

which were very considerable. The said Lord Ambassador *Fenjus* has been complimented by the Magistrates of this place, who desired his Picture to be set up in the great Hall of the Town-House among those of the other Ambassadors; which his Excellency has given them. The Imperial Ambassadors are likewise preparing for their departure.

*Hague, August 11.* On Saturday last the Deputies of the States had a Conference with Monsieur de *Lys* the Spanish Minister, and then returned him an Answer to the several Memorials by him presented to the States, concerning the restitution of *Maastricht* to the Crown of Spain. The Answer was

That the States do very readily Acknowledge the Assistance they received from the King of Spain, in the beginning of the War; during the course of which, they the States were not wanting to support the common Interests to the utmost of their power; That they were willing to own that by the Alliance made between the Crown of Spain and them, 1673 they ought to deliver *Maastricht* to his Majesty; but that the same Treaty likewise obliges him to an observance of the Peace of Munster, and all the Stipulations made in consequence thereof; And that accordingly, his Majesty lies under an Engagement to make good the Agreement concerning the Prince of Orange, and to satisfy the Debt (which, with the Interest, amounts to near Eight Millions of *Livres*) due to his Highness by virtue thereof. That the States had, during the War, caused a Squadron of Men of War to be fitted out for the service of Sicily, and that great arrears are still remaining due to the Admiralties on that account. That they pray his Majesty to give them and the Prince Satisfaction in these points, and then they will be ready, on their side, to comply with the obligation of their Treaty and to restore *Maastricht*.

The States having commanded those of the Barony of *Breda*, to give security for the payment of their Contributions before the 10th of this Month, or otherways that they should not enjoy the abatement of 50000 *Gilders* which the French Ambassador had granted them; they have accordingly done it, so that that matter is now at an end. The States having formerly written to the City of *Cologne*, about a new Imposition of a Crown upon every Tun of *Rhenish* Wine, which those Magistrates are going to set up, and having received an Answer thereupon in which they endeavour to justify what they are doing; the States have written to them a second time to let them know, that it is a thing they can by no means suffer, and that if they desist not, they shall be forced to make their Complaints where they may be heard and redress for if every City should pretend to a power to impose what duties they please on Vessels passing the *Rhine*, the Trade of that River must be in a short time lost.

*Paris, Aug. 12.* The 21 of this month the Court removes to *Fontainebleau*; where will be performed the 22<sup>d</sup> of the same month, the ceremony of the Marriage between the King of Spain and *Madamotsele d'Orleans*; The Prince de *Comé* being to be that King's Proxy on this occasion. We are told, that it has been signified to the Sieur *Meyercroon*, the Danish Minister here, That the King expects his Master the King of Denmark, will take a speedy and final resolution in the matter of the Peace; That he gives him the said Minister, time till the last of this month, to expect Orders what to do; and that in

case the Treaty be not Signed by that day, his Majesty requires him immediately to leave France, being resolved to receive no more proposals after that, concerning the Peace. The *Marschal de Lorge* being the other day hunting with the King, his Horse fell with him, and he was very much bruised with the fall. On Tuesday next Monsieur *Perjus* parts hence on his journey for *Raisbonne*, where he is to reside.

*Pennennis, July 31.* Since our last are come in here the *Hopewell* of London, *Francis Richardson* Master, bound for *New-York*. The *Owners-Adventure* of London, *William Esterfon* Master, bound for the *Barmudos*; The *Speedwel* of London, *Rober Fowles* Master, bound hither with Deals from *Norway*. The *Catherine* of London, *Thomas Bull*, bound for *Bristol*, from *Livonia*; The *Postilion* of *Calais*, bound for *Rockelle*, with several other small vessels; and on Tuesday last, the Wind being at N. E. they sailed hence to their several Ports; together with the other ships that were here.

*Plymouth, Aug. 1.* The 30 past arrived here the *Prosperous Ann* of London, *Kincent Helme* Master, bound for *Tangier*. The next day came in here the *Bohemia* Merchant, *William Fowle* Master; The *Golden Fortune*, *William Feslerie*; and the *Constance*, *Thomas Smith*, all three of London, and bound home from *Virginia*. The *Old Head* of *Kinsale*, *Robert Barker*, bound for London from *Antego*; and the *Pine-tree* of this place from *Norway*; and this day arrived here the *Constance*, *Tho. Wills*, and the *Judith*, *Henry Radon*, both of this place; the former from *Danzick*, and the latter from *Rotterdam*. Just now are come in two of His Majesties Frigates, the *Antelope* and the *Dover*, bound for *Newfoundland*, to take under their Convoy, such Ships as are here, bound to the Southward.

#### Advertisements.

Mr. *Adams* of the *Inner-Temple*, having formerly published a new large Map of *Eng. and*, wherein an account of Miles is entered in Figures, hath now contracted the same into two Imperial Sheets of Paper, and hath added the Rivers and an Alphabetical Table of all the Cities and Market Towns, with Letters referring to the Map, the Distance of every Town from *London*, and their several Latitudes and Longitudes. The Persons who have subscribed or will subscribe for the said Map, may have the same at the shop of Mr. *Penabrationer*, near the *Temple-Church*.

Several Conferences Between a Romish Priest, a *Cananick* Chaplain, and a Divine of the Church of *England*, concerning the Idolatry of the Church of *Rome*; Being a full Answer to the late Dialogues of *T. G. Sold* by *H. Mynoch* at the *Phoenix* in *St. Pauls Church-yard*, and at the *White-Hart* in *W. Minster Hall*.

Whereas Information hath been given to his Grace the Duke of *Buckingham*, that under notion of Protections his hand is counterfeited; These are to give Notice to all that have Protections from his Grace, to produce them by the 18th of this instant August, between the hours of 9 and 10 before *Francis Rogers* Esq; to Mr. *Franis Bacthuft* at *Wallingford-House*; that the Cheat may be discovered.

Stolen or Strayed out of Mr. *Thomas Walkers* ground, near *Seven-Bridge* in the Parish of *St. Clements* in the City of *Worcester*, on Saturday the 19. h of July last at night, one *Bay Nig* about 14 han shaghy 7 years old with a Star in his forehead, a snip on the nose, one white foot on the near side behind a bob Tail, all his paces, and a pitch mark on his near puttock, if not worn out or pulled off. Whoever gives notice of him to Mr. *William Barnes*, Oyle-man, right against *Cripplegate Church* in *London*, or to Mr. *Thomas Walker* in *Worcester*, shall have 20 s. Reward.