in few days.