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Madrid, May 23. N.S.

THE Queen-Mother of Spain died this day seven-night, about half an hour past 11 at night; she lay in State 4 days, and on Sunday last at 9 at night the Corps was carried to the Escorial; with the Solemnity usually Practised here on such Occasions. They write from Cadix of the 15th instant, That the 8th arrived there the Marine Galley from Leghorne, who sailed again the 12th with the Spy Brigantine, 5 Fluffingers, and several other Vessels bound home. The 9th arrived there the *Prijalla* and the *Union* in two days from Lübbin; bound to Turk y. The 14th came in the *Rochester* from Lisbon, as all the *Romney*, *Adventure*, *Falmouth* and *Canterbury*, who had been Cruling. The 13th instant parted from Malaga 6 Sarcas with 2000 Soldiers for Catalonia, convoyed by two Spanish Gallies. We are told, That there has lately been a Cessation of Arms between the Garison of *Cadix* and the *Moors*; and that *Alcayd Ally* who commands the latter, had sent some of his Chief Officers to the Spanish General, to let him know, That he had Orders from *Muly Ismael* to raise the Siege, if the Spaniards desired it, upon these Conditions, That they should deliver up all the *Moors* they had taken; should give divers pieces of fine Scarlet Cloth, to Clothe *Muly Ismael's* Guard of Negroes, as also a Sum of Money; should demolish the Place of Arms, and for the future should not take any Vessels going into the River of *Tetuan*, nor burn any Fields of Corn belonging to the *Moors*: Which were rejected by the Spaniards. The Conde de *Fernanunex* is at Cadix, to command the 6 Spanish Men of War that are now fitting in that Port.

Coruana, June 9. The 1st instant arrived here an Offend Man of War of 40 Guns, called the *Queen of Spain*, who in her Voyage hither took a French Frize of 150 Tuns and 8 Guns, laden with Salt for *Newfoundland*: They write from Madrid, That the Governor of Cadix, Don *Francisco de Velasco* is to succeed the Marquis de *Gastanoga* in the Government of Catalonia.

Genova, May 27. The 23d instant was brought in here by a Bark belonging to *Final* a French Ship bound from *Marseilles* to Leghorne, worth about 12000 Dollars. 'Tis said the Emperor has sent to this Republick to borrow a Sum of Money of them at Interest, in the same manner as they have lately furnished the French.

Venice, June 1. The last Letters from the *Morca*, dated the 2d of the last Month, say, The Captain-General would sail with the Fleet in few days; He had received advice, that the Otoman Fleet would consist of 20 Ships of War or Sultanes, 12 Ships of *Barbary*, and 24 Gallies. Another Convoy is preparing here for the *Levant*.

Turin, June 2. We have advice that the French Army which has been Encamped several days near *Veilane* marched this Morning; but instead of advancing towards this Place, they turned to the Right towards *Rivalta* and *Orbassan*, in order to approach towards *Pignerol*. Our Army continues near *Moncalier* to observe the Enemy. Marechal *Catinat* has, as we are told, sent to the Duke of *Savooy* to let him know, that he would hang all the Peasants that were taken bearing Arms, and his Royal Highness has answered him, if he did hang any of his Subjects whom he thought fit to Employ in his Service, he would hang all the French Soldiers he took. The Country People in the mean time are abroad in several small Bands, and do greatly annoy the Enemy.

Vienna, June 2. We do not yet know, whether the Imperial forces that by our last Letters were Encamped near

Buda, will advance towards *Peter Waradin* or *Transilvania*, this depending upon the advice they receive of the Enemies Motions; but in case it be found necessary to march towards *Transilvania*, a good Body of Men will be left to cover *Peter Waradin*. The Advices from *Turkey* say, The Sultan left *Adrianople* the beginning of the last Month, that the Rendezvous of his Army was appointed at *Sophia*, and that he had sent Orders to have several Bridges made over the *Danibe* between *Belgrade* and *Semenyvania* against his arrival there. 'Tis confirmed from *Transilvania*, that a great Body of *Tartars* were on their march to put a Convoy of Provisions into *Caminac*.

Frankfort, June 9. Prince *Lewis* continues in his Camp at *Strepsch* near *Eppingen*, and the Marechal de *Choussol* has been Encamped several days near *Epshelm*; The latter has sent a Detachment towards *Flanders*, and 'Tis generally believed, he will in few days repass the *Rhine*. A great many Deserters come daily from the French Army.

Cologne, June 11. The Forces of *Hesse*, *Lunenburg* and *Munster* approach towards the *Rhine*, and our next Letters will tell you, They have passed that River in their march towards the *Meuse*: 'Tis said they will together make a Body of 24000 Men, including the Troops from *Holfstein*.

