

The Marquis of *Westerloo* continues his Fortifications of *Pe*, fearing least those of *Liege* may be prevailed on to assist his adversary with their power, but the Rhine-Governor of *Maeſtricht*, not being at all pleased with the strengthening of that place (which is not half a League distant from *Maeſtricht* and almost under the reach of his Guns) has written to the said Marquis not to administer any cause of jealousy by continuing to fortify, assuring him of his assistance with the whole strength of his Garrison, if any hostile attempt should be made upon him; the States have also caused Letters to be written to the Council of *Liege*, desiring them not to interest themselves in this affair, so as to give a disturbance to the Marquis, whom they supposed themselves obliged to defend, but to leave the decision to the Emperor, (the said Barony depending on the Empire) or to the arbitration of such Emperors as the interested parties should think fit to make choice of for that purpose.

A Galliot lately arriving at the *Texel* gives notice, that on the 10th instant he left the *East India* Fleet, consisting of 15 good ships richly laden on this side *Frisland* and *Fairhill* upon the coasts of *Scotland*; 10 of them left *Batavia* on the 18th of *November* last, and the other five on the 16th of *December*; of these 6 belong to the Chamber of *Amsterdam*; 4 to *Zeland*, 1 to *Delft*, 1 to *Hoorn*, 1 to *Rotterdam*, and two to *Enchuisen*, and that 4 others may be expected from *Ceylon* and *Bantam*.

By these we are informed that the forces employed by the *East India* Company in those parts have had great success, having defeated King *Maccasser*, and taken prisoners four of the little Kings, his confederates, with a great booty, to the value of 40 Tuns of Gold, and have made a Peace with him upon Articles very advantageous to the Company.

They likewise say that the Arabians had taken four Portuguese ships richly laden.

*Paris*, June 23. His Majesty has countermanded the Order given to his Gallies to go to the assistance of Monsieur *de Martel* before *Tunis*, and has commanded the Count *de Vivonne* now at sea with them, to bring them back again to *Thoulon*.

From *Thoulon* we are informed that two men of War which belonged to the Squadron of Monsieur *de Martel*, are lately returned under the command of the Chevalier *de Valbelle*, informing that they left the said *de Martel* before *Tunis* with 11 men of War, intending to take the first opportunity of sending in his fire-ships to burn the Turkish ships within the Harbor, which to prevent, the Turks had taken down all their Masts, and drowned their ships, which they intended to weigh up again to soon as our ships were gone from their Port.

Letters of the first instant from *Malta* tell us that the Grand Master had received intelligence, that the Prime Visier had appointed all the Ottoman Gallies to meet at *Navarrin*, where the Corsairs of *Barbary* were ordered to joyn with them, which gives him cause of jealousy, least they might have a designe to make a descent upon *Calabria*, *Sicily*, or *Malta* itself; which last place he has put into a posture of defence.

His most Christian Majesty has ordered 1500 Dragoons to march into *Languedoc*, to keep that Country in subjection, and to punish the Ring-leaders of the late insurrection at *Vivarez*; Monsieur *de Chamilly* who was designed for this employment, finding his presence still necessary in *Roussillon*, to put a stop to the invasions of the *Miquelets*.

From *Cadix* we are advised of the safe arrival of the Gallions from *Peru*, richly laden, only one of their number foundering by the way; in the same place we are advised, that the Sieur *de Galerets*, the Son, Captain of a Squadron beyond the Line, has taken two Holland Merchant ships laden with *Negros* and *Horses*, of which we expect confirmation.

The 27th instant their Majesties with the Dauphin, Madam, and the Duke of *Anjou* arrived at *Versailles*,

where the Court is now diverting. The 22 the Clergy of *France* came thither from their Assembly at *Pontois* to Compliment their Majesties, conducted by the Sieur *de Saintot*, Master of the Ceremonies; Monsieur *Colbert* one of the Secretaries of State, presenting them; and the same day Marquis *Hippolito Centurioni* was graciously received there by his Majesty.

The 20th instant Monsieur and Madam came to this City, where they were Complimented by the Popes Nuncio, and several of the foreign Ministers upon their return from *Flanders*, and the 25th they went hence to *St. Clou*.

*Deal*, June 20. Yesterday, towards the Evening arrived two ships well laden from *Virginia*; here is also come in one ship from *Bilboa*, but without any advice of importance.

*Chester*, June 20. Yesterday the Countess of *Ossory* with her Family and several persons of quality arrived in the *Mary* Yacht at *Dawpool*, they came the same night to this place, and are this day on their way for *London*.

*Whitehal*, June 22. This day arrived an Express from Mr. *Montague* His Majesties Ambassador at *Paris*, with the sad news of the Death of Madam His Majesties only Sister, to the infinite Grief and Affliction of their Majesties and Royal Highnesses, as well for the Greatness of this Loss, as for the astonishing suddenness of it.

She Dyed at *St. Clou* about four of the Clock on Monday morning of a sudden and violent Distemper, which had seized her at five of the Clock the Evening before, and was by the Physicians taken for a kind of Bilious Cholick.

#### Advertisements.

The Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesties Treasury, have ordered that notice be given that the Trustees for sale of His Majesties Fee-Farm Rents, do intend on Wednesday the 22 of this instant June at two of the clock in the afternoon, to sit at Mr Auditor Philips his Office in the Kings Bench buildings in the Inner Temple, and on Friday following and thenceforth on every Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday, at Eight of the clock in the morning and Two in the afternoon, to contract with the immediate Tenants or others, according to the late Act of Parliament.

ALL persons selling Wine in England, Wales, and Town of *Berwick* (except those in *London*, and within three miles compass, who have been formerly summoned) whose Licenses ended at or before Lady-day last, and as yet have not renewed, are advised by themselves, their Attorneys, Factors or Friends, to repair unto the Wine-Licence Office in *Durham-yard*, *London*, and renew their said Wine-Licences, and pay in their arrears, at or before the fourth day of July next, which is the very longest time His Royal Highness Commissioners for granting Wine-Licences can secure them from being prosecuted for selling Wine without Licence, which all the said persons are to take notice of, and avoid the charge and damage which otherwise will certainly ensue.

George Bonnam, Miller, run away from Mr Clerc of *Barkin*, Miller, about the 4th of June 1670. having carried away from the said Mr. Clerc to the value of 80 l. he is aged about 40 years, a middle-sized man, with black brown Hair, round Visaged, a sad coloured riding Coat, with a white Cloth Suit, a white Felt Hat, upon a bright Bay Horse, one white foot behind, two Wall Eyes, a Reddish coloured Leather Saddle; If any one can secure him and send word to the said Mr. Clerc of *Barkin* in *Essex* or Mr Bets in White Chappel at the sign of the Three Tobacco Pipes, shall have 5 l. for their pains.