

their defence, which news added so much courage to the Garrison, that they made a stout sally upon the Turks, and forced them out of the Bastion with much slaughter, in which service Monsieur de Sa, *Aadre Montbrun* received a slight hurt in his side by a Granado.

The Duke de Beaufort being thus informed of the necessity of his speedy appearance at Candia, altered his resolution of going to the Island of Cerigo, the place appointed for the Rendezvous of the whole success, and sailed immediately with his Fleet for Suda, dispatching away some Vessels to the Gallies with Orders to follow him thither with all the speed they were able.

The Venetian Ambassador has by a Courier Extraordinary received advice, that the Popes and Maltese Gallies arrived the 18th past at the Island of Corfu, where they staid till the 22d, and then put to sea for Zante; and that the French Gallies arrived there the next day thinking to have joyned with them, but missing them, without any stay put out again with intentions to follow them.

A Bark lately arriving at *Marseilles* from *Constantinople*; as brought some dispatches from Monsieur de la Hay, our Ambassador at *Larissa* the Master informing, that passing the 20th past by the Cape de Spada in the Island of *Candia*, he heard much shooting from Suda about 7 miles distant from sea, but passing on to Cerigo, he there met with 12 Venetian ships, who informed him, that the last shooting was only alutes upon the arrival of the French Fleet at Suda, from whence the said Venetian ships had been sent by the Duke de Beaufort to meet with the Auxillary Gallies on the way from Zante, and to hasten them on their way with Orders to attend him at Suda; farther saying, that the Sieur d'Amers was with three men of war joyned with the French Fleet; and that the said Sieur d'Amers, having during his stay at *Milo*, sent a Bark to *Larissa* for intelligence, and so found the Grand Signors pleasure, had from thence received the Sultans Order to sail to *Napoli di Romania*, where an Ambassador should be ready to come aboard him and pass under his conduct to the Court of France, but that the Sieur d'Amers being jealous of some farther design, had sent onely his Fireship to receive him, if any such were there attending.

Paris, July 24. A week since the Baron de Lerode, the Duke of Neubourgs Envoy, had his last Audience from His Majesty, in which, in the name of the Duke his Master, he gave His Majesty thanks for his good will and intention to promote his interest in Poland, although they had been of little effect; but that he could not but remonstrate that His Majesty could approve of the behaviour of the Bishop of *Esfers*, His Ambassador in Poland, who had openly espoused the interest of the Prince of Conde, contrary to the Treaty at Berlin and His Majesties instructions, and had to ill represented the exclusion of the Prince of Conde that he afterwards refused to come to an Audience to which that Republic had invited him, to which His Majesty obligingly answered to this purpose, that he was much afflicted at the ill success of those Negotiations in Poland, in which he wanted not any good will to advance the Duke his Masters interest, and that he did not at all approve of the Bishop of *Esfers* refusal of Audience, nor was he satisfied with any reasons he had yet alledged for the same and that he had therefore recalled him to render him a better reason, and account of his actions.

On Sunday following, the said Envoy departed hence on his way for *Liege*, where he is to continue for some time.

Paris, July 27. On Sunday last His Majesty was pleased to send for Chevalier de Fourilles, to whose care and prudence he has committed the inspection of all his Military affairs in the Netherlands, who is accordingly going to the Frontiers; His Majesty expecting by him a more exact account than hath hitherto been given him of his strength both of Horse and Foot in those Provinces.

The Dauphin continues ill with a Cough and a continued Fever, yet his recovery is not at all dispaired of, many persons having fallen into the same distemper, who are again restored to perfect health.

His Majesty has been lately pleased in consideration of the services of the Duke de Chaulnes, to confer on him the charge of Lieutenant-General of Bretagne, upon the Resignation of the Duke *Mazarin*.

From *Marseilles* we are advised by a ship lately arrived from the Levant, that some Privateers of Malisba had met with the Turkish Convoy from Alexandria, and that the Chevalier *Marioy* of *Marseilles*, who commanded as Captain in one of these Malisba ships, being grappled with a Turkish ship of 70 Guns, which took fire and perished in the dispute, had received much prejudice by the flames, but got off again, whilst the other Privateers seized upon another great ship of 50 Guns, and four Saichs, which they carried off as Prize.

From Spain they write, that the new Regiment of Guards is much advanced, and already consists of 700 men, who have been mustered, and are to receive their Colours with much Ceremony on the feast day of St. James.

Brussels June 25. The Constable of *Cajille* is still at *Antwerp*; from whence is returned hither the Prince de *Ligne*, having with the Chancelour of *Brabant* been magnificently treated in that City at the Election of their new Magistrates.

The Marquis d'Humieres is at *Aeth*, from whence he is Ordered not to move till the French have furnished themselves with a sufficient quantity of Lime and Coales, we apprehend not at all inclinable to comply with him; nor are our people pleased with the Garrison, whose Souldiers for want of strict discipline commit many robberies and murder; yesterday here happened a great tumult between them and the Citizens, which might have had very ill consequence had not the Magistrates of the City and the Officers of the Garrison timely used their endeavours to appease them.

The Constable still continues to demand the sume of 50 thousand Florins, as a gratuity for the City of *Antwerp*, but they seem not at all inclinable to comply with him; nor are our people pleased with the Garrison, whose Souldiers for want of strict discipline commit many robberies and murder; yesterday here happened a great tumult between them and the Citizens, which might have had very ill consequence had not the Magistrates of the City and the Officers of the Garrison timely used their endeavours to appease them.

From *Aix La Chappelle* they inform us, of the arrival thence of his Highness the Prince of Tuscany the 16th instant from *Holland*, where Mopsegnior *Franciotti* the Popes Nuncio, received him with much honour and respect, sending his Coach with his Auditor to attend him upon the way, the Magistrates of the Town employing also an Officer to compliment the Prince, and know his pleasure whether he would accept of the Honour which they were ready to pay him of a publick Entry, which the Prince excused, as he had done in other places during his Travels; after some little stay there, in which time he received the Compliments of the Nuncio and Magistrates, he went thence the Friday following towards the *Spa*, and from thence intends to direct his course towards France.

Portsmouth, July 21. On Tuesday last, Sir Thomas Allen with the Squadron of His Majesties ships under his Command, set sail for the *Streights* with a fair wind.

Advertisements.

The Officers of the Receipts of His Majesties Exchequer are come to the payment of the 1270th Order in number Registered on the Act for the Eleven Months Taxes, and will proceed to the payment of the subsequent Orders as the Money shall come in.

The said Officers are now ready to pay the remaining part of the 1149th Order, Registered on the Act for 1250000l. and shall proceed to the payment of the ensuing Orders, as the remains of that Act, and the remains of the first Month of the Eleven Months Taxe shall be brought in.

For the better correspondence between the University of Oxford, and the Cities of Bristol and Gloucester; the Postmaster General hath established a constant conveyance of Letters and Paquets, between Oxford and Gloucester, and Oxford and Bristol, and vice versa thrice every week, upon the ordinary Post days, to begin the first day of August next ensuing.