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Stockholm, June 15.

ON Thursday the 9th Instant the King of Sweden, accompanied by Field Marshal Count Ducker, Lieutenant General Cronstedt, and some other Officers, went down to view the new Fortifications that are making at the Castle of Waxholm, which guards the most important Passage of the River up to this City, and on Saturday in the Evening his Majesty returned to the Palace of Carlberg. The same Day a Muscovite Ship arrived here with some of Baron Cederhielm's Servants and others of his Retinue, who give an Account, that on the 3d of this Month they saw the British Squadron under the Command of Sir Charles Wager, lying at Anchor within a League of Revel; they also report, that some Days before they met a Frigate with British Colours standing towards Cronslot: And by Letters from Petersbourg of the 3d of this Month, which came two Days ago by the ordinary Finnish Mail, we have Advice that his Britannick Majesty's Ship the Port Mahon was come to Cronslot, and had brought a Letter from his Majesty to the Czarina, which was sent up to Petersbourg. It was said the Czarina intended to send an Answer to Admiral Wager, by a Frigate of her own.

Hague, July 9, N. S. The States of the Province of Holland having desisted from the several Points which had hitherto retarded the settling of the Act of Accession of this Republick to the Treaty of Hanover, the British French and Prussian Ministers were invited Yesterday to a Conference with the Deputies of the States-General, in which the Act of Accession as agreed to by the said Province was communicated to them, which being intirely approved, there is no room left to doubt but that this Affair will in a short time be brought to a final Conclusion.

Whitehall, July 5.

By Advices received by the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty from Vice-Admiral Hoffer, he was with the Squadron under his Command in Tiberoon Bay, on the Coast of Hispaniola, and was joined from Jamaica the 21st of May last by His Majesty's Ships the Dragon, Winchelsea, Greyhound, and Spence Sloop, and daily expected the Diamond from thence.

Whitehall, July 4.

Whereas it has been represented to His Majesty, on the Behalf of a considerable Number of Mercers and other Shopkeepers living within the Cities of London and Westminster, That by a Combination between Shoplifters and Receivers of stolen Goods, great Quantities of Silks have within a few Months past been stolen out of their Shops; and Two Persons now in Custody for being concerned in those Facts having given Information against their Confederates, several of whom have absconded from their usual Places of Abode, and particularly Mary Burton alias Ravenscroft, Catherine Fitzpatrick alias Green alias Boswell, and Baker; His Majesty is pleased to promise a Reward of Fifty Pounds for the taking of each of those Offenders, so as they or any of them be brought to Justice; and also His most gracious Pardon to any Offender in that Kind, who shall discover and cause to be apprehended two or more of their Accomplices, so as they be convicted.

TOWNSHEND.

Vintners-Hall, June 10, 1726.

The Worshipful Company of Vintners, London, do hereby give Notice, That all Persons having any of the Company's Bonds, produce the same to the Master and Wardens of the Company, at their Hall in Thames-Street, London, on or before Michaelmas-Day next, in order to receive the same, otherwise that Interest thereon shall cease from that Time.

By Order of a Court of Assistance.

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