

the more concerned to provide for th<sup>e</sup> next Campaign, as well against the Turks as the French. The Swedish Envoy hath, in the Name of his Master, assured the Emperor, That he is ready to assist the Empire with his whole Force, and to march in Person with his Troops, if his Imperial Majesty thinks it necessary.

*Ratisbonne, Novemb. 29.* His Imperial Majesty has signified to the Assembly here his sending of ten Regiments into the Empire, and that he will send ten Regiments more, if there be Occasion, besides the new Levies that are making, which there seems to be great necessity of, the French being advanced into the Frontiers of Franconia, where they have ruined the Town of Anspach, and demanded Contributions from Nuremberg, to be paid in five days on pain of Military Execution. The Bishoprick of *Aichstat* