

will not be so strong as he desired, several Regiments of Horse he demanded for that Service being otherwise employed. The Marquis de Neimond being separated from the other Ships of his Squadron is come to Rochfort; but will suddenly go to Sea again, and some other Ships are to join him. The Resident of Mantua has acquainted this Court, that the Duke his Master finds himself under a necessity to comply with the Emperors Orders, about requiring his Subjects, and especially the Monterrins, not to give any succour or assistance to the French; for which they are here very much dissatisfied with that Duke, tho' at present they dissemble it. It appears every day more and more, that the Poll-Tax is like to fall extremely short of what was at first expected; The Britons absolutely refuse to submit to it, and 'tis not thought prudent at this time to make use of force to compel them for fear of worse inconveniencies; But to supply the want of Money, they go on with the design of selling some of the French Kings Demesnes. The Deputies of the Clergy are to meet here the 24th of this month.

Brussels, May 22. The Prince de Vaudemont went from hence the 17th, to command the English Forces near *Deynse*; And 'tis said the Duke of *Wirtemberg* is to command a separate Body near *Newport*, to act against the Count de *Mental*, who has begun to draw some French Troops together between *Furnes* and *Dunkirk*. Another Body of the Confederate Forces Escamps at *Sellick*, about a League from hence; where they have been joined by the Troops from *Lisge* and *Masfricht*, commanded by Count *Claude de Tilly*; and there are now about 30000 men in that Camp; from whence a Detachment of seven Battalions was sent yesterday to join the Forces at *Deynse*. The Elector of *Bavaria* is still here, but will go into the Field in few days. The French have marked out a Camp at *Escasseffe* upon the *Schelde*, between *Tournay* and *Audenarde*; They Work very hard on the new Way they have begun to make; and have put most of their Horfts to Grass along the *Sambre*. The Count de *la Motte* lies still Encamped with a small body of men behind their Lines. They write from *Lisge*, that the Brandenburg Forces under the command of General *Fleming* have left their Winter Quarters, and are on their march towards the *Meuse*. The Troops designed for *Catania* were to Embark the 20th Instant in *Zealand*.

Hague, May 24. N. S. On Sunday about 6 in the Evening, the King went on Board the *Williams and Mary* Yacht at *Gravsend*, attended by the Duke of *Ormond*, the Earl of *Essex*, Earl of *Portland*, and other Persons of Quality, the Wind at W. S. W. but there was so little of it, that the Yachts got no farther that Night than the *Bay of the Noe*; The next morning they joined their Convoy, under the Command of Sir *George Rooke*, at the *Gunfleet*, consisting of 22 Men of War small and great, whereof 8 were Dutch; About Noon the *Cambridge* touched on the edge of the *Gallop*, but by the great care that was taken the quickly got off again without any damage, and they pursued their Voyage. His Majesty Landed at *Nine* this morning at the *Oranje Polder*, and Dined at *Monfieur Reynenbergs* at *Nasldwyck*, where His Majesty was attended by the Pensioner, *Monfieur d'Odyck*, *Monfieur Dyckvelt*, and many other Persons of Quality; And about 8 in the Evening His Majesty came to this place, being received with great Acclamations of Joy for his safe arrival. The Confederate Forces in *Flanders* are drawn together in several Bodies. The Duke of *Holstein* went some days ago from *Malines* to the Camp at *Sellick*. The French in those parts seem to have no other design than to act Defensively this Summer.

Falmouth, May 13. Yesterday put into this Port the *Modena*, laden with Wines, *Angelo Requesro* Commander, who left *Cadix* 22 days ago, when the whole Fleet lay ready to sail up the *Streights*. This morning passed by to the Eastward about 20 Sail, under Convoy of His Majesty's Ships the *Joseph* and *Jolly Prize*.

Falmouth, May 14. Yesterday came in here the *Joseph* and *Jolly Prize*, with several Coasters, in two days from *Milford*; as also the *Bonadventure* of *London*, laden with Sugar and Tobacco from *Antegoa*; and the *Elizabeth* of *Amsterdam* with Wines from *Spain*.

Deale, May 16. Last Night came into the *Downes* His Majesty's Ships the *Kent*, *Cambridge*, *Lyon*, *Sterling-Castle*, and the *Joseph* and *Machine* Fireships, with three Dutch Men of War, that attended His Majesty over to *Holland*; and the *Rupert*, and three other Dutch Men of

War, parted with them off the *South Foreland*, and are gone for *Portsmouth*. They left the *Centurion*, and some other Frigate, with the Yachts in the *Masfr*. The *Dreadnought*, who Convoyed several Vessels to *Rotterdam*, is likewise returned into the *Downes*.

London, May 18. We have an Account that the *Soldados Prize* did on the 15th Instant take a French Caper of 4 Guns and 54 Men, belonging to *Dunkirk*.

Advertisements.

✧ **Sylvania: A Pastoral**, Lamenting the Death of our Most Gracious Queen *Mary* of blessed memory. By Mr. Manning. The 2d Edition. Printed for J. Weld, at the Crown between the Temple-Gates in Fleet-Street.

✧ **A New History of the Controversies in Religion**, Ecclesiastical Writers, and all Affairs transacted in the Church during the Ninth Century. Written in French by L. E. du Pin, is Translated into English, and will be Published in 14 days, by Abel Swall and T. Child, at the Unicorn in St. Pauls Churchyard; of whom may be also had the preceding parts of this Work.

✧ **Of the Descent of the Paraclet.** A Sermon on John XVI. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. Preach'd before the Right Honorable the Lord Mayor, and Court of Aldermen, at the Guildhall Chapel, April 21. 1695. being the 4th Sunday after Easter. By Philip Fails, Chaplain in Ordinary to His Majesty. Printed for J. Newton, at the 3 Pigeons, over against the Inner-Temple-Gate in Fleet-Street.

✧ **An Essay to Revive the Necessity of the Ancient Charity and Piety.** Wherein God's Right in our Estates, and our Obligations to maintain his Service, Religion, and Charity, is demonstrated and defended, against the Pretences of Covetousness and Appropriation. In two Discourses. Written to a Person of Honour and Virtue. By George Burghope, Rector of Link Gadsden, Com. Hertford, and Chaplain to the Right Honorable John Earl of Bridgewater. Printed for Walter Kenilby, at the 5. shops-Head in St. Pauls Churchyard.

✧ **The Library of Dr. Scot**, together with the Paris Posterior Bibliotheca Nobilissima, consisting of about 700 Volumes of the most valuable and scarce Books, Gr. Lat. English in Folio, &c. will be sold by Auction at Rolfs's Auction-Mouse in Petty-Cannon-Hall in Petty-Cannon-Alley in St. Pauls Churchyard, on Thursday next, from 4 to 8 in the Evening. Catalogues may be had at Mr. Kenilby's in St. Pauls Churchyard, Mr. Goodwins in Fleet-Street, Mr. Fox's in Westminster-Hall, Mr. Graves in Cambridge, and at Mr. Shirleys in Oxon.

There are lately come from Genoua very fresh and good Orange Trees, Jessamin, and Tuberoso Roots, to be sold next Door to Gippis Coffee house in Hungerford Market.

✧ **A Collection of Papers and Pamphlets** of all sorts, from several Years last past down to this day, commonly known by the Name of William Millers Collection, are now to be sold by Retail or otherwise, at the Acorn in St. Pauls Churchyard, being digested into such Order and Method that the Reader may find, without any difficulty, whatever he hath occasion for. Catalogues may be had at Mr. Gilliflowers in Westminster-Hall, Mr. Browns near Temple-Bar, Mr. Batemans in Middle-Row, Holborn, Mr. Hindmarsh over-against the Royal Exchange, and at the Gilded Acorn in St. Pauls Churchyard, London. Price 12.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against William Aulkin of the City of Norwich, Merchant, intend to meet at the Dove in Norwich on Monday the 3d of June next, by Ten in the Forenoon, to make a Dividend of the Estate; at which time all persons concerned are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution, otherwise they will be excluded; And all Debtors to the said Estate are then required to pay their respective Debts.

THE Creditors of Mr. James Lopley late of London, Goldsmith, are desired to meet at the Pheasant in Woodstreet, on Friday the 31th Instant, by Two of the Clock, in order to get in and secure the remainder of the Estate for their satisfaction.

THE Commissioners Named in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Christopher Doodey, late of Newcastle Underline, in Staffordshire, Grocer, intend to meet at the Swan Tavern in Old Fish-Street, London, on Friday the 28th of June next, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estate; And all such of the Creditors who have not fully proved their Debts, must then come prepared, or else they will be excluded the said Dividend.

LOn on Monday the 13th Instant, in the Road between Enfield, Tatnam, and London, a pretty large black and white Spaniel Dog, black Ears with the tips cut off, tan'd Chops and Eyebrows, and a pair of Coupling about his Neck. Whoever gives notice of him at Squires Coffee-house in Fullers Rents, Holborn, so he may be had again, shall have a Guinea Reward and Charges.

CHOice Canary Birds, and Indian Birds of divers sorts and colours, hook bill'd Ducks, and all other sorts of Birds, are sold by David Randall, Strongwater man, in Channel-Row, Westminster.