

the action they were repulsed, and the French cavalry, commanded by General Marmont, had some success, but on the arrival of General de Rey's Bavarian brigade, the enemy were completely repulsed, and retired towards Luneville, with the loss of several officers, and some hundred prisoners.

The Cossacks continue very far in advance.

I stated to your Lordship in my last dispatch, how anxiously we expected important events from Marshal Blücher. It seems, however, Marmont retired with precipitation from Kayserslautern, and passed the Saar. Marshal Blücher had his headquarters on the 10th at Kussel, and it is said he is as far as Saarbruck, and that he will be at Metz on the 15th or 16th.

By accounts from Paris, the enemy are collecting some force near Chalons, if so, they will probably retire on it from Nancy.

The Russian and Prussian Guards and reserves, to the amount of thirty thousand men, crossed the Rhine yesterday at this place, and defiled before the Allied Sovereigns.

It is quite impossible to give an idea of these troops, by any description. Their warlike appear-

ance, their admirable equipment, their military perfection, and when one considers what they have undergone, and contemplates the Russians, who have traversed their own regions, and marched in a few short months from Moscow across the Rhine, one is lost in wonder and admiration.

The condition in which the Russian cavalry appeared reflects the highest reputation on this branch of their service; and their artillery, your Lordship knows, is not to be surpassed.

I have the honour to be, &c.

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Viscount Castlereagh, &c. &c. &c.

Extract of a dispatch from Edward Thornton, Esq. to Viscount Castlereagh, dated Kiel, 14th Jan. 1814.

It is with the greatest satisfaction that I have the honour of informing your Lordship, that Baron de Wetterstedt, the Swedish Minister, and myself, have this day signed Treaties of Peace with the Plenipotentiary of his Majesty the King of Denmark.