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Madrid, July 25.

From Barcelona we have an Account, that 18 French Gallies, Commanded by the Duke de Vivonne had been in that Road, and that the usual Compliments had passed between the Duke de Bournonville, Viceroy of Catalonia, and the Duke de Vivonne, but that the French Gallies parted again without giving or receiving any Salutes, for that they could not agree about the manner of doing it, between the French Gallies, and those of the Squadron of the Duke of Turfs, which happened to be then there. The French Ambassador at this Court, has presented a Memorial concerning the Title of Burgundy, which the French would have this Crown to quit; but we are told, That the King has positively resolved not to do it. Care is taking to remit a very considerable sum of Money to Flanders, for the Service of those Countreys. By an Express from Cadix we have Advice, that the New-Spain Fleet sailed from thence the 12th Instant.

Vienna, July 31. In our last we told you, that General Caprara had made a Truce with the Rebels in Hungary, and that some Proposals made by the latter in order to a Peace, had been sent to the Emperor; since we have an Account from Lintz, that his Imperial Majesty had absolutely rejected the said Proposals, and had resolved, so soon as the Truce is expired, to attack the Rebels with a far greater Force than has yet been employed against them; and to that end, Orders had been sent to the Imperial Troops quartered in Silesia, Moravia, and Stiria, to march immediately towards Hungary, who as we are informed, will make a Body of 14000 Men; and at the same time we are told, that the Emperor has given out Commissions, for the raising of 20 new Regiments. There is a Report that the Grand Vizier is dead at Constantinople, and that the Grand Signior had already made choice of another to succeed him.

Ratisbonne, July 30. The States of the Empire, Assembled in the Dyet here, have dispatched the Letter, which we formerly told you they had resolved to write to the King of England; Wherein they Declare, That the Roman Empire does most gratefully acknowledge the Peace to have been restored to Christendom, by His Majesties Mediation at Nimeguen, which though it was upon very hard conditions to the Empire, yet has hitherto been punctually and faithfully executed on their part, in all the points of it, and that these His Majesties unwearied endeavours, and Councils, so Gloriously employed for the restoring the publick Peace, will be Sacred to Posterity.

That they cannot doubt but His Majesty has been from oiber hands sufficiently informed of the unjust and hostile Proceedings of the French Officers, as well Civil as Military against the Electors, Princes, and States of the Empire, and their Territories, contrary to the said Peace of Nimeguen; which confirms that of Westphalia; insomuch, that there seems nothing left

of the Peace, but the specious name of it. That the Princes who have been thus injured, having thereupon demanded Relief of the Dyet, they had thought it their part to represent the same to the most Christian King; and though they cannot but expect from his Justice and Equity, that he will have a Regard to their Desires; yet they have thought it necessary, in the name of the Princes and States of the Empire, to acquaint His Majesty (of Great Britain) as the Common Mediator, by whose Authority and Guaranty the said Peace was concluded, with what has been acted in so unusual and hostile a manner, and to pray His Majesty, that for the Royal Zeal wh ch he has on all occasions so Gloriously employed for the publick tranquillity, he would represent what has been thus done, to the prejudice of the publick Peace, to the most Christian King, and would interpose His Royal Offices, to the end these Violences may cease, and things may be restored to their former state, and greater Evils prevented; and that the Disputes which have arisen, may amicably be determined by the Arbitrage long since agreed to, or any other legal way.

Which as it becomes the Faith and Justice of the Publick Treaties, so His Majesty will do therein a thing acceptable to God and all Christendom, and Glorious to Himself, and will oblige the Electors, Princes, and States of the Empire, to acknowledge his great Affection and Good Will towards them, and to study on their part to deserve the same.

Francfort, Aug. 8. The Electoral Prince Palatine, and his Princels, are passed through this City on their way to Holland; and it's said the Prince is going for England!

Cologne, Aug. 9. The Stadtholder of Friesland, who came hither some days since, is parted again for Diest.

