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Messina, July 2. N. S.

**W**E have Advice from *Malta*, that on the 22d of the last month two French Men of War passed by there; They came from *Toulon* about a fortnight before, have been at *Argiers*, and were going to *Cefalonia*, to join the other two French Men of War that failed thither some time since to bring away the Dutch Prize called the *Arsenal*. Yesterday passed through the *Fare* the *Delawall* Galley, Capt. *Jonas Cooke*, for *Smirna* and *Constantinople*; and the *Ann* Galley, Capt. *Gremer*, for *Cyprus* and *Scanderoon*, having made their Voyage in 26 days from *England*. The same day arrived here the *Mary Rose* Galley, Capt. *Thomas Rogers*; and two Dutch Ships called the *Command*, and *Seven Provinces*; all from *Galipoli*.

From the Imperial Camp under the Command of the Elector of Saxony at *Aranka*, July 21. On the 19th Instant the Army marched from *Chonad*, and came to this place, which is almost in the midway to *Temeswaer*, and covered on one side by a great *Moras*. Here we received a Confirmation of our former Advices concerning the march of the Grand Signior; That he was expected in few days at *Belgrade*; and had caused Bridges to be laid over the *Danube* and the *Save*. The 20th a Council of War was held, where it was resolved to send not only for the Artillery that was left at *Sagedin*; but likewise for divers Pieces of Cannon for Battery and Mortars, with the necessary Ammunition, from *Buda*; Count *Heiterheim* went hence the next morning to hasten the former; and the latter is ordered to come to the Army by the way of *Baya*: This has renewed a discourse in the Camp, that the Siege of *Temeswaer* is intended, upon this Consideration, That it will in all likelihood divert the Enemy from the design they may have of passing the *Save*, and making an attempt upon *Peter-Waradin*, and oblige them to march this way to relieve a place of such Consequence, and give us thereby the opportunity of a Battle, which we so much desire. A Reinforcement has been sent to *Titul*, which the Turks threaten, since their last disappointment, to attack with a greater Force from *Belgrade*; and the like care has been taken for the security of several other Posts on that Frontier. We have received Advice this day, that the Grand Signior is passed by *Nissa*, and will be at *Belgrade* about the 25th of this month.

*Vienna*, July 28. The 26th Instant, being the King of the Romans Birth-day, when he entred into the 19th year of his Age, was observed at this Court with much solemnity. The last week arrived here several Expresses from *Piedmont*, *Milan*, and *Flanders*, being all dispatched on the occasion of the Treaty between the Duke of *Savoy*

and the French; and they have been since sent back with the Emperor's Answer and Resolution in that matter. They talk here very much of sending more Forces to *Italy*, in order to pursue the War there with the utmost vigor. The last Advices from *Hungary* say, the Grand Signior was marching towards *Belgrade*; his design seeming to be, to pass the *Save*; And the Imperialists at the same time were preparing for the the Siege of *Temeswaer*, to give him a Diversion.

*Frankfort*, Aug. 5. The Confederate Army will in few days be reinforced by 5 Regiments, 3 of Horse, and two of Dragoons, of the Elector Palatin's Troops, who have passed the River *Mein* at this place, and continue their march to the *Neckar*; The Troops of *Munster* that lie in the *Bergstraet*, are likewise in a readiness to join Prince *Lewis* upon the first Orders; and in all probability something of moment will be attempted on this side. The French Forces lie dispersed in several small Camps; Their Head Quarter being still at *Stollhofen*.

*Hamburg*, Aug. 7. The last Letters from *Warsaw*, which are dated the 23d of the last month say, the Election will not be at soonest till *December*, it being customary not to proceed to the Choice of a new King till 6 months after the death of the former. Prince *James*, Prince *Sapieha* General of *Lithuania*, and *Jablonowsky* General of *Poland*, are the Candidates that are yet most spoken of; but the first seems to have the prevailing Interest, being supported by the Emperor. We do not hear that *France* has yet recommended any Body.

*Ghent*, Aug. 6. The Forces under the command of the Prince de *Vaudemont*, will march tomorrow, and encamp all along the Canal, reaching from this place to *Bruges*. On the 3d Instant a Detachment of 6 Squadrons and several Battalions was sent hence towards *Dendermonde*; And the Danish and Hancuer Cavalry marched this day to *Bellem*.

*Brussels*, Aug. 8. A Detachment from Prince *Vaudemont's* Army, consisting of 12 Battalions and 6 Squadrons under the command of Major General *Berensdorf*, passed yesterday our Canal at *Vilvorde*, and encamped at *Dighem*, from whence they have continued their march to join the Landgrave of *Hesse-Cassel* on the *Meuse*. They write from between the *Sambre* and the *Meuse*, that the Marquis de *Harcourt* is posted at *St. Gerard* with 10 or 12000 men; and that the Marquis de *Zimmens* lies with 6 Battalions near *Maubeuge*, in order to join the Marquis de *Harcourt*, or the *Mareschal de Boufflers*, as there may be occasion.

*Hague*, Aug. 10. N. S. The Landgrave of *Hesse* was to begin his march yesterday from *Namur* towards the *Rhine*, being joined by a Detachment from *Flanders*. The Elector of *Brandenburg*

denburg is come to Cleves. Monsieur Dickvelt went hence the 6th to the Army, and the Heer Borael, another of the States Deputies, will follow in few days. A great Fleet of Merchantmen bound to the North, went to Sea from the Texell on Wednesday last, having besides their ordinary Convoy a Squadron of 13 Men of War to see them safe.

*Yarmouth, Aug. 7.* Yesterday we had Advice by some Vessels coming from the Northward, of a small Privateer that had been several days upon this Coast; whereupon our Bayliffs fitted out a small Fish Boat, and Manned her with about 50 stout Men, under the command of Capt. Lyall, Commander of His Majesty's Ship the *Milford*, now riding in this Road; who went out with all expedition, and being got up with the Privateer, they immediately laid her on board and took her; The French Captain being killed, and 4 of his Men wounded; She carried two Guns and 25 Men, who are all brought ashore here: And there were on Board 4 Masters for the ransom of their Vessels taken by the said Privateer. On the 7th passed through this Road a Fleet of about 300 laden Colliers under Convoy of two Men of War; and two other Men of War are still behind with the rest of the Fleet.

*London, Aug. 8.* The Fleet of Merchant Ships richly laden from *Hamborough* is safely arrived with their Convoy at the *Nore*.

*London, Aug. 9.* On the 4th Instant a New Fifth Rate Ship was Launched at *R. dbridge*, called the *South Sea Castle*, carrying 32 Guns and 135 Men, built by Mr. *Joseph Knowler*. And on the 6th an other Fifth Rate, named the *Pool* of 32 Guns and 135 Men, was launched at *East-Cowes* in the Isle of *Wight*, built by Mr. *Joseph Ney*.

*Whitehall, Aug. 9.* The Mail from *Holland* of Tuesday last is not yet come in; But by the way of *Offend* we have Letters from His Majesty's Army, which give the following Account.

*Camp at Attre, Aug. 14.* N. S. On Saturday last the Count *d' Aversberg*, the Emperor's Minister, Monsieur *Scuylenbergh*, and Monsieur *Dickvelt*, arrived here from *Holland*, whither the latter, after having had several Audiences of His Majesty, returned this morning.

Yesterday the Army foraged towards *Engbien*, near which place the advanced Guard of the Foragers met with a strong Party of the Enemies Horse and Dragoons, and about 50 Hussars; Of these the Captain was killed, and 10 of his Men taken Prisoners; Of the Troopers and Dragoons several were likewise killed, and a Captain, a Cornet, and about 50 Men, with their Horses, were taken, who are all brought into the Camp. We have advice, that a French Partisan of the Garrison of *La Roche* having formed a Design to surprize the Town of *Huy* on the *Meuse*, and to plunder and burn it, he marched 4 days ago with 200 Men from *La Roche*, and in the night lay in Ambush under the Walls of *Huy*; At the opening of the Gates he sent in two Wagons covered with Hay, under which were several Soldiers with their Arms, and these Wagons were conducted by other Soldiers in Peasants Habits, who overthrew one of the Wagons in the Gate, and our Men that were on the Guard there coming to assist them, were seized and killed by the Soldiers who came out of the Wagons; whereupon the French Officer advancing with his Mee, forced the next

Guard, and having posted a Guard of his own at the Gates, advanced into the Town, and began to plunder; but the Burghers with the assistance of an Independent Company which happened to be there, soon beat them out again, several of their number being killed, and many taken Prisoners. Immediately after 200 French Horse and Dragoons appeared, who were to have a share in this Occasion; but came too late.

#### Advertisements.

There is newly Printed at His Majesty's Printing-Office in Black-hyers, a large Folio Bible, in a fair Character, and good Paper, fit either for Churches or Families, and will be sold at the Office aforesaid, at a reasonable Rate.

Deserted from Pontefract out of Capt. James Orway's Company, in His Majesty's Regiment of Foot commanded by the honourable Col. Tho. Farington, Michael Gray a middle-sized Fellow, aged about 30, wears a dark bob Wig, and John Celia a tall slender Fellow, aged about 23, dark brown Hair; both dressing together. Also Robert Rippen, a lousy Fellow, above 6 feet high; and Robert Whittaker, a broad middle-sized Man; both Tinklers, and dark haired, who deserted together. They are all 4 in sad coloured Cloaths. Whoever secures them, and brings them to Capt. Orway at Pontefract, or to Mr. Peter Bernard, Agent of the Regiment, at his House at the white Pales near St. James's Square, shall have (besides the 5 l. mentioned in the Act of Parliament) 3 l. for each of them, and reasonable Charges.

Lost or stolen out of Sir Walter Blounts House, *Greektown* So-ho, on the 29th past, a Tortoise shell Cabinet Table with black, and a Wooden Trunk with a Ducal Crown upon it, filled with gilt, containing a Gold Watch made by Adamson, a Coronation in Gold with a Seal, a large Pearl Bracelet, a Toad-stone Ring and other Rings, 7 five Guinea Pieces, some broad Gold, a Purse of French Counters for Cards, Silver, Tea, and Coffee-Dishes, and several other Things of value. Whoever brings the said Things to Mr. Knight, Goldsmith, in Covent-Garden, or to Sir Walter Blounts, shall have Ten Guineas Reward for the whole, or proportionable for any part.

Whereas Sarah Shipley alias Palmer, who was described in the last Gazette, stole on the first Instant from Mr. Berr in the Mews, next to the Kings Riding House, 201. in Milld Lane, a Gold Watch, and 6 Silver Tobacco Stoppers with Child Balls cut in squares, with other Things of value (part of which has been since recovered.) Whoever secures her, and the Goods, shall give notice to Mr. Pare at the Ship and Fleete at Charing-Cross shall have 3 l. Reward, or proportionable for any part.

Whereas Mr. Christopher Ailsby alias Ailsbury, and Mr. Edward Bescowin, pretended some years past, to owe each of them a Debt, on the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Welsted late of London, Goldsmith; These two give notice to the said Mr. Ailsby alias Ailsbury, and Mr. Bescowin or any other Persons who may claim a right to their several Debts that they appear to Mr. John Weaver, backside of St. Pauls Apostles near Queen street, London, (one of the Commissioners) in order to make full proof of their Debts, before the 8th day of September next, otherwise they will be utterly excluded the said Debts.

Whereas John Wheatley, Servant to Thomas Cawne of St. Miles Crooked-Lane, London, Wine-Cooper, and Tobias Beale of Field-Lane, Holborn, Burcher, have defrauded the said Thomas Cawne of several Sums of Money, which they have taken up from several of his Customers without his Order or direction, and have since absconded. Whoever secures the said John Wheatley and Tobias Beale, and gives notice to the aforesaid Thomas Cawne, so that they may be brought to Justice, shall have Ten Guinea's Reward. John Wheatley is a short well-set Man, born a Mole on one side of his Cheek, a short brown Wig, and a Coat faced with Blue: Tobias Beale is a lousy fat Man, middle-aged. All Persons that owe the said Thomas Cawne any Money, are desired to forbear payment thereof to any Person, but to himself.

Stolen from Tho. Wilks at Winderton in Warwickshire, on the 28th past, a bright bay Mare, middle aged, with a white blaze down her Face, one white Foot behind, and some white upon her Saddle, with a seam down her near Buttock, occasioned by a Cut. Whoever gives notice of the said Mare (so as she may be had again) to the Person aforesaid, or to Mr. Benj. Wilmar in the Kings-head-yard in Tooley-street, Southwark, shall have 20 l. Reward.

Stolen out of the Ground of John Theobald the last day of July, a bright bay Gelding near 15 hands high, has all his face with a black bob Tail, and black thorn Mane, a white blaze down his Face, a seam in the off Hoof before, and a dry knot in the skin place of the off Leg behind, full aged. Whoever secures the said Gelding and gives notice to the aforesaid John Theobald living at Street Green near Clapham in Surrey, shall have 20 l. Reward.