

England the Earl of Marlborough, Lieutenant General of His Majesty's Forces. Nine English Battalions are ordered to be in a readiness to go into the Field.

Paris, May 31. Yesterday about Noon the King was taken with a violent fit of an Ague, which lasted 9 or 10 hours. The Duke de Noailles is entred with the Troops under his Command into Catalonia, and has possessed himself of some Posts there. We hear from Rome, that they continue to make new Levies, and to fortifie Civita Vecchia, whither they had sent Cannon and all sort of Provisions for the Garison. The Great Duke of Tuscany is likewise on his Guard, and fortifies Leghorn and Porto Ferrato.

Edinburgh, May 19. There are Letters come from Captain Young, who was sent to Kintyre with a Detachment of 500 Men of the new Levies, giving an account, that on the 16th Instant they were on their march attack'd by a Body of Men from the Hills, who fired furiously upon them, but putting themselves immediately in order, they marched up the Hills, and fell upon them, killing some, taking others Prisoners, and putting the rest to flight. The Viscount of Dundee is gone Northwards towards Lochquaber, and Major General Mackay is marching after him. Yesterday in the Evening a Dutch Man of War with 40 Sail of small Merchant Ships came into this Frith, which put to Sea again this Morning.

Liverpool, May 22. Yesterday Major General Kirke with the three Regiments under his Command, which Embarked on Thursday last, set Sail, and were out of sight before it was dark, the Wind being at E. N. E. which has continued so, and at N. E. ever since; so that it's hoped they will be quickly at Londonderry. Where, as we are informed by several Persons come from Ireland, the Protestants continue to make a very brave defence. On the 9th Instant the Irish sent a strong Detachment of Foot with four Troops of Horse under the Command of Colonel Ramsey, to seize upon a Well near the Town, which the Protestants having notice of, they sallied out, and defeated them with a great Slaughter, Colonel Ramsey with divers other Officers being killed, and several taken Prisoners. The Irish Army was so discouraged and weakened with the Losses they had suffered, and the Fatigue they had endured during the Siege, that it was thought necessary to send them fresh supplies from Dublin.

Falmouth, May 20. Yesterday arrived here a Dutch Vessel in seven weeks from a small Island called Staesia in the West-Indies, belonging to the Hollanders; The Master reports, That the French came in fifteen small Vessels and two Frigats from St. Christophers to attack that Island, which the Inhabitants defended very bravely, and killed about 400 of the French, but the Islanders not being above 100 Fighting Men, were at last forced to submit; and this Vessel hardly escaped to St. Thomas, a small Island belonging to the Danes.

Plimouth, May 21. This day arrived here Their Majesty's Ship the Rupert, Sir Francis Wheeler Commander, with a French Merchant Ship of 200 Tun and 16 Guns, laden with Sugar, Tobacco, Indico, &c. from the West-Indies, which he took as she was going into Brest. The Margaret of London, Thomas Dobbins Master, arrived here yesterday from the West-Indies.

Cowes, May 23. Yesterday came into this Road a Privateer of Flushing of 16 Guns, John Lawrenson Captain, with two French Prizes, laden with Sugar,

Cotton, &c. from the West-Indies. The said Privateer had before taken two other Prizes, which he left here when he went last to Sea, one of 16 and the other of 7 Guns, both bound to the West-Indies.

Westminster, May 24. This day His Majesty came to the House of Lords, attended with the usual Solemnity; and being in His Royal Robes seated on the Throne, and the Commons being sent for up, His Majesty gave The Royal Assent to

An Act for Exempting Their Majesties Protestant Subjects dissenting from the Church of England, from the Penalties of certain Laws.

An Act for Annulling and making void the Attainder of Alicia Lisle Widow.

An Act for the Sale or Leasing the Capital Messuage, late Henry Coventry's Esq; in Piccadilly.

Advertisements.

A Conference concerning the Oath of Allegiance to King William and Queen Mary, answering the Objections made against it, and stating the Reasons of Obedience according to the Principles of the Church of England, and the Laws of the Land; by a Divine of that Church, who was convinced by the Authority and Arguments of the most Learned Casuist Bishop Sanderson, which are stated in this Conference. Printed for S. Smith at the Princes Arms in St. Pauls Church-yard.

The Lord Maitland's most incomparable Collection of Prints and Drawings of Architecture, History, Roman Antiquities, &c. by the most eminent Masters of Europe, well conditioned and carefully preserved, will be sold by Auction on Monday next at 3 in the Afternoon, being the 3d of June, at the Sign of the Bear in Ave-Mary Lane near Ludgate-street. Catalogues thereof are distributed by Mr. Nott in the Pall-Mall, Mr. Gilliflower in Westminster-Hall, Mr. Wilkieson in Fleet-street, Mr. Parker near the Royal Exchange, Mr. Shirly in Oxos, Mr. Dawson in Cambridge, Bookfellers, and at the place of sale.

Quadri-nium Jacobi, Or, The History of the Reign of King James II. from his first coming to the Crown to his Desertion. Sold by James Knapton at the Crown in St. Pauls Church-yard, and Randal Taylor near Stationers-Hall.

Bury-Fair. A Comedy, as it is Acted by His Majesty's Servants. Written by Tho. Shadwell, Servant to His Majesty. Printed for James Knapton, at the Crown in St. Pauls Church-yard.

There is now Extant a new and large Chart in two Sheets, describing the Sea-Coasts of England, Scotland, Ireland, and France, and all the Sands, Shoalings, and depths of Water upon the said Coasts, and the Harbours plainly described. By John Seller Hydrographer to the Kings-Prise coloured 3s. 6d uncoloured 3s. and are to be sold by the Author at the Hermitage in Wapping, and John Seller Jun. at the Map of the World at the West End of St. Pauls Church-yard, London.

These are to give Notice, That there are to be sold at the Stables in St. Giles's side of Soho-square, four black large Flanders Geldings, light and nimble, fit for a Coach, and young and sound; The same will be sold by pairs, or all together.

Mr. Tho. Jenks his Hummums for Sweating and Bathing, mentioned in the last Gazette, is in Hart-street in Bloomsbury.

Out about five or six weeks since, out of a Pocket Almanack, a Mans Picture in little, upon a Plate, a fresh Complexion, in his own Hair and great Whiskers, a Band and Strings, a Gold Chain two or three times about him, and a Gold Medal with a Lion on it, &c. Whoever shall bring it to Mr. Godfrey Kneller at his House in the great Piazza in Covent-Garden, shall have a Guinea Reward.

Christopher Thompson, a Yorkshireman, low Stature, round Face, Bottle Nose, with Pockholes in his Face, in a short Perruwig, and black Hat, with Gold Edging, a sad coloured Coat, with an Orange coloured Wastcoat trim'd with Silver Fringe; As also Jane Allen, alias Williams, a middle sized Woman, a black swarthy Complexion, with a little Catt on one of her Eyes, she goes under the notion of an Irish Quaker, in a second Morning Gown made of Norwich Crape, and Lined with black Crape; went away from their Lodging in St. Martins Lane in the Fields, on the 28th of April last past. Whoever gives notice of both or either of the said Persons to Mr. Argell at the Three Tuns in Shandois-street in Covent-Garden, shall have two Guineas Reward.