Hague, Aug. 13. The States-General having lately sent Capt. Van Hill to the French Court, with Letters to that King, and Monsieur Colbert his Secretary of State, in which they desired a farther Prolongation of the Term, for the Spaniards to Declare themselves in, concerning the Title of Duke of Burgundy; This morning arrived here an Express with Letters to the States, informing them, that that King had directed his Ambassador here, the Count d'Avaux, to give them his Answer thereupon, which we shall know in a day or two what it is. The Emperors Minister here has presented a Memorial to the States-General, in which he tells them, That by Order of his Imperial Majesty, he was to acquaint them, that the Officers of the most Christian King had already seized great part of the Territories of the Elector Palatine, and that it is to be feared they will do the like with the rest of his Countrey, on pretence of Dependencies, and other Rights, which they search Antiquity for, even to the time of King Dagobert. The Elector of Trier has already suffered a like Treatment, and that other Princes of the Empire are exposed to the same dangers, and particularly the City of Strasburg, which being contrary to the Peace of Nimeguen, the preservation of which is not only necessary to the quiet of Germany, but likewise to the good of this

State, whose Interest it is no less, to have a good Barriere towards the Rhine, than towards the Spanish Netherlands; He desires the said States would eventually employ their Offices at the French Court, to the end these Contraventions may cease. This morning the Duke of Bouillon parted from hence for the French Court, but the Countess de Soissons will remain here some time longer. The Prince and Princess of Orange desigining to continue at Dieren till the beginning of the next month, Mr. Sidney intends to go and wait upon their Highnesses there.

Amsterdam, Aug. 13. From *Hydelberg* we have an Account, that the Elector Palatine is sending the Prince his Son into *England*, and that his Highness was already on his journey hither, in order to his embarking in the *Maes*, on a man of War which the Admiralty here has been desired to furnish for that purpose. In a day or two we shall know the French Kings Answer to the States-General, upon their desiring to have the term sett the Spanish Commissioners at *Courtray*, in the matter of the Title of *Burgundy*, farther prolonged; for we are assured that the French Ambassador at the *Hague*, has received Instructions to acquaint the States with it; and its said, the said Term is prolonged to the 15th of *September*.

Brussels, Aug. 17. The French Court is at present at *Rocro*, from whence it will remove again to-morrow to *Mazieres* on the *Meuse*. The King during his stay at *Philippeville*, ordered great alterations to be made in the Fortifications of that place. We are told that that King has lately made an Edict, Declaring, that he will not admit of any Sale or Mortgage which has been heretofore made by the King of *Spain*, or any of his Officers, of Lands belonging to the Crown, by which, several particular people will suffer exreamly, and be turned out of all they have. And by another Edict the King requires that all such as hold any Fiefs, shall pay to him one years Revenue in every Twenty year.

Paris, Aug. 17. We have Advice that the 24th of *June*; the Count d' *Estree* arrived with his Squadron at *Martinico*; that he intended to sail again from thence the 4th of *July*, to visit the Coasts of *America*, and to return to *Martinico* about the end of *October*. The 14th their Majesties and the whole Court came to *Philipville*.

Falmouth, Aug. 5. Very great quantities of Pilchards are taken on these Coasts, beyond what has been known in several years. The second Inlant put to Sea the *George of London*, bound for *Guinea*, the *Content of London*, bound for *New-York*, and the *Arms of Biscay* bound for *Bilboa*, with several other Vessels.

Plymouth, August 4. The fourth Instant arrived here His Majesties Ship the *Swallow* from *Cadix*, and yesterday failed again for the *Downs*. The *Norwich* Frigate is now here, with several Merchant Ships under her Convoy, bound for the *West Indies*.

Portsmouth, Aug. 8. Yesterday came into this Harbor, the *Falcon* to be refitted; and in the Evening the *Sweepstakes*, and the Merchant-men under her Convoy, weighed from *Spithead*, and came to an Anchor at *St. Helens-point*.

Deal, Aug. 8. Yesterday passed by about 50 sail of Ships, being the Dutch Fleet of Merchantmen bound home from the *Streights*.

