

sected, before he leaves these Countries, and to that end, will be present himself there, to see all hands set on work.

The Prince of *Mechelenburgh* some days since passed through this place for *Aeth*.

Hamborough, June 12. By private letters from *Brunswick* we are told, that the Inhabitants are unanimously resolved to defend the place, so far as that they are ready to accuse those of Treason, that offer but to mention the contrary: That they were in a better condition then was at first thought; and, That they were with great resolution preparing to receive the Attacques of the Enemy, who were approached with their Works within shot of their Fortifications, but had not as yet fired one gun against the Place.

From *Warsaw* we hear of a great Body of Tartars that were come into the *Ukrain*, to joyn as was thought with the Cossacks there, and then to attempt some of the Frontier places of that Kingdom. That the King had given positive directions for the making every thing ready, in order to his going into the Field in person the 20th of the next Month, against which time he hath summoned all the Nobility of the Kingdom to appear in Arms, in the head of whom his Majesty is resolved to face the Stern that seems at present to threaten those Countries.

The Grand Marshal *Sobieski* is going thence for *Lepol*, to secure in the interim those parts against any suddain surprize from the Infidels.

Hague, June 16. Tomorrow as we are told, his Highness the Prince of *Orange* goes hence, accompanied with several persons of Quality, towards the Camp before *Brunswick*; and at the same time it is likewise said, the Ambassador *de Groot* will set forward on his return to the French Court. On Friday last went hence several Deputies from the Council of State towards *Mastricht*, and those other Frontier places, to see that all things be in a good condition there, and that nothing be wanting for their security and defence.

Our Fleet, consisting of 18 men of War, 4 Frigats, 4 Fireships, and other small Advice-Boats, continues plying on the Coast of *Zealand*; we are told, that the Squadron of the Province of *Groningen*, is likewise put to Sea to joyn with them; but of this, we have as yet no certainty.

With much satisfaction we receive the news of the safe arrival of 11. of our *East India* ships; Five of which, are for the Account of the Chamber of *Amsterdam*, and are already come up near to that place. By Letters from the *Lunenburgh* Army before *Brunswick*, of the 9th instant we have advice, that the great discourse they had there of an accommodation with the Town, was quite come to nothing; that now they were endeavoring with all the industry imaginable to approach it, and to bring their great Guns to bear upon the place, so as to do most execution; that in the mean time they had sent in another Trumpeter, to persuade those Inhabitants to submit themselves, before they began their Batteries and made use of their power to force them to it; And that upon his return, unless the answer were to their satisfaction, they would proceed to attacke the place with all the force they could.

From *Bylevelt* we are told, of some difficulties that are risen there, concerning the admitting of the Deputies of the Princes of *Zell* and *Hanover*, as Mediators at that Treaty, which the Deputies from the Bishop of *Munster*, will by no means be brought to allow of, and those from the Duke of *Wolfembutel* as obstinately insist upon; how they

will conclude the matter is not known, but in the mean time the Treaty advances but little.

From *Cologn* they write of the 12th instant, that the Preliminary Treaty between them and that Elector, goes on but slowly, by reason his Electoral Highness still persists in his demands, of having several of the Inhabitants delivered up to him, and the new Fortifications of the Town demolished, &c. however, that they are not without hopes, that all things will yet do well, through the continual endeavors of the Mediators, who on the 17th instant are to bring in such Proposals, as they shall find most equal for the concluding these differences; in the mean time the Great Council (consisting of 44 Senators) is to meet within few days, to consult about the means for raising of Money towards the support of their present extraordinary expences. The Fortifications at *Engelsteen* are almost finished, which will be of great strength and security to the Town.

Paris, June 16. From the Court at *Tournay*, we have letters which advise us, that the Marquis *de Sillery*, and Monsieur *de Ruigni* were returned thither from *Holland*, where they had been out of curiosity to see those parts: That the King had ordered a hundred pieces of great Cannon to be brought from *Douay*, to be placed in the Citadel there: That there was a report of Commissions to be given out by the King for the making of new Leavies to reinforce his Army: That their Majesties had thoughts to depart the fifteenth instant with the whole Court for *Aeth*, where his Majesty intended to stay about eight days, and then make a step to visit *Binche*, *Charleroy* and *Philipville*, and so to return to *Aeth* again; from whence their Majesties are expected here about the tenth of the next month.

Chester, June 10. On Monday last was sevensnight, his Excellency *John Lord Berkeley*, Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*, parted from *Dublin* to *Rings-end*, accompanied by all the Nobility and persons of Quality about Town in their Coaches, where his Excellency embarked on one of His Majesties Yachts, in order to his passing over into *England*, but the winds proving contrary, his Excellency was hindered in his passage, and forced to go on shoar again at *Dunlary*, Six miles from *Dublin*, where he continued till the 5th instant, when his Excellency embarked again with a fair wind, and the 6th safely arrived here; the next day his Excellency proceeded on his way for *Windfor*, to attend His Majesty there.

Whitehall, June 13. Yesterday about ten a clock in the morning, His Majesty, accompanied by His Royal Highness, and attended by several of the Nobility and other Principal persons of the Court, arrived here from *Windfor*; and having dined with Her Majesty at *Somerset-house*, about six in the Evening returned again, together with His Royal Highness for *Windfor*; as did also Her Majesty with Her Court.

London, June 14. Yesterday the Right Reverend Father in God *Walter* late Lord Bishop of *Oxon*, was at *St Mary's Savoy*, in the presence of all the Bishops in Town, with the usuall Solemnity, Translated to the See of *Worcester*.

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IF any man having taken up a broad Parchment Indenture, with one Seal, lost between Three and Four of the clock in the afternoon, on Wednesday the 7th instant, between *Red-Cross-street* and *Goldhall London*, or between *Goldball* and *Cherchside in King-street*, will give notice thereof to Mr. *Sweene* at the Sign of the *Ows-face* in *Aldermanbury*, he shall be rewarded for his pains.