

lived, on the Frontiers of *Bavaria*; and that his Electoral Highness had summoned the States of *Bavaria* to meet the 22 Instant at *Wasserburg*, to consider of putting the Country into a posture of defence. The last week the Baron de *Neuburg*, the Elector of *Bavaria's* Deputy at the Dyet, went with the Secretary of the Imperial Commission, and some Soldiers of this Garrison, to the House of the late Resident of *Cologne*, and demanded the Papers in his Custody, that concern the Affairs of that Diocess, and upon his refusal to deliver them, seized the same, and carried them away. The Elector of *Bavaria* raises several new Troops.

Frankfort, Novemb. 25. The Elector of *Saxony* advances towards this Place with 12000 Men. And the Duke of *Hannover* and the Landgrave of *Hesse Cassel* with another Body of 10000; having with them a very good Train of Artillery. The Elector had last Night his head Quarter at *Walddeck*; The Duke of *Hannover* at *Bergen*; and the Landgrave at *Hochstadt*; the farthest of these Places not being above three hours march from hence. One of their Parties was on Tuesday last engaged with some of the French Troops on the other side of the *Main*, of whom they killed 50 and took 30 Prisoners; And it's said they have sent Detachements to possess themselves of *Ashaffenburg*, *Resselheim*, *Hoegst* and *Cassel*, belonging to the Elector of *Mentz*, in which there are at present French Garisons.

Cologne, Novemb. 30. An Imperial Mandate has been published in this City, and affixed in the usual places, by which the Chapter and all the Subjects of this Electorate are required to acknowledge and obey Prince *Clement* of *Bavaria* as their Archbishop and Elector, upon pain of forfeiting their Goods, Rights and Priviledges, and incurring all the other Penalties of the Imperial Ban. Our Magistrates have sent Deputies to *Bonne* to desire that the Passages to this City may be left free and open, for that they shall otherwise be obliged to make use of force to remove the Troops that are posted there. Prince *Walddeck* continues at *Dunburg*, his Troops being quartered in the Villages thereabouts. The French have reinforced the Garison of *Mentz* to 6000 Men.

Wesel, Novemb. 27. The Elector of *Brandenburg* arrived the 23 Instant at *Bylevell*; and is expected here in few days. New Levies are making in all these parts for the Service of his Electoral Highness.

Brussels, Novemb. 30. Our Governor-General intends for the security of this Place, to keep here all this Winter a Garison of 6000 Men. The 28th Instant arrived here an Envoy from the Marshal of *Lumieres*, who had the next day Audience of his Excellency. He is come, it's said, to demand the release of a French Vessel which hath been stop'd by those of *Gant*, because the would not, according to the Priviledge of that City, unlade there. They write from *Wesel* that 8000 *Brandenburgers* were arrived at *Bylevell* to join the Confederate Forces Commanded by Prince *Walddeck*, which, when the 6000 *Swedes* have likewise joyned them, will make an Army of 36000 Men. The Letters from *Munich* of the 20th Instant tell us, that the Electress of *Bavaria* is with Child. We are told from *Liege* that part of that Country had pay'd their Contributions, and that the rest for not doing it, was put under Military Execution.

Brussels, Decemb. 7. On Sunday his Excellency saw the Baron de *Castro's* new Regiment of Dragoons, which was drawn up in the Park, com-

posed of 450 Men, very well Cloathed and Armed. The other new raised Regiments will be compleat before the end of this Month. They write from *Frankfort* of the 30 Instant, that the Duke of *Hannover* appearing on the 28th past with his Troops before *Hochst*, the French Governor had upon the first summons surrendered the Place, retiring with the Garison to *Mentz*. And that the Confederates intended likewise to possess themselves of *Cassel* on the *Rhine*, to hinder the French from passing that River over the Bridge at *Mentz*; after which the Confederate Troops will go into their Winter Quarters. We hear from *Liege*, that the Governor of *Dinant* had with 1800 French Horse and Dragoons made an Incursion into the Dutch Territories, and advancing into the *Meyerie* of *Bolduc* had burnt there 7 or 8 Villages: They demand two Millions, 500 thousand Florins for Contributions. The Letters from *Venice* of the 26th past give an account, that the Siege of *Negrepost* was raised on the 20th of *October*.

Hague, Dec. 7. We have an Account from *France*, that a Declaration of War hath been published there against this State. The French have burnt 9 or 10 Villages about *Bolduc*. Orders are given for the fitting out a great many Light Frigets for the security of our Commerce against the French Privateers.

Whitehall, November 30. The 28th Instant the Count de *Rouere*, Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of *Savoie*, had his Audience of Leave of the Queen: And the 29th, of the Queen Dowager; being conducted by Sir *Charles Cottrell* Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, November 30. His Majesty hath been Graciously Pleas'd to Confer upon Colonel *Edward Griffin* the Honour and Dignity of a Baron of this Kingdom, by the Name and Title of Lord *Griffin* of *Braybrooke* in the County of *Northampton*.

Whitehall, Novemb. 30. We have an Account from *Jamaica* of the Death of his Grace the Duke of *Albemarle*, His Majesties Governor of that Island.

Sheriffs for

Berks, James Paul of Bray, Esq
 Devon, Thomas Drewe Esq
 Warwickshire, Sir Reginald Foster, Bar.

We are Commanded to give Notice, That it is His Majesties Pleasure, that the Sheriffs appointed for the several Counties of this Kingdom for the year ensuing, do without any delay take out their Writs, in order to their entring upon their respective Offices.

Advertisements.

WHEREAS Captain George Hastings of Her Majesties the Queens Regiment of Horse, Commanded by the Honourable Sir John Laker, having barbarously murdered Captain Samuel English in his Bed at Henly upon Thames, being of the same Regiment, did immediately make his Escape with one Samuel Reynor Corporal in his own Troop, necessary to the said Murder; The Captain being upon a Black Stone Horse, and the Corporal upon a large black Gelding with one Eye. Whoever shall seize and secure the said Captain and Corporal, and give notice to Mr. Treckleron in Tuttle Street, Westminster, shall have a considerable Reward.

THE Debtors of Edward Mytton, late of London-bridge, Linnen Draper, are by the Commissioners appointed by the Commission of Bankrupt against him, desired to pay their several Debts due to the said Edward Mytton unto Samuel Briggs Scrivener in King-street near Guildhall, or to Mr. Thomas Wheeler Linnen Draper on London-bridge.

Run away the Twenty fifth past, an East-India slim Boy about 14 years old, short Hair, with a grey Cloth Cap faced with blew, a pair of blew Stockins, an old sad colour Coat, the Bone in one of his Legs sticks out below his Knee-Pan; his Name is Coffentry. Whoever secures him, and gives notice to Mrs. Margaree Cooper at the upper end of Threadneedle Street over against the Pump, an East-India Warehouse, shall have a Guinea Reward.