

Brussels, June 17. On the 12th instant the French King, with the Ladies, parted from *Namur* for *Dinant*, from whence he intends to return by the way of *Philippeville*, *Metz*, and *Rheims*, to *Verfailles*; The *Marschal de Boufflers* passed the *Meuse* at *Namur* two days before with about 25000 men, and marched towards *Germany*, and the rest of his Army has joyned the Duke of *Luxemburg*, who marched on the 15th from *Gemblours* to *Judoigne*, his Right Wing being within half a League of our Camp, which continues at *Parke* near *Louvain*. This sudden and unexpected departure of the French King, whose Equipage had with great Expence been provided for the whole Campaign, gives us reason to believe that his Measures are broken, by the great care that has been taken in providing for the Defence of *Lieze*, *Charleroy*, and our other Frontier Places, and by His Majesty's timely possessing himself of his present Camp, by which he has not only covered those places which the Enemy seem'd to have an Eye upon, but likewise prevented the design they had of posting themselves between *Louvain* and *Malmes*, which would have been of mighty advantage to them.

From His Majesty's Camp at *Parke* near *Louvain*, June 18. We have certain advice that the French King lay on Friday last at *Dinant* in his return to *Verfailles*, and that the Dauphin is marching at the head of a Detachment of above 20000 men, who lately passed the *Meuse* at *Namur*, towards *Germany*, to join the *Marschal de Lorge*, who its said has repass'd the *Rhine*, and sent a Detachment from his Army towards *Piedmont*. On the 12th Colonel *Tidcomb* and Colonel *Lawder* Regiments arrived in our Camp from *Offend*. On the 15th a strong Party of Spaniards marched out very early in the Morning, with a design to surprize the Enemy's Grand Guard, but before they arriv'd there the French were march'd away, however they went into the Enemy's Camp, and brought away 26 Foot Soldiers, 10 Troopers with their Horses, and 3 or 4 Officers; The same day the French Army, under the *Marschal de Luxemburg*, who was joyned by the remaining part of *Monfieur de Boufflers's* Forces, march'd from *Genap* towards *Judoigne*; and they are now encamp'd in two Lines, their Right reaching near to *Bunsbecke*, and their Left to *Boslay*, which flanking our Left Wing, His Majesty on Tuesday alter'd the Disp'ition of our Camp, and order'd to Battalion, with 28 pieces of Cannon, to march to the Left to strengthen our Camp on that side; The Out-Guards are in fight of each other. Upon the Enemy's march a great number of Deserters came over to us, who all complain of the great scarcity there is of Money and Provisions in the French Camp. The Duke of *St. Albans*, my Lord *Levington*, and several other Volunteers, arriv'd here on Friday last from *England*. Yesterday in the Evening the Enemy made a Treble Discharge of their Artillery for the taking of *Roses* in *Catalonia*, and we may make them the like return for the taking of *Jeno* in *Hungary*.

Hague, June 19. The Court of Justice here report on Wednesday last to the States of *Holland* about the Affair of *Medfours Alstein*, but we do not yet hear what Resolution has been taken thereupon. The last Letters from *Flanders* tell us, That the two Armies lay very near each other, with a small River between them; and that Provisions are very scarce in the French Camp; The Dauphin march'd with the Detachment that had been made from the French Army in *Flanders* by the way of *Bastogne* in the Duchy of *Luxemburg*. We have advice, That the *Bishop of Munster* has promised to send his Troops to the *Rhine*. They write from *Cologne*, that some Persons had been secur'd there, being suspected to hold Correspondence with the French, in order to the carrying on some evil design against that City.

Edinburg, June 8. The Parliament sat on Monday, and were upon Regulating some Proceedings at Law; and afterwards adjourn'd till Wednesday. On Tuesday the 6th Their Majesties High Commissioner, and Lords of the Privy Council having considered of the Petition presented to them by the Magistrates and Town Council of *Edinburg*, Elected at *Michaelmas* last, with the Antients made therunto by several Citizens who oppos'd their Election, their Lordships did not only confirm the Order of Council of the 14th of *February* last, by which the said Magistrates were order'd to re-enter upon the Administration and Exercise of the Government, but did now further Declare and Order, That they be restor'd to the Right of the said Magistracy, as duly Elected thereunto at *Michaelmas*, and that the former Sentence given against them be Rescind'd and declared Void. Yesterday the Parliament pass'd an Act for adv'ing Causes by the Lords of the Session with open Doors; As also an Act in favour of Patrons, and several others; And the Act for Comprehension in Church Matters was Read and Debated by Paragraphs; The same was Read again this day and pass'd. *Nevell Payne* has had a Copy of his Indictment delivered to him, and will be Try'd the next Week before the Parliament for Treasonable Designs and Practices.

Falmouth, June 10. Yesterday arriv'd here in 5 days from the *Groyn* the *Spanish Expedition*, and Reports, That the *Cloudsly* Galley had taken a French Privateer of 14 Guns, formerly call'd the *Talbot* Ketch, and three other Prizes. Yesterday put in here the *St. Clara* and *Conception* from *O Porto*; whence they came in Company of about 30 Sail, English and Dutch, with their Convoy, whom they parted with off or this Harbour.

Plimouth, June 12. This Morning arriv'd here Their Majesties Ships the *Bonadventure*, and *Mary* Galley, with the Fleet of Merchantmen from *O Porto*, being 28 Sail; They saw not one Ship except a Portuguese, in all their Voyage, though they have been a Month at Sea.

Southampton, June 12. On the 10th instant was Launch'd at this place Their Majesties Ship the *Southampton*, being a Fourth Rate, carrying 50 Guns and 230 Men.

At the Blue-Paper Warehouse in Alderman-Bury, London, are to be sold all sorts of Indian Japan, and other Figured Paper Hangings, in Pieces of 12 Yards long, and half Ell wide, from 2s. to 12s. a Piece, being very thick and durable, and wrought with such Ingredients as are offensive to Moths, Bugs, Mice, Rats, and other Vermin, which being cut or torn, are of the same Colour throughout, and such as are not so qualify'd are only Counterfeits. There are also to be sold a great variety of Skreens, Landscips, Sajbes, and other things.

Advertisements.

✧ A Practical Discourse upon Charity, in its several Branches, and of the Reasonableness and Useful Nature of this Great Christian Virtue. By Edward Keating, D. D. Chaplain Ordinary to Their Majesties, and Rector of Petworth in Suffex. Printed for W. Cooke at the Green Dragon without Temple Bar. Price 3s.

✧ A Collection of curious Travels and Voyages. In Two Tomes. The First containing Dr. Leonhart Rauwolf's Itinerary into the Eastern Countries. The Second taking in many parts of Greece, Egypt, Arabia, Ethiopia, the Red-Sea, &c. from the Observations of Mr. Vernon, Dr. Spon, Dr. Smith, Dr. Huntington, Mr. Graves, Thevenot's Collections, and others. To which are added, Three Catalogues of Fish Trees, Shrubs, and Herbs as grow in the Levant. By John Kay, Fellow of the Royal Society. Printed for S. Smith and B. Walford at the Princes Arms in St. Pauls Church-yard.

✧ Proposals for Repeating D. Petavii Theologica Dogmata, being a judicious Abstract of the Opinions of the Fathers in all Doctrinal Points of Divinity (formerly in 5 Vol.) now in two large Volumes in Folio, with considerable Meliorations and Additions, on a fair Latin and Greek Character, having been generally approv'd of and encourag'd by the Learned Clergy of London, and the two Universities, may be had, with a Specimen and a Character of the Author, at most Bookellers Shops in London, Oxford, and Cambridge; and with all imaginable speed they shall be sent to most Bookellers in England, and to Scotland and Ireland, by the Undertakers Rob. Clavell, Edw. Millington, and Renj. Motte.

✧ An Excellent Collection of Books, containing near 300 Volumes, the Library of an eminent Divine lately deceased; amongst which are the *Critica Sacra* in 9 Vol. with all the Commentar. on the Bible, not comprehended in the *Criticks*, *St. Austins* Works compl. 10 Tom. Froben long Lines, large Paper, with many scarce and valuable Books in Gr. Lat. and Engl. in all Faculties, will be sold to morrow and the days following by Retail, at reasonable Rates, any Person picking what they please, at Mrs. Jacksons in Hegsdon Square on the West-side, 5 doors from the Corner.

Streatham Church in Surrey, was broke open on Monday night the 12th instant, and the Communion Plate stole away, being one Dish to Receive the Offring Money, a piece of Plate for the Bread, with this Inscription, The Gift of Francis Lea to the Parish of Streatham, a Cup with a Cover, and two Flagons of Pewter, with this Inscription, T. Hobbs, the Surplace, some Money out of the Chest, and Money out of the Poores Box. Whoever gives Notice of the Things, or any of them, or Persons, to Mr. Luke Moore, Salter, at the Half Moon in Blackman-street, Southwark, or to Francis Burger, Parish Clerk in Streatham aforesaid, shall be well Rewarded.

Whereas Robert Spriver, Widower, of Barking in Essex, died Intestate in January 1691. leaving no Issue, whereby one Moiety of his Personal Estate ought to be distributed between Elizabeth and Mary Kittle, (Sisters to Susanna Wilkinson his Administratrix) if Living, this is to give Notice to the said Elizabeth and Mary Kittle, that they do forthwith repair to Mr. Rob. Smith of Eastham in Essex, or Jeremiah Mosford of Barking aforesaid, Glazier, by whom they shall be paid their Shares due to them out of the said Estate.

These are to give Notice, that there is in the Custody of Mr. Richard Knipe, High-Bailiff of Westminster, an Horse, by him secur'd upon Suspicion of being Stolen; and the Right Owner repairing to Mr. Knipe, describing the Marks, and paying the Charges, may have the same Restor'd.

Two Horses, one a light grey, the other a dark grey, with a white Mane and Tail, above 14 hands high, suppos'd to be lost, may be heard of at the Earl of Abercorn's at Barford in Oxfordshire.

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