Hainburgh, June 11. The *Holfstein* Dragoons and Horse, being about 3000, have passed the *Elbe*, the first on the 30th, and the latter on the 31th of May, and march to the *Rhine*.

Paris, June 11. An Express arrived here 2 days ago from *Catalonia*, being dispatched by the Duke de *Vendosme*, to acquaint the French King, That he passed the River *Ter* on the 30th of the last month with the Forces under his Command, and understanding that the Prince of *Hesse Darmstadt*, with the Spanish Cavalry, reckoned to be about 4500, was separated from the Foot, being advanced to a place called *Maffaner*, while the Infantry lay Encamp'd near *Ostabrick*, he made a long march the 31th, and came to a place called *Villoui*: The day following the Spanish Cavalry endeavoured to rejoin their Foot, but before they could do it, they were attack'd by the Count de *Coigny* Lieutenant General, and the Count de *Maisilly* Marechal de Camp, who were advanced with the foremost of our Troops; The Duke de *Vendosme* came up to support them, with the Counts de *Duffon* and *Longueval* Lieutenant Generals, and 600 Carabiniers, 4 Regiments of Dragoons and 1000 Grenadiers, and the Count de *Chazeron* and the Count de *Quincon*, both Lieutenant Generals, were ordered to follow with the rest of the Horse and Foot. The Spanish Horse charged our Troops very bravely, and maintained the Fight some time, but were at last forced to retire; the Foot continuing in their Intrenchments, and having no part in the Action. We reckon of the Enemy about 1000 Men are killed or taken, and the Count de *Tilly* Commissary General of the Walloon Cavalry, is among the latter; We lost about 300, of which number are several Captains, Lieutenants and Cornets; and the Count de *Maisilly* is wounded: After the Action

was over, the Count de Longueval went to view the Enemy's Camp near *Ofalbrick*; and was killed by a Cannon Bullet; and the Duke de *Vendôme* Encamped at *Rio d' Arcmes*, where he was still on the 2d instant. This is the Account the French give of this Action, but they that are acquainted with their way of relating every thing to their own Advantage, will think it necessary to expect to hear what they say of it on the other side. The Letters from *Piedmont* tell us, That the *Marschal de Catinat* would march the 2d instant from *Veillane*, and encamp at *Orbassan*, about 5 miles from *Turin*. They write from *Provence*, that a French Frigate commanded by the *Sieur de Grenonville* was taken by 4 Spanish Gallies on the Coast of *Naples*. 'Tis reported that the *Marquis de Nesmond* is returned to *Brest*.

From His Majesty's Camp at *Basse Waure*, June 14. The King came hither the 12th in the Evening from *Malines*, being met on the way by the Elector of *Bavaria*, and several of the General Officers; His Majesty's Quarters are at *Basse Waure* on the River *Dyle*, 4 miles from *Louvain*. Yesterday His Majesty viewed the disposition of the Camp, and the Out-guards on the other side of the River, and this Morning His Majesty began to review the Forces, which will take up two or three days. This day the Troops of English Guards, and 14 Battalions from *Namur*, joynd the Army. *Marschal de Bonffers* continues near *Pieton*, and has fortified his Camp, his head Quarters are at *Goffeliers*. The Troops of *Hesse* were to pass the *Rhine* this day between *Coblentz* and *Bon*. One of our Parties met with one of the Enemies of 25 Men, of whom they killed 5 and took 7, the rest escaping.

Hague, June 15. N. S. Several English Yachts with their Convoy arrived yesterday in the *Maele*, having on Board the Venetian Ambassadors, and several Persons of Quality and Officers that are going to the Army in *Flanders*. The Prince de *Vaudemont* was by our last Letters still Encamped near *Ghent*; and the *Marschal de Villaroy* near *Dynse*.

Falmouth, June 6. On the 4th instant sailed hence Capt. *Foulkes* in the *Resolution* with three Men of War more, having under their Convoy the *Nassaw* from *India*, several Ships from *Bombador*, and other Merchant Men bound to the Eastward. A Fleet of Ships has for some days been seen off the *Lizard*, supposed to be *Suedes* and *Danes* bound home from *St. Ubes*.

Plymouth, June 7. Yesterday came into this Port His Majesty's Ships *Edgar*, *Medway*, and a Fire-ship, from the Fleet, which is in *Torbay*.

Yarmouth, June 8. Rear Admiral *Bombow*, who failed from hence on *Thursday* last with the Fleet of Merchant Ships bound to *Holland*, came yesterday to an Anchor again on the back of our Sands.

Whitchall, June 10. The Association of the Clergy of the Cathedral Church of *Salisbury*, being sent up to the Lord Archbishop of *Canterbury*, has been Presented to the Lords Justices.

The Association of the Mayor, Free Burgesses, and Inhabitants of the Borough of *Callington* in the County of *Cornwall*, was Presented to their Excellencies by Sir *William Coryton*, one of their Representatives in Parliament.

The Association of the Corporation of *Flint*, was presented by Sir *Roger Poulson*.

The Associations of the Counties of *Westmeath* and *Tyrone*, and the Corporation of *Carrick* in *Ireland*, have likewise been presented to their Excellencies.

At the Council-Chamber, *Whitchall*, the 8th of June, 1696.

PRESENT
Their Excellencies the Lords Justices of England in Council.

Whereas His Majesty by his Royal Proclamation of the 23^d of January last, was pleased to direct, That no Person whatsoever should be permitted to go into Ireland, or other Places beyond the Seas, without a Pass under His Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, until further Order; It is now thought fit, and accordingly ordered by Their Excellencies in Council, That the Directions of the said Proclamation do forthwith cease and determine: And for the future, that such Persons as have lawful Occasions to go beyond the Seas, do make their Applications for the obtaining of Passes in the manner that was used before the said Proclamation issued.

RICH. COLINGE.

Whereas a Letter dated the 4th of June, 1696, and Signed T. Y. has been sent to the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, giving an Account of some ill Practices committed by the Officers of His Majesty's Fleet: These are to give Notice, That if the Person who wrote the said Letter will attend their Lordships at their Office near *Whitchall*, or give an Account where he is, in order to his being sent for to give Information in the Matter, their Lordships will give him all reasonable Encouragement.

Whereas a Letter dated the 29th of May, 1696, and Signed R. and W. has been sent to one of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty giving an Account of some Misdemeanors committed by an Officer in his Majesty's Fleet: These are to give notice, That if the said Person or Persons who wrote the said Letter, will attend their Lordships at their Office near *Whitchall*, or give an Account where they are, in order to their being sent for to give Information in the Matter, their Lordships will give them all fitting Encouragement and Protection.

Advertisements.

✶ Catalogus Plantarum quae in Insula Jamaica sponte proveniunt, vel vulgo coluntur, cum eandem Synonymis & locis natalibus, adjectis aliis quibusdam quae in Insula Malabar, Baibadon, Nalibus, & Sancti Christophori nascuntur. Seu Praedicti Historiae Naturalis Jamaicae Pars prima. Autore Hans Sloane, M. D. Coll. Reg. Med. Lond. nec non Soc. Reg. Lond. Sec. Imperialis D. Brown, ad Insigne Cygni & Bibliorum extra Portam vulgo dictam Temple Bar.

✶ The General History of the Quakers: Containing the Lives, Talents, Sufferings, Tryals, speeches, Letters and Travels of all the most Eminent Quakers, both Men and Women; from the first Rise of this Sect, down to this present Time. Collected from Manuscripts, &c. A Work never attempted before in English. Being written Originally in Latin by Gerard Croese Printed for J. Dutton at the Raven in Jewen-Street.

✶ The Royal Mischief: A Tragedy. As it is Acted by His Majesty's Servants. Written by Mrs. Manly. Printed for R. Bentley, F. Saunders, and J. Knapton.

On the 4th instant a Chamber in *Jesus College* in *Cambridge* was broke open, from whence was taken 3 Tankards, one Engraven Ex dono *Johannis Wentworth*, another Ex dono *F. Ancisa Fawke*, and Ex dono *Thomas Micklerwhite* on the other; and a two ear'd Cup, all which had the College Arms upon them, (viz) 3 Fez between 3 Cocks Heads, and a border of Crowns. Whoever gives notice of the said Plate, so as it may be had again, to Mr. *Thomas Hufley*, Barber-dweller of *Hart*, at the Goat in *Fleetstreet*, or to *Mr. Alex. Norfolk*, Butler of the said College, shall have 5 L Reward, or proportionably for any part.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against *Benj. Bragg*, late of *Louden*, Bookseller, will meet at *Richard Coffee-House* within *Temple Bar*, on *Wednesday* the 12th of July next, at two Afternoon, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupts Estates. And such Creditors who have not paid their Contribution Money, and proved their Debt, must then come prepared, or else they will be excluded the said Dividend.

Lost out of a Lady's Closet a Gold oval Picture Case, with a Gentleman's Picture in it, and a Crystal over it. Whoever gives notice of it to *Thomas Jenkins*, Goldsmith, in *Essex Street* without *Temple Bar*, so as it may be had again, shall have two Guineas Reward, or if Bought or Pawn'd their Money again with Content.

Lost the 9th instant a Bank Note dated *April 22* last, N^o 45. payable to *Robert Thorshill*, for 200 L. on which are three Indorsements; viz. 24 *April* 50 L. 5 *June* 35 L. 9 *ditto* 10 L. If the same be offered in Payment you are desired to keep it, and give notice to *Mr. Graun*, Book Seller, in *Middle Temple Lane*, and you shall have 200 Guineas Reward.