

fo taken Prisoner. We have not any certain account of he Enemies loss; their Army is said to be between 14 and 15000 men strong. Our King is encamped under the Guns of Landjooon, and so soon as the Hessian Foot, which are expected here this night, shall have joined him, resolves to take the Field with his Army again.

Verdun, July 26. The 23d instant the Marechal de Créquy came and encamped with his Army at Brey and Gondrecourt, and the Duke of Lorraine on a small River which passes by Binécourt, about a League and half from hence; it is said he will march to Carignan.

Metz, July 26. The 16 instant General Major Dunois was detached with 2000 Horse from the Duke of Saxen-Eysenach's Camp towards Berfort, to observe the motion of the Troops sent to Monsieur de Monclar from Burgundy. We have Letters from Cigny-le-Franc which say, that the Duke of Lorraine had advanced with 40 Squadrons of Horse to view the Marechal de Créquy's Camp; that after having continued some time on an Eminence near it, he sent out 120 Volunteers, who for some hours maintained a brisk skirmish, but were at length repulsed into the Vanguard of their Army. The Enemies have lost several Officers of quality in this Action, and we the Ayde de Camp of the Marquis de Boufflairs; our General and Officers behaved themselves extraordinary well, and particularly the Marquis de Riverolles, and the Duke of Vendosme, who was twice engaged in the midst of the Imperial Cuirassiers. The next day the Enemies encamped at Mercy-le-Haut.

Paris, July 31. The Sieur de Penantier, who hath been a long time imprisoned, upon suspicion of being accessory to the death and poisoning of Monsieur d'Aubery, together with Madam Brinvilliers, was this week, upon his Tryal, acquitted thereof, and set at liberty. It is not yet said when his Majesty will leave Versailles. From Bruxelles they write, that the Confederates intend to besiege Charleroy or Oudenarde. The Duke of Luxembourg is encamped at Vliers, near Aeth, to observe their march. His Majesty being highly dissatisfied with the conduct of the Marquis de Nointil, his Ambassador at Constantinople, has recalled him from thence; who is to succeed him in that place, is not yet said. From Sicily we hear, that the Convoy of Provisions which was last sent from Tobolon, was arrived safe with them at Messina, and had landed the Soldiers at Agosta.

Bruxelles, Aug. 3. On Saturday last several Bilanders arrived here from Holland, being laden with Ammunition for the Prince of Orange's Army. On Sunday in the evening his Highness decamped from Grammont, and came yesterday to Enguien, from whence he sent a detachment of 10000 Horse and Dragoons to invest Charleroy. On Thursday the place will be formally besieged. At present our Army is encamped between Tubise and Hall, the Prince of Orange having his headquarters at St. Rhel. To morrow they will decamp, and march towards Nivelles, where the Boors and Pioneers from Brabant, Flanders, and Namur, who parted hence this morning, will join with them. This day the Prince of Orange's Cannon, consisting in 24 pieces of Demy-Cannon, two Mortar-pieces, and ten smaller pieces, came hither by water from Ghent, and will follow the Army in two or three days. On Sunday last a Convoy of 700 Horse and Dragoons arrived here from the Army with Ammunition-Wagons for Bread and other Provisions, and this day returned thither again. The Sickness begins to rage violently in our Camp, and yesterday 5 or 600 men were brought sick from it. The French Army, under the Duke of Luxembourg, continues about Aeth, without any appearance of moving towards Charleroy. We are told they will attempt something in Flanders, to prevent which the Marquis d'Offera is sent thither with a flying Body of 8 or 10000

men to secure that Province. Letters from Luxembourg of the 30 past, say, That the French Army was posted between Dampvilliers and Verdun, and the Duke of Lorraine between Marville and Montmedy. It is said he has received Orders from the Emperor to march towards Namur, to favour the operations of our Armies on this side, and undertake some Siege at the same time with them; and it is said he will begin with Dinant, which place it is hoped will not cost him much time, and the taking of it will be of great consequence for opening the Meuse to Charlemont. From Alsace they write, that Monsieur de Monclar having lately received a considerable detachment from Burgundy, and 14 Squadrons from the Marechal de Créquy's Army, so as to have in all 12000 men, was marched with them and 18 pieces of Cannon towards the Duke of Saxen-Eysenach, with intent to fight him, or cause him to dislodge from his Post about Basse.

Filmouth, July 23. Yesterday came in here a Dutch Caper of 14 Guns belonging to Flushing, who the 14 instant took a small French Bark off of Ushant, bound for Croisique, and brought her into this Port. All this morning have been seen off of the Mani boats, 7 or 8 great ships plying to the Eastward.

Lyme, July 25. Two days ago arrived here the Amity of this place, and Hope of Iford-comb from St. Malo's, and on board them the four Captains taken in the late Fight of the Dutch Fleet from Smirna, with about 50 of the men; and by the Society of Bridgewater, who parted from Amsterdam ten days ago, we have advice that the Sieur Tobias was arrived there with the rest of the ships, most of which were much damaged in their Hull and Rigging, but especially the Admiral, who, by reason that the Merchant ships carried few or no Guns, was obliged, in a manner, to resist alone the whole strength of the Enemy.

Whitehall, July 29. His Majesty has appointed Thomas Heath of Diwrib Elq; to be Sheriff of the County of Flint, in the place of John Roden Elq; deceased.

Advertisements.

W Hereas several Attornies belonging to His Majesties Courts of Kings-Bench and Common-Pleas at Westminster, have Concealed, and are in Arrears to His Majesty for His several Duties arising by the Act of Parliament, For Laying Impositions on Proceedings at Law, as appears in not filing their respective Bails, Entering their Appearances, and other Proceedings; They are hereby desired to take notice, that if they do not forthwith file and Enter all such their Proceedings, and pay His Majesties Duty arising thereupon to the proper Officer, as by the said Act is directed, they will be proceeded against according to Law in His Majesties Court of Exchequer.

And whereas several Under-Sheriffs, their Deputies and Agents, do frequently grant out Blank Warrants sealed and do thereupon Arrest several Persons before they have Writs under the Seals of the Courts warranting the same, to the defrauding His Majesty of His Duty by the said Act imposed: These are therefore to give Notice, That if any Person can discover the same, and can make sufficient proof thereof by Affidavit, or otherwise, for the Conviction of the Parties, let them inform the present Farmers of the Law Duty at their Office in the Inner Temple, and they shall have Five Pounds Reward.

L Ost on Tuesday the 24 instant in the evening in St. James's Park, or betwixt Mr. Stories house in the Park and Stable-yard in Westminster, or in the Abby, a large Silver Chain Watch, having two Motions, the hour of the day, and the day of the month, with a black Case studded with Silver, lined with red Sattin, and a Silver Chain to it, made by Nathaniel Barrow in London. Whoever shall bring the said Watch to Mr. Henry Hawk at the Porters Lodge over against the Deanery in Westminster, or to Mr. Story in the Park, or to Mr. Baker a Silkman at the Sign of the Castle over against the Castle Tavern in Fleetstreet, shall have 30 s. Reward.

S Tray'd or stolen the 23 instant, out of a Stable near Warrage in Berkshire, a dapple gray Gelding near 15 hands high, low back'd, about 9 years old, the hair gauled (if his break by drawing in a Coach, the near hoof before white, and the farther black, his foretop shorn off. Whoever gives notice of him to Mr. Hammsley Goldsmith at the Three Cups in the Strand near Somerset house, or to Mr. John Bateman near St. John's Colledge in Oxon, shall have 40 s. Reward.