

Spartards were killed, and among them the Count de Fucres, the Marquis de Moral, and Viscount St George, and above 60 Officers taken Prisoners, of whose names they have sent us a List. What credit to give to these different Relations we know not; but this is certain; that three Royal Salvo's were the other day given in the French Camp for this Victory in *Catalonia*. His Excellency has received Bills of Exchange for a very considerable Sum of Money, which is very welcome.

Ditto. Our Letters from *Luxemburg* of the 18 instant say, that the Imperial Army was then encamped within a League and half of that City, being drawn up in three Lines, the right Wing at *Bettingberg*, and the left extending to *Vertinghen*, having *Luxemburg* on their back; that the Marechal de Crequi was come to *Mons St Jean*, within half a League of the Imperial Camp, there being between the two Armies a small Rivulet, and a narrow Way, however it was expected there would happen some action between them. The Letters add, that the Marechal de Schomberg understanding that the Marechal de Crequi had sent a Body of Horse towards *Alsace*, had detached the Cavalry that was with him to reinforce Marechal Crequi, and had put his Infantry into *Sedan*, *Pont à Mouzon*, *Montmedy*, *Mazieres*, and other neighbouring places. We are told from *Strasburg* of the 17, that the Duke of Saxe *Eylenach* had taken the Fort of *Hunningen* upon the *Rhine* within half a League from *Basle*; that the Sieur de *Moaclear* came with 2000 Horse too late to succor it, and so retired to *Brisac*, and that the Imperialists brought down their Bridge of Boats as they designed.

Ditto, July 27. On Sunday the Prince of Orange and the Confederate Armies decamped from their quarters near *Alost*, and marched to *Ninoue*. Yesterday they marched again, and encamped at *Grammont*, where they rest to day, and to morrow will march again, as is said towards the Duke of *Luxemburg*, who is encamped between *Aesh* and *Ligne*, having received a considerable reinforcement; so that, it is said, his Army consists in near 40000 men. We are in expectation to hear in 3 or 4 days of some action of importance. The Vessels, in which is the Prince of *Oranges* Artillery, are still at *Ghaunt*, expecting farther orders. Count *Waldeck* has left the Army very sick, and, as we understand, is brought to *Dendermond*. Yesterday arrived here a great Convoy from our Army, which will return to morrow. The Letters we receive from *Luxemburg* of the 23 tell us, that the 20 instant the Duke of *Lorraine* marched from *Bettingberg* to *Aumetz le Roman*, and the Marechal de Crequi to *Sancy*; that the next day the Duke of *Lorraine* sent out Major General *Schutz* to observe in what posture the Enemy lay, and upon his return his Highness went in person and viewed their Camp; and thereupon resolved to attack the Enemy in it; accordingly the necessary orders were given, and the night following the Army began to march, when his Highness received advice that the French had quitted their Camp, and were marching in great diligence towards *Verdun*; that the 22, by break of day, the Duke sent the Imperial Croats, and several Squadrons of Horse, with orders to fall upon the Enemies Rear. It is said the Marechal de Crequi has put himself between the Imperial Army and the *Meuse* to hinder their passing it.

Amsterdam, July 27. The Equipage designed for the *Mediterranean* has of late been carried on very vigorously, and all the ships of that Squadron that are fitted out by the Admiralty here, have passed the *Pampus*, and will be ready to sail very suddenly. It is said that this City has instructed their Deputies in the Assembly of the States of *Holland*, to endea-

vor that a mild resolution may be taken in the affair of *Groningen*; and that that matter be not pushed on to any extremity. We expect our next Letters from *Flanders* will bring some considerable News; for the Armies marched from *Alost* on Sunday with a resolution to attack the Duke of *Luxemburg* in his Camp between *Aesh* and *Ligne*, if he continued there. By a Vessel come in from the *Southern*, we have advice, that the Sieur *Guldenheer* Victory of *Norway*, was come with an Army of 10 or 12000 men very near to *Gottenburg*, which place at the same time was blocked up on the side of the Sea by several Danish Men of War.

