

**Wichel.** The passage of Letters between these Provinces and *Sweden*, is now finally settled, and the Mail to be made up at *Amsterdam*, sealed with the Seal of that City, and sent from thence to the States Resident at *Copenhagen*, to be by him conveyed to *Elfsingburg*. The States of *Holland* are to meet the 29 instant, to consult about an additional Tax for defraying the charges of the Campaign. The States have resolved to send six Ships more to reinforce those that are at *Tobago*. The said Ships are to be commanded in chief by the *Sieur Tobias*, and are daily expected from *Portugal*, whither they were sent some time since to lade Salt. The *Omlanders* have presented another Memorial this week against those of *Groningen*, whose Rights it is said the Province of *Friesland*, have past a resolution to maintain, not allowing the States General to have any decision in the differences depending between them. *Dittb*, June 22. The Deputies of the respective Admiralties have given the States an account of the preparations made for the Squadrons to be sent to *Sicily* and *Tobago*. The ships designed for the *Baltick*, being all ready, and fallen down into the *Texel*, will sail in few days. The last Letters from our Army were of the 19 instant, when the Prince continued encamped, as in our last, in expectation of the Confederate Troops. Yesterday the Pensioner returned hither from *Guelderland*, to be present at the opening the Assembly of the States of *Holland*, which is appointed to be the 29 instant. The States General have passed a resolution, that if the Town of *Groningen* do not within 15 days perform and execute the decision and sentence given by his Highness the Prince of *Orange*, and the States Deputies in the difference with those of *Omland*, they shall be excluded out of the Union.

*Antwerp*, June 19. The impatience here is great to hear what has passed between the Armies in *Lorraine*, for all people conclude they cannot avoid coming to a Battle. In the mean time several uncertain reports are spread abroad here, which are not worth the mentioning.

*Brussels*, June 22. This morning the Duke of *Luxemburg* decamped with his Army, and, as we are told, marches towards *Pieton*, intending this night to encamp at *Tabise*, on the other side of *Motre Dame de Halle*. We are told by persons of quality, who were lately prisoners in the French Army, and have narrowly viewed it, that their Army consists of 95 Squadrons of Horse, 4 Companies in each Squadron, and 40 effective in each Company; that the Foot are 36 Battalions, and 400 men in each Battalion; besides which, there are 4000 commanded in a distinct Body by the Baron de *Quincy* about *Oudenarde*, which are said to be now retired to *Pont St Pierre*. The French continue to desert in great numbers. Last night a party from our Camp at *Dighe*, took some few French Horse near *Grimberg*. We have in this our new encampment 2000 Spanish Horse, who are come from the other side of *Brabant*, to whom are joined two Regiments of Dutch Infantry, the whole commanded by *Don Francisco Marcos de Vedasso*. The rest of our Cavalry, which are coming from *Ghent* and other parts being arrived, we hope to have a Body of betwixt 4 and 5000 Horse and Dragoons of Spaniards, to join the Confederate Troops, who are now marching to us, those of *Munster* being very forward, and have a Train of Artillery of 24 pieces, 7 Mortar-pieces, and a great quantity of Engines for Fireworks of an Extraordinary nature. The Duke of *Neuburg* and Bishop of *Munster* have had a Conference with *Don Emanuel de Lyra* at the Abby of *Wer-*

*den*, and are again parted, the two first being returned to their own Courts, and the other to his station at the *Hague*. The *Osnabrug* Troops are preparing to march, the Bishop comes to *Cologne* to take a review of them, and then will return home, leaving the command of them to the Prince his Son, and under him to *Monsieur de Louvigny*. The *Lunenbug* Troops are also upon their march, which they begun, as we are assured by Letters from *Zell*, the 12 instant, being 6000 Horse and Dragoons, commanded by *Lieutenant General Chauvet*. Letters from the Imperial Army, dated the 12 instant at the Camp at *Chemery* say, that the French being so advantageously posted near *Pont à Mousson*, that it was impossible to force them, the Duke of *Lorraine* had thereupon resolved to decamp the next day, and march towards *Nancy*, to endeavor by that means to dislodge the French from that strong Post, or to force them to a Battle. We do not yet hear that the Prince of *Orange* is removed with his Army, he staying only in expectation of the Confederate Troops, who are on their march towards him. His Excellency is still at *Antwerp*, but expected this night, having obtained an extraordinary Subsidy of 300000 Florins for the supply of his present occasions. Here is a report, that the Baron de *Quincy* is dead of a Bloody Flux at *Tourney*, though without any great certainty.

*Paris*, June 23. Letters from *Nancy* of the 19 say, that the *Marschal de Crequi* was encamped at *Morville*; that the 15 there had been great shuffling between the two Armies; that the Duke of *Lorraine* was returned to his Camp at *Chemery*, and had received a Convoy of 300 Wagons with Provisions from *Troyes*, and expected another from *Luxemburg*.

#### Advertisements

These are to give Notice, That a Post will go from the General-Letter Office every night, during the Queens being at *Bath*; as also to *Tunbridge*, every night, during the Summer Season.

**R**obert Harper Apprentice to John Briant at the Golden Lion in *Catteen-street*, *London*, Warchouse-man, aged about 18 years, of a low stature, round visaged, of a palish complexion, and merry countenance, with short light brown hair a little curled, and full fleshy legs, clothed in a blew, red and greenish mixt serge close Coat and Breeches, and a white Hat in the fashion, with a black Hatband, and a bunch of black small Ribon, and a pair of Buckle Garters embroidered with Gold and Silver, Ran away from his said Master on the 15 day of June, with above two hundred pounds in money, besides what else undiscovered of his said Masters. Whosoever shall secure the said Robert Harper, and bring him unto the said Mr John Briant at the place aforesaid, shall have ten pound reward, and his charges borne.

**S**tolen May the 31, from John Garrard of *Lammer* Esq; in the County of *Hertsford*, six Salts, four marked with a Buck in an Oak, two without marks. Eight forks, two of them marked with a Leopard, the other six without marks. A Sugar Caster, Mustard Pot, and Pepper Box, marked a Lyon passant Guardant for the Man, and the three Martlets for the Womans Coat. Seven Spoons, four marked with a Buck in an Oak, the other three with three Bears heads. Two Chasing dishes unmarked. One great Tankard with four Lozenges in Fels, and three Bears heads erased in Chief, and upon an Escutcheon of Pretence, a Cheveron between three Birds. One little Tankard unmarked. Whoever can give notice to Mr. Samuel Garrard Grocer at the Pelican in Friday street, or to Mr. John Selcock at the Red Lyon in *St. Albans*, shall be very well rewarded.

**S**trayed or stolen the 12 instant, out of the Grounds of *Thos. Hudson* of *Newington-green*, a sorrel Nag, about 14 hands, coming eight years, a white blaze down the face, and a bob-tail. Whoever gives notice of him to Mr *Hudson* aforesaid, shall have 10s. Reward.

**L**ost the 14 instant, from Mr *Bull's* house in *St Martins Lane*, a little mouse-colour dun Bitch, exactly shaped like a Greyhound, her neck, belly and feet white, and nose naked. Whosoever brings the said Bitch to Mr *Bull* in *St Martins Lane*, shall have 500 Guineys Reward.