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Malagā, July 2. N. S.

**T**HE Garifon of *Barcelona* make a very brave defence; The French have already lost a great many Men; and receive great disturbance from the Miquelets; The Spaniards are sending more Forces thither; Several Sateas are arrived here from *Ceuta*; having on board 1000 Soldiers, who will depart for *Catalonia* with the first fair Wind. The Garifon of *Ceuta* are now in so good a Condition, and the Place so well Fortified, that they are under no Apprehensions of the *Moor*s, who on the other hand are grown weary of the Siege, being discouraged by the great Losses they have sustained, and the little prospect they have of better success for the future; Two thousand Negroes, part of the Forces that lay before the Town, had received Orders from *Muly Ismael* to march away, and to join some other Forces he had commanded towards *Suz*; the Inhabitants whereof were in Arms against him; Two Pieces of Cannon and a Mortar were likewise ordered to be sent from the Camp before *Ceuta*, and the Alcaide *Ali*, had received Directions to make a Peace or Truce with the Spaniards; This advice came yesterday by a Boat from thence. This day arrived here the *Cloudfly* Galley and the *Mazareen*, both bound home, having been 3 weeks in their Voyage hither from *Legborne*; The *African* is likewise come into this Port from *Genoua*. A Dutch Merchant Ship, of 30 Guns, called the *Levant*, Capt. *Van Dale* Commander, has been 3 or 4 days in this Road, who off *Sardinia* fought a French Privateer of 44 Guns several hours, and at last the French bore away.

*Madrid*, July 10. Their Catholick Majesties continue in very good Health. The Letters from the Spanish Camp, about two Leagues from *Barcelona*, dated the 6th of this month, give an account, that on the 4th the French made a great Attack, which lasted from 12 at night till 3 the next morning: They endeavoured three several times to pass the *Palisadoes*, but the Spaniards as often beat them off with Sword in hand, and pursued them a good way; They assure us, that the French lost in these three Attacks above 2500 Men; and some who were present in the Action say above 3000; for that of 8 Regiments who made the last Attack, much the greatest part were killed or wounded; on our side about 400 were killed and wounded; and among these divers Officers, *viz.* a Lieutenant Colonel of the *Bavarians*, a Lieutenant Colonel of the *Imperialists*, the Serjeant Major of the Regiment of the *Coasts*, the Serjeant Major of the *Red Regiment*, three Captains of the same, and several reformed Officers, killed; the Colonel of the Regiment of *Toledo*, the Colonel of the *Red Regiment*, the Colonel of the *Blue Regiment*, and some other Officers wounded. Part of the Spanish Horse are posted at *Cornelle* with the *Miquelets* and *Sommetans*, who give the Enemy frequent Allarms, and do them much mischief. The

French have ruined part of the Town with their Bombs, but this does not dishearten the Inhabitants, who, as well as the Garifon, are resolved to defend it to the last Extremity: 'Tis certain, the French did not expect such Resistance. On the 6th Instant were sent into *Barcelona* (which continues open on one side) several of the Troops that were posted towards the Mountains, as also the Regiment of *Valentia*, and the Viceroy intended to send them further Supplies. In the mean time 1000 Men are sent by Sea from *Malaga* to *Catalonia*, and several Regiments are marching thither from *Navarre*. We have advice that the *Moor*s desire a Peace with the Garifon of *Ceuta*; but they demand a Sum of Money which the Spaniards will not give them.

*Corunna*, July 20. The last Letters from *Madrid*, which are dated the 10th of this month, say, *Barcelona* is very well defended; The Garifon have made several Sallies with very good Success, repulsed the Enemy in 3 Attacks they made the 4th in order to lodge themselves on the Counterescarp, and killed 3000 of their Men; The Besieged have made an Intrenchment within the Town from *St. Peter's-Street* to that called the *Turina*, and have pulled down several Houses near the new Gate which might favour the Enemies approach. They have a free Communication with the Spanish Forces that lie about two Leagues off, under the Command of the Viceroy, and can on that side receive Supplies both of Men and Provisions. Count *Lobcowitz*, the Emperor's Ambassador, has left *Madrid* in order to his return home; and the Count *de Harach* is arrived there to succeed him in that Employment.

*Legborne*, July 1. On the 24th past arrived here the *Degrave*, Capt. *Young* Commander, from *England*; who will in few days proceed for *Smirna*. The *Charles*, Capt. *Pickering*, failed hence the last week to Cruize.