Hague, July 27. The States of *Holland* are now assembled, but have not as yet come to any final resolution in the two main points before them, viz. concerning the affair of *Groningen*, and the raising of Monies for the defraying the expences of this Campaign. According to our last Letters we received from the Army, the resolution had been taken to march directly towards the Enemy, and to oblige them to a Battel, or else to quit the Post they have taken near *Aesh*, in which case they will besiege *Audenarde*, *Courtray*, or *Charleroy*; and the report here in Town has been since noon, that *Audenarde* was already invested; the Sieur *Bruering*, one of the Ambassadors of this State for the Treaty, has made a Step hither from *Ninomegum*; we cannot positively tell whether it be for publick or private affairs. The generality of people here are extremely desirous of peace, and are willing to believe that this Winter will produce one. We are told that the Prince of *Nassau* Governor of *Frisland* and *Groningen*, has written a Letter to the States, in which he proposes an Expedient for the laying aside for the present the difference between the City of *Groningen*, and the *Ommelanas*. We are told that the Duke of *Hanover* has renewed his Treaty with *France*.

Paris, July 28. The reports that were in Town when our last Letters went from hence of the siege of *Charleroy*, and the Kings intending to go to *Compiegne*, prove to have been both raised without any ground. In *Flanders* the Enemy have not as yet attempted any thing, nor can we yet learn what their design may be, though the general discourse is they will make some Siege. From *Metz* and *Luxemburg* they write of the 24 instant, and tell us, that the two Armies in those parts had made several marches; that the Marechal de Crequi observed the Imperialists very closely, and, as it is thought, would endeavour to hinder their passing the *Meuse*. From *Rome* we have an account of an ill accident happened to one of our Gallies that were at *Civita Vecchia*, which by the carelessness of a Seaman taking Tobacco, was blown up, and the Captain with all the other Officers and men, except about 50, lost.

Whitely, July 28. This day His Majesty was pleased to confer the Honour of Knighthood upon *Henry Dacers* Esq; late Agent for the *East India* Company at *Batavia* in *India*, having been presented to His Majesty by the Right Honourable *George Lord Berkeley*.

Advertisements.

THE Office of Clerk and Register of the Passes is now kept at Mr. *Thomas Gouan's* Coffee-house at *Saint Mary Hill* near *B Kingsgate*, where all persons concerned may apply themselves.

IF any having Incumbrance on the Estate of Mr. *Edward Harris* deceased, at *Svenfields* in *Essex*, midway between *Engerstone* and *Chelmsford*, shall within six months make out Title in writing unto *Sir Robert Wood*, who has lately purchased the same, and now dwells there; or unto *George Perrior* Esq; at the *Sun* in *Lothbury* near the *Exchange*, *London*, they shall without trouble receive satisfaction.

STolen or strayed out of the Grounds of Mr. *Jeremy Powell* Innkeeper at *Montgomery* in *Northwales*. the 16 instant, two Mares, one a light dapple gray, 8 years old, crop'd ears, and half thorn Mane, with all her paces, about 14 hands; the other a dun dapple gray, 6 years old, onely trots, a little gaul'd on the Navel gaul and the withers, about 14 hands. Whoever gives notice of them, or either of them to Mrs. *Perry* at the *Sun* in *Wrexham* in *Denbysire*, or to Mr. *William Ward* Haberdasher of Hats at the *Hair and Beaver* in *Fleetstr.*, shall have 20 s. Reward.

STrayed or stolen out of the Grounds of *Alexander James* at the *Golan Lyon* at *Kingsbridge* in the County of *Middlesex*, the 31 of *May* last, a black brown Mare with a russet Nose, about 14 hands and a half high 7 years old, the right hock behind bigger than the other in the spaven place, with a B on the near Buttock. Whoever gives notice of the said Mare to *Alexander James* aforesaid, or to Mr. *William Haynes* at the *High Cross* in *Bristol*, shall have 20 s. for a Reward.