

tion, of which you have already had an account. At Lübeck is come in a Vessel from *Schonen*, the Master whereof reports that the Suedes were going to besiege *Christianstads*.

Hague, Sept. 14. According to the last Letters we received from the Army, his Highness the Prince of *Orange* will not be here so soon as some expected, the fair weather inviting the Armies to continue in the field, and probably with intention to undertake some Action before they go into their Winter-quarters. From *Germany* they write, that the matter of Winter-quarters is like to create great difficulties, the States and Princes concerned offering to give very large sums of money so they may be exempted, but that cannot be; and it is said the said Winter-quarters are already regulated by the Imperial Commissary along the *Rhine*, the Head-quarter being appointed to be at *Worms*.

Brussels, Sept. 17. The Officers that so well defended the Fort called the *Three Holes*, against the *French*, have received great Commendations, and we are told that the Dutchess *de Villa Hermosa* has caused the three Captains that commanded there to be presented each with a Jewel. The Duke of *Luxemburg*, as I told you in my last, having quitted this Neighbourhood, marched towards *Ghaunt*, near which place he passed the *Schelde* over three Bridges, and entered into the Country of *Waes*, where his Troops having lived two days at discretion, they repassed the *Schelde*, carrying away with them great number of Horses and Cattle, and are marched towards *Courtray*. His Highness the Prince of *Orange* continues encamped at *Soignée*, and the Duke *de Villa Hermosa* at *Braine le Comte*, where they will, it's believed, remain some days longer, a great Convoy being gone to them from hence with bread for six days; by the same occasion a great quantity of Match and Powder was sent to *Mons*. Our Letters from *Treves* tell us, That the 9th instant the Imperial Army passed the *Saar* at *Sarbrücke*, with intention, as was said, to continue its march by the way of *Keyserlauterne* towards *Alsace*. The Marschal *de Crequi* was advanced to *Marfal* in *Loirain*. The Marschal *de Humieres* has drawn a Body of an Army together in *Flanders*, has summoned in a great number of Pioneers, and the discourse has been that he would besiege *Ipres* or *Dixmuyde*, but as yet we do not hear any thing of certainty as to his design, which it's believed was only by those preparations to divert the design of our Generals. From *Madrid* they write, That they had advice there that the Moors had quitted the Siege of *Oran*, having been forced so to do by the violence of the Plague which raged in their Camp, though at the same time we have Letters from other parts which speak as if the Place was still besieged.

Paris, Sept. 18. From *Flanders* we have an account, That the Duke of *Luxemburg* understanding that the Confederates had some design in hand, and that in order thereunto the Duke *de Villa Hermosa* had rejoined the Prince of *Orange* near *Mabuge*, decamped the 9th instant from *St. Fori*, and marched with about 6000 Foot and 3000 Horse towards *Vilvord*, leaving 20 Squadrons and 10 Battalions under the Command of the Marquis *de Foyeuse* and the Sieur *d'Albret*, with Orders to join the Marschal *d'Humieres*, who is forming a Body of an Army in *Flanders*, the rest of the Troops being commanded to follow the Duke of *Luxemburg*, who being advanced to the Canal of *Brussels*, caused a Fort which is there to be attacked, in which our Men were repulsed with some loss, of which we have not as yet the particulars. That in the mean time the Prince of *Orange* having notice of the Duke of *Luxemburg's* march, quitted the design he had formed, and advanced towards *Brussels*; whereupon the Duke of *Luxemburg*, having performed his intention, which was to give the Enemy a diversion, returned to his former post. From *Mex* they write, That

the Duke of *Lorraine* having quitted the *Saar*, took his way by *Hombourg*, which will be a very long and difficult march, being through a mournainous and unine Country; the Marschal *de Crequi* was encamped the 14 instant at *B. waqueron*. We have Detectors from *Brisac* of the 8th which say, That the 7th at night the Imperial Troops under the Command of the Duke of *Saxe-Eysenach* repassed the *Rhin*, not being able to abide in their Camp, which was extremely incommoded by our Cannon, which they did with so much haste, that they suffered part of their Bridge to fall into our hands, which was brought to *Brisac*. It is believed the Duke of *Lorraine* will have hereupon changed his intention of marching to *Wace*. Here is arrived the Bishop of *Marseilles*, his Majesty's Ambassador to the King of *Poland*. The King has nominated the Sieur *Coignard*, a Councillor of the Parliament, to go as Ambassador to the Grand Signior in the room of the Sieur *Noimel*, who is coming home. Several Deputies are lately arrived here from the Nobility and Citizens of *Messina*, they have not yet had audience of the King. The Letters we receive from *Messina* tell us, That the Duke *de Vivonne* was making preparation to undertake some Siege.

Falmouth, Sept. 6. Yesterday morning put to Sea the *Portland* and the *Newcastle*, with the Merchant-Ships under their Convoy, bound for the *Mediterranean*. Here are arrived several small Vessels from *France*.

Deal, Sept. 10. Yesterday an *Ostender* coming up the Channel with three small Prizes, met near *Dover-Road* with two Men of War of *Dunkirk*: After some dispute, the *Ostender* was forced to quit two of his Prizes, which the *French* possessed themselves of. The third Prize escaped, and the *Ostender* came into the Downs.

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UPON the 11th of this instant *September*, about five or six in the morning, one *James Baker*, aged about 18 or 19 years, of a ruddy complexion, black hair, and pretty well shap'd in his body, run away from his Master Captain *James Coiter*, lodging at the Black Posts in *Berry Street* near *St. James's*, and carried away from him a Purse with Fourteen Guineys in it, and other considerable sums of Money in Silver, one Case of Pistols made in *Paris* with the Workmans Name upon them, several Suits of Lac'd Linnen, and other Goods of value. If any person will apprehend him, or give notice so as he may be taken, to the said Captain *Coiter* at his Lodgings aforesaid, or to Mr. *Cook* an Upholsterer next door to the Star over against *Northumberland House* in the Strand, shall have Five Pounds for his pains.

LOST or stoln the 3d of this instant *September*, out of *Wildon-Grounds* in the County of *Northampton*, two Horses, the one an Iron Grey Gelding somewhat dapled, about 14 hands high, seven years old, with all his paces, a long body with a short thick head, and one wall-eye, a whitish face, bob tail, and half his main thorn. The other a bright Bay Nag, very strong quartered, about 13 hands high, with a thick neck, and a thick head, most part of his main thorn, and tail cut, somewhat broad ear'd, a broken tooth before, about 8 or 9 years old. Whoever gives notice of one or both to the Boars Head in *Smithfield-Bar*, or to Mr. *East Draper* in *Stamford*, shall have 40s. for his pains.

STRAYED or stolen out of the Grounds of Mr *Paul Limby*, in *Woolwich* in *Kent*, one Bay Gelding about 14 hands high, eight years old, with a Star in his forehead, and gauled on his farther Shoulder, with a Collar. Whoever shall give notice to Mr. *Fohn Norris* at the Crown Tavern at *Tower-Dock*, *London*, or to Mr. *Paul Limby* at *Woolwich* aforesaid, shall have 20s. for a Reward.