

amongst whom they distributed large summes of Money to encourage them to the work, and on the 10th of May about two hours before day about 10 thousand of them began to fall upon the Town, and with great cries fell desperately upon the Bulwarks of *Saint Pierre* and *St. Andre*, coming on with great confidence of success; but the besieged who are always intent upon every motion of the Enemy, received them with extraordinary courage at the breaches, and in both places sprang several Mines which they had before prepared for them to their great loss of men and courage, insomuch as after above three hours sharp dispute they were forced to retire, leaving behind them several of their scaling Ladders, having besides great numbers of men lost 3 Batts and several other Officers of great esteem.

We are farther advised that the Captain General of our Fleet having Intelligence that 18 Barbary men of War entered into the service of the Grand Seigneur for this summer, were put out from several parts of *Alexandria*, *Smirna*, and *Sorbia* laden with Men and Ammunition, and bound for *Cahes*. had divided 24 men of war under his command into three squadrons, with Orders to find out and engage the Enemy, himself with 10 ships sailing to the Eastwards of the Isle of *Candia*, where he found them making for *Cahes*, whom though so much superior to him in number, he immediately engaged, where for some time was maintained a sharp dispute, the Enemy making up in number what they wanted in courage, and had already worked two of the Generals squadrons but the noise of the fight bringing in another Squadron of 8 of our ships to their relief, the Turks were in little time worked six of them sunk by our Cannon, four taken, and the other eight flying, were for some time pursued, much torn and disordered, and many of their men killed; in this engagement were made prisoners about 800 Turks.

Hague, June 24. On Saturday last His Highness the Prince of *Tuscany* departed from this place and lay that night at *Leyde*, and went the next day to *Harlem*, intending on Monday to pass from thence into the North of *Holland* on his way to *Friesland*.

Yesterday arrived here a Courier in 10 days from *Florence* with dispatches for the Prince, whom he intends to find at *Atomar*. The States have sent to the Officers of all places by which the said Prince is to pass, to receive and entertain him with all possible honour and respect; during his Highness's stay here, he was pleased to return a visit to the French Ambassadour, and is believed may now be persuaded to visit *France* on his return for *Italy*.

The Duchess of *Friesland* is lately arrived here, and lodged at the house of the Princess Dowager, who also in few days expects the arrival of her other Daughter the Duchess of *Simmeren*.

From *Manila* we are informed, that the Bishop of that place does not raise any new forces as was reported, but gives entertainment to all Officers which proffer him their service, and has put Arms into the hands of all his Subjects.

The States have ordered 8 Companies of Foot to march to *Bortang* upon the frontiers of *Westphalia*, and is believed the Army will be suddenly drawn together and exercised.

We are even now informed of the safe arrival upon our Coasts of 13 ships from the *East-Indies*, which came from *Batavia* in December last, whereof 2 or 3 are already entered the *Texel*, the Company have already given order to receive and discharge them; besides these, we daily expect the news of 3 others from *Ceylon*, and 2 more from *Batavia* which put out in *February* last.

Paris June 26. On Saturday the 22 instant *Le Roux* *Marsilli* having before disembred himself and in great danger of his life, was sentenced by the Lieutenaut Criminal, to be broken alive upon the Wheele, as guilty of high Treason against his Majesty, and was the same day removed from the *Bastille* to the *Chastelet*, before the door whereof he was ordered to suffer, and was accordingly there executed the next day, and afterwards dragged through

the City at a Cart-tail; before and at his death he denied that he had any design or attempting any thing upon the Kings life, shewed much constancy to his Religion.

A Vessel lately arriving at *Marseille* from the *Levant* informs us that the Grand Seigneur had countermanded the Ambassadour designed to have been sent aboard our ship, and ordered an Embargo upon the ship which attended for the transportation of our Ambassadour the *Sieur de la Haye*; farther adding that the Visier being resolved to do his utmost endeavour for the taking in of *Candia* before the arrival of our succors, had given seven several assaults to it, in which he had lost many men and Officers of note, but had at last made himself master of a Post which much annoyed the *For. St. Andre* to the great disadvantage of the Town.

His Majesty has lately dispatched away a Courier to *Toulon*, where he is ordered to Embark himself upon the first Vessel, and to overtake the Fleet, with a packet to the Duke de *Navailles* General of the Land forces in that Expedition.

From *Switzerland* we are informed that the Deputies from the several Cantons were arrived at the Diet in *Baden*, where they appear much concerned at the procedure of the *Sieur Menville* the French Resident, in treating with the four lesser Cantons, and advancing Moneys to them without any conclusion first had with the rest of the Cantons.

From the coast of *Ricardy* we are told, that our Merchants seem much dissatisfied to find that the liberty given by His Majesty for the free transportation of their Corn, has not been so beneficial to them as they expected; several of their ships having been lately in *England* to vent their Grains, but finding a prohibition on foot against the importation of Corn, were forced to return with the loss of their voyage.

Deal, June 18. Yesterday and this day sailed from the Downs about 43 Merchant ships with a fair wind outwards bound for several parts.

Advertisements.

A Relation of Three Embassies from His Sacred Majesty Charles the 2^d. to the Great Duke of Muscovy, the King of Sweden, and King of Denmark, performed by the Right Honourable the Earl of Carlisle in the years 1663, and 1664. published with his Lordships approbation. Printed for John Starkey, at the Miter in Fleetstreet near Temple-Bar.

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