

summe for him, and to make him moreover a Present for the Defraying his expences on his return for Poland. We have here various reports of the present state of affairs in that Kingdom, and that those of *Pashuania* with the Great *Marechal Sobiesky*, the Great Chancellor, and divers of the Senators are not yet satisfied with the Election; but for a better light into these affairs several Courtiers have this week been dispatcht to the Bishop of *Besiers* our Ambassador there, with Orders for his speedy return, as soon as his business there can permit him, to take upon him another Employment under the same Character to the Court of *Spain*; and 'tis said His Majesty amongst other Compliments to the New King, has made him an Offer of assisting him with Money for the payment of his Army.

The King has deferred his coming to Parliament till the 29th of this Moneth, being willing to give this further time to the Chamber of Justice, to finish several affairs under their hands, before their suppression.

The Dauphin is yet distempred with a continual Fever, with many severe accessions; for which he has been four times let Blood, but as yet his Physicians cannot find what Nature has any way began to discharge its self of those Humors which cause his indisposition, nor do they find any considerable effects of their other applications.

His Majesty designs a journey to *Chambourgh* about the middle of the next Moneth, if nothing extraordinary intervene to prevent it; about which time he may dismiss and break up the Camp at *St. Schastien*.

We have not heard any farther certain news from the Duke of *Beaufort* since his being seen with the Fleet about the height of *Malta*. The Countrey which was sent with a Paquet to him, carries him inclosed a permission (if the affairs of *Candia* require it) to go on shore with the soldiers which belong to the Men of War, and to employ them against the Enemy.

Here is lately arrived a Letter from the Marquis de *St. Andre-Montbrun* at *Candia* dated the 29th of *May*, importing, that the Turks were with all diligence mounting their Cavalry, and had summoned in all the Inhabitants of the Island and employed them at their Works before the Town; and that the Viceroy gave out, that he was resolved to engage the succours immediately upon their landing, but believed not that their numbers were halfe so considerable as report made them to be; the Marquis adding, that if the said succours were fewer then the Turks were willing to believe them, he made no doubt but that upon their appearance they should be able to force the Turks from the breaches, and in spite of all their attempts to defend the Town for a year longer, though the Turks were Masters of the Bastion *St. Andre*.

The Cardinal de *Pendofme* has lately given an account of a Letter written to him by the Consul of *La Ciotat* in *Provence*, giving him notice of the arrival there of a Bark the 9th instant in 40 days from *Candia*, the Master of the said Bark affirming, that at his departure from thence last, the Sieur de *Almeras* was with three men of War and one Fireship at the Island of *Milos* expecting the return of a Chaloupe which he had some time before sent to *Larissa* to sound the intentions of the *Ottoman* Court, and to bring him an account of affairs concerning the Sieur de *la Haye*, our Ambassador; He farther tells, that three Venetian ships passing by the Sieur de *Almeras*, obliged them to salute the French Flag with 5 Guns, which he answered onely with 2; farther telling, that upon his way homewards he discovered between the Islands of *Sapientza* and *Serigo* on the 17th of *June*, a Fleet of about 70 sail, which he supposed to be the French Fleet making for *Candia*.

Letters from the Netherlands inform us, that although the Constable of *Castile* has been prevailed with to give leave for the passing of the Coal-Boats, his Concession has hitherto been rendered inefficual by the letting go the Sluices, by which means the River and Channels are so low drained, that no Boat is able to pass, nor if the Sluices were stoppt, can the Rivers be rendered again capable in near a Moneths time to carry down the said Boats, of

which we suppose ere this a Complaint has been made

The Duke of *Lorraine* seems very apprehensive of some attempt, especially, having intelligence that a strong party of Horse and Dragoons are ordered forthwith to march out of *Luxembourg*, whose motion tis supposed will much depend upon the success of the Gentleman, who the 10th instant was dispatcht by His Majesty into *Lorraine*.

The Prince of *Tuscany* is suddenly expected here from *Holland*, for whom a rich Coach is here making. The Baron de *Leroas* has received Orders from the Duke of *Nenbourg* to take his leave of this Court, but first, to make his due return of thanks to His most Christian Majesty for the good Offices done to his said Master towards the preference of his interest in *Poland*, though they have proved successless; the said Baron went yesterday accordingly to *St. Germain*, where he had his Audience from their Majesties.

The Venetian Ambassador has lately received by an Express, the news that Count *Waller* has with the *Lunenburghers* lately arrived at *Candia*, made a successful sally upon the Enemy, and recovered from them all the ground which the Turks had before won upon the City, and had led great numbers of the Turks in that action.

Oxford, July 11. On Friday last the University being Assembled in a full body, went to take possession of the new Theatre, the Magnificent Benefaction of his Grace the Lord Archbishop of *Canterbury*, where after the reading of his Grace's Grant by the Register of the University, Dr. *Solih* the publick Orator made an excellent speech upon the occasion; in the afternoon, being again assembled and placed in the Theatre, after the loud Musick had sounded, were pronounced several Panegyricks, the first in Prose, then one in *Pindarick Verse*, after that an Oration, then a Dialogue in Poetry, which having taken up a considerable time, the Auditory was diverted with excellent Musick, Vocal, and Instrumental, which ending, they were again entertained with another Oration, followed by two Speeches in Poetry, and afterwards by a discourse in favor of Learning, then a short Speech from the Musick Gallery, uttering in two Odes which were excellently sang, after which followed another Speech which concluded the solemnity of that day.

London, July 12. On Monday the 5th instant arrived at *Milford* an Yacht from *Dublin*, Captain *Shortin* Comtander, with her Grace the Duchess of *Ormond*, who at her landing was with much respect complimented and entertained by Sir *Hugh Owen*, from thence she intended for *Golden Grove*, where the Earl of *Carbery* had made preparation for her reception; on Monday last she was expected at *Hereford*, on Tuesday at *Glocester*, and on Wednesday at *Oxford*, whither His Grace the Duke of *Ormond* is gone to receive her on her way hither.

His Grace the Lord General after a long and dangerous distemper, is (God be praised) perfectly recovered, and restored to his former health, to the great rejoicing of their Majesties and the whole Court, by the assistance of one *William Sermons* of *Bristol*, whose Pills have had that excellent success, as to restore him perfectly to his Sleep and Appetite, and wholly abate all the Symtomes of his disease; yesterday His Grace as being perfectly cured, dismissed his Physicians from their farther attendance.

London, July 14. Amongst several notorious high-way men condemned this present Session at the *Old-Baily*, was one *Edward Maddox*, who upon some considerable discoveries made by him, His Majesty has been graciously pleased to relieve.

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These are to give notice, That the Receipt for Letters within *Temple-Barre*, is removed from *Mr. Eales*, and for the more secure conveyance of Letters to the General Post-House, is now settled with *Mr. Groyne* Stationer at the Black Horse between the two Temple Gates within the Barre.