Lime, Aug. 9. The 7th Instant arrived here the *William of Weymouth* from *Portugal*; the Master says, he heard that one of the Kings Ships had lately taken an *Algerine*, but can give no particulars.

Windsor, Aug. 5. His Majesty having in consideration of the great Abilities, and twenty years faithful Service of *Fines Pett*, Esq; in the Employment of Master Shipwright of his Yard at *Chatham*, been pleased to advance him to the place of one of the Principal Officers and Commissioners of His Navy, in the place of Sir *Anthony Dean*, whom His Majesty (at his humble Suit) has permitted to quit the same; His Majesty as a farther mark of his Favour to the said Mr. *Pett*, was this day pleased to confer upon him the Honor of Knighthood.

Windsor, Aug. 9. This day His Majesty was pleased to confer the Honor of Knighthood upon *Jonas Moore* Esq; Master Surveyor of His Majesties Ordnance and Armories; His Majesty being pleased to give him this Mark of His Favour, as well in consideration of his own Abilities, as of the faithful Services of his Father Sir *Jonas Moore* Deceased.

Whitehal, Aug. 7. His Majesty has been pleased to nominate the Right Honourable Sir *William Temple*, Baronet, one of His Privy Council, to go His Ambassador Extraordinary to the King of *Spain*.

Whitehal, Aug. 11. At the late Assizes held at Exeter for the County of *Devon*, the Grand Jury for the Body of the said County, made the following Declaration,

Being very sensible of the restless endeavours of some jealous Persons, to fill the Heads of the People with Jealousies and Discontents against the Government, and to affront the King (whom God long preserve) with Petitions for the Sitting of this Parliament; which after His Majesties loyal Proclamation, is an unparalel'd violation of their Duty.

We the Grand Jury for the Body of the County of *Devon*, do solemnly protest against such Proceedings; and do humbly and Gratefully Acknowledge His Majesties great care of Us, in checking and discouraging such a sloyal Proceedings, which tend to the subverting the fundamental Laws, Religion and Government; and the bringing the Kingdom into the Ruine, Confusion, and Disorder, which it lately so miserably suffer'd under. We therefore, that we might not show less Zea for the preservation of His Sacred Person, and for the Peace of the Kingdom, which will inevitably be endangered by such mutinous Practices, than other Loyal Counties have done, have thought it our Duty to make this Declaration of our Loyalty and Fidelity to His Majesty, and Obedience and Submission to His Laws.

Signed by the said Grand Jury.

Advertisements.

Run away the 9th of his Instant, from *Simon Fawcett*, Esq; one Frenchman, his Servant, with a sum of Money; he is about 25 years of age very swarthy Complexion, a round Visage, great Grey Eyes, a little fear, scarcely perceivable on his left Hand, between his Thumb and his fore Finger, dark short Hair, sometimes wears a Periwig, mounted on a little Grey Nag about 31 price. Hea iten about the Shoulders about 13 hands high, with a Curb Bridle; Whoever gives notice of him to Mr. *Birdsall* the sign of the Nags. Heads in *Worcestershire*, over against the Church, or to Mr. *Birdsall* in *Shropshire* near *Cowbridge* shall have two Guineas Reward.

The House of a person of Quality being lately broken, there was lost thence one large Silver Pocket, with 3 leas to it, a long Handle, a Cover made to go within the same, and will contain three or four Quarts, having no Arms or Stamp upon it more than the Goldsmiths mark. One Sugar-Box, a Spoon to it, made with four half-round Corners, with a Hasp to fasten it on one side, and will contain in it about one pound of Sugar. A large Silver Ladle, with a Fork at the end one Spoon marked with a P. and two Drinking Jacks of Leather, edged round with Silver. Whoever gives notice of this Plate to Mr. *Knight*, Grocer in *Breadstreet*, or to *John Litch* of *Bradwell* in the County of *Essex*, shall have 51 reward for the whole, or proportionably to what shall be discovered and received.