

Gulph of *Terra Nova*, on the North-East side of *Sardinia*, where sending his Boat on shore, he had Intelligence that four of the Enemy's *Saetias* were in that Gulph, which he seized, two of them belonging to *France*, and the other to *Sicily*. The chief Commanders, and the four hundred Troops which were in them, had taken the Town of *Terra Nova*, situate at the Head of a Lake, six Miles farther than the Ships of War could go, whereupon the Troops were landed as soon as it was Day, under Command of General *Brown*, to whom the Town surrender'd. They embarked the next Day, as it was resolv'd, for *Cagliari*; but having Advice that the Duke of *Tursis*, who intended to land his Men near *Sassari*, hearing of the Approach of our Ships was sail'd away to the Northward, towards *Adjazzo* in *Corfica*, it was concluded to follow him, and to destroy his Gallies, even though they were under the Cover of the Cannon of any Place in that Island.

Four *Saetias* seized in the Gulph of *Terra Nova*.

*Terra Nova* retaken from the Enemy.

Resolv'd to proceed after the Duke of *Tursis's* Gallies.

On the 9th of *June* Sir *John Norris* was informed the Duke was gone with his Gallies the Night before from the Gulph of *Adjazzo* towards *Cape Calvi*, about twelve Leagues farther to the Northward, but that his seven *Saetias* were at an Anchor with six hundred Men, and his Ammunition, near *Adjazzo*, upon which it was propos'd to the *Dutch* Flag to attempt them there, but he declined it, since it was a Neutral Port. However Sir *John Norris* let the Governor know that he was in Pursuit of the Enemy, and desired he would not permit them to land, assuring him that if he endeavour'd to hinder his attempting them, by firing on his Ships from the Castle, he should esteem it as an Act of Hostility; but this the Governor promised he would not do.

It was now but little Wind, and before he could reach the Port, the Enemy, who were gotten on shore, had betaken themselves to the Mountains, but he seized on their Vessels and Provisions. The Governor sent to Sir *John Norris*, and desired he would not land the Troops, assuring him that the Enemy should not be admitted into any of their Towns, nor be furnished with Subsistence; and since the pursuing them would have been very difficult, had our Men been put on shore, it was resolv'd to proceed to *Barcelona*, where he arriv'd the 18th of *June*, and the King of *Spain* desiring that part of the Troops might be landed in *Valencia*, and that the Fleet might be as soon as possible at *Tarragona*, it was resolv'd to proceed thither, and that Vice-Admiral *Baker* should follow.

The Vessels with the Duke of *Tursis's* Provisions seized.

Sir *John Norris* arrives at *Barcelona*.

The 20th he arriv'd at *Tarragona*, and the King having recommended it to him that, after the Troops were landed, an Attempt might be made on *Vineros*, a small Town on the Coast of *Valencia*, and the Magazines which the Enemy had therein, as also that a Convoy might be appointed to three hundred Horses from *Sardinia*, and that then the Fleet might be divided, so as that one part might appear on the Coast of *Valencia*, while the other lay on that of *Roussillon* at the same time, he sail'd from *Tarragona*, and joining Vice-Admiral *Baker*, with five Ships of the Third Rate, and a Fireship, he order'd as strong a Detachment as he could spare from the Fleet, together with the Boats, and sent in the small Frigates to

The Fleet comes off of *Tarragona*.

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