*Milan*, July 3. The Marquis *de Leganes* has received Orders from the Court of *Spain* to Disband part of the Forces in the Service of this State; and has had several meetings with the General Officers about putting them in Execution. The Marquis *de Radanasco*, who was lately sent to the Princes of *Italy* to sollicit the Payment of the Arrears of Contributions which they agreed to pay the German Forces, upon their departure out of this Country, is returned hither, having had but little success in this Negotiation.

Venice,

*Venice, July 5.* The Venetian Fleet, by our last advice from the Levant, was still at Napoli di Romania, staying for the Convoys they expected from hence, after whose arrival the Captain General would hasten to Sea, intending to sail to the Archipelago, and to endeavour to Fight the Turkish Fleet. They write from Dalmatia, that the Morlacks were assembled together to the number of 6 or 7000, that they had made great Spoil within the Ortoman Territories, and taken a Castle in which the Turks had a Garrison of 80 Men: That the Basha of Bosnia had likewise drawn all the Forces he could together, as well to secure the Country against these Incurfions, as to endeavour the Relief of *Bihatz* on the Frontiers of Croatia, which was Besieged by the Imperialists. There are advices from Turkey by the way of Ragusa, which say, the Grand Signior departed from Adrianople the 17th of the last month towards Hungary, having sent some of the most Experienced Basha's to command against the Moscovites, whose great Preparations for carrying on the War continue to give the Turks a great Alarm. The Pope's Galleys having joined those of Malta at Messina, are proceeded together to the Levant. The Letters from Rome tell us, The Constable of Colonna had on St. Peter's Day performed, as Ambassador Extraordinary from the King of Spain, the Ceremony of presenting to the Pope the usual Tribute for the Kingdom of Naples. The Count d'Alcamira, who is to reside at Rome as Ambassador from Spain, had made his publick Entry there, but there was yet no time appointed for his publick Audience.

*Falmouth, July 17.* On the 14th passed by this Port the outward-bound West-India Fleet, under Convoy of the Norwich, and several other Men of War. On the 15th came in the Spanish Expedition in 5 days from the Groyne.

*Plimouth, July 18.* The 15th came in here two Zealand Privateers, and brought in with them two small French Privateers of two Guns each, and two other Prizes laden with Wine. The *Plimouth, Medway, Anglesey* and *Severne* sailed yesterday to the Westward; and 14 sail of Coasters came in here with their Convoy from *Milsford, The Dover, Griffin, and Phoenix* are now under sail, being bound to the Fleet.

*Portsmouth, July 20.* Yesterday morning came in His Majesty's Ships *Russell, Pendennis*, and two Dutch Men of War, with several Merchant Ships and Coasters from the Downes.

The Mail from Holland of Friday last is not yet come in.

Whereas the Right Honourable the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury have (in pursuance of an Act of Parliament passed the last Session, Entituled, An Act for Restraining the Number and Ill Practices of Brokers and Stock-Jobbers) been pleased to appoint Joseph Ferdinando, George Guy, Moses Barrow, Benjamin Levi, William Hatton, Charles Toriano, Samuel Proctor, Jacob Coutris, Francis de Castares, Thomas Harrifop, Phesant Crisp, Josiah Davis, Henry Corigno, Philip de Golsé, Abraham Cardel, James Causton, John Castaing, Thomas Lewis, John Forbes, and Abraham Wilmer Brokers, to Act and Deal in Tallies, Exchequer Bills, and other Securities upon Parliamentary Funds. These are to give Notice to all other Brokers, pretended Merchants and Stock-Jobbers, That they do not presume upon any pretence whatsoever to Act and Negotiate in any Parliamentary Securities; upon pain of incurring the Penalties of the said Act; for that due Care shall be taken to prosecute such as shall Offend therein.

By Order of the Commissioners of His Majesty's Revenue of Excise, Notice is hereby given, That all Persons having Tallies of Pro struck upon the Hereditary and Temporary Excise which are not Numbered, are desired to send them to the General Excise Office in Broadstreet, London, to be Numbered, for prevention of such inconvenience as otherwise may attend them.

The Managers of the Lottery on Malt give Notice, That on Tuesday the 27th Instant they will begin to call off the numbred Tickets, and to mix the Blanks and Prizes, in Guildhall, London, in order to Drawing on the 10th of August, 1697. That the Persons concerned may (if they please) be present, pursuant to the Directions of the Act of Parliament.

Advertisements.

These are to give Notice, That I. ENGLISH, who makes the famous Dr. ANDERSON'S, or only True SCOTTS' PILLS, is removed from the Strand and Pen in Longacre to the GOLDEN UNICORN over against the Maypole in the Strand, where the said Pills are to be had, with Directions how to Use and Distinguish them, in order to prevent Abuse by Cheats and Counterfeits from Scotland, as well as in and about London.

Fifteen Sermons Preach'd upon several Occasions, upon various subjects, by John Cockburn, D. D. Printed for William Kebelwaite, at the Swan in St. Paul's Church-yard. Joseph Feils, Goldsmith, having delivered his Estate and Effects to Trustees pursuant to an Agreement between him and his Creditors; All Persons who have any Plate, Jewells or other things in the hands of the said Feils, as a Security for Money, are desired to pay such Money to Mr. Redknapp, Upholder, at the Cock in Wyndstreet, otherwise their things will be disposed of; and all others who are Indebted to the said Feils, are desired to pay such Debts to the said Mr. Redknapp, who will give them a Legal Discharge.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Henry Harvey, late of Laurence-lane, London, intend to meet on Wednesday the 28th Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon, at the Sign of the Baker and Basket in Hog-lane near Shoreditch (part of the Bankrupt's Freehold Estate) there to execute some Conveyances of the same; And such Persons as pretend claim to the said Estate, may then meet the Commissioners, in order that the said Commissioners may have Satisfaction given them, how and to whom they may pay their Debts. And the Persons have their Bills transferred to the Bankrupt's Scrivener or his friends, are desired to meet at the same time, that they also may know how they may pay the same.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Samuel Ward, late of St. Saviour's Southwark, Cooper, intend to make a Dividend of the said Ward's Estate, on Tuesday the 3d of August next, at two in the Afternoon, at Vincennes Coffee-House in 3 Crown Court in Southwark, where all the Creditors of the said Ward, who have not paid their Contribution Money, are to pay the same, and prove their Debts, otherwise they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

Large House in St. Albans, most of the Rooms Wainscoted, conveniences for a Coach and Stables, and suitable acceries for the Ourbones for Brewing, &c. together with large Gardens and Orchard, is to be Sold or Lett: Inquire at the Mill'd Lead Sign in Aungate street by Red-Lion-Square, or at Mr Edward Box-fell's in St. Albans.

At Leicester, the Crane Inn, in the Goltre-Gate, near the Market Place (being a very great Road to the North of England) is to be Lett ready furnished or sold: Being a very large Inn, with good Conveniences, a Cock-Pit and Garden behind it. Enquire of Mr. Thompson, at the Harp in Newgate-Market, or of Mr Ayres in Leicester.

On the 8th Instant, a Bill of 20 l. drawn by Katherine Scovel on George Heaton, at the Golden Boy in the Strand, dated March 11. 1697. payable to John Ainge the 10th of June last, having some Indorsements. All Persons are forbid taking it in Payment.

On some days since some Writings belonging to Mr John Whitley, with his Name in them, and of no use to any but himself. Whoever brings them to Mr. Thomas Jack's, at Cole's Coffee-House in Birch-lane, London, shall have 5 s. Reward.

The Salt Works of Samuel Acton in Nampwich, all Persons may have good Nampwich Salt, at 6 Pence a Bushel over and above the King's Duty, which is 20 Pence, that is in all two Shillings and two Pence, ready Money.

John Dunster, aged 16, with a sad colour Frize Coat, Calmance Waistcoat and Breches with red Stripes, his Hair being cut, lately ran away from his Master. Whoever gives notice to him to Matthias Saffitti, Chymist in Grubbstreet, London, or to Mr Henry Hearne, Apothecary in Crewkhearne, so that he may be secured, shall have two Guineas Reward and Charges.

Thomas Smith, a pretty tall Man, wearing his own Hair, a coloured Coat, a small Scar over his left Eye, aged about 30, supposed to be born near Exeter, lately Rid away with a brown Bay Mare, 14 hands and an Inch high, 6 years old; with a Saddle and Bridle; The Mare hath been Staked, with a Swelling on the left Side near the Girth, a Scar on the near Buckle, hath been Rowled, has a blemish on her near Eye, a white Star in her forehead, Trot and Gallops well. Whoever secures the said Thomas Smith and Mare, and gives notice to Mr John Browne, at the Coach and Horses in St. Martin's Lane near Longacre, London, shall have two Guineas; or a Guinea and Reasonable Charges for the Mare.

Taken the latter end of June last, out of Fumbridge-Wall Marsh, in Essex, a black brown Gelding, above 14 hands, 7 years old; some small Saddle spots, Main almost half born, a long lower Head, Trot and Gallops, and Paces a little. Whoever gives notice of him to Mr Edw. Hawker, of Great-Baddow in Essex; or to Mr James Carpenter, at the Black Bull Inn without Aldgate, London, so as he may be had again, shall have 20 s. Reward and reasonable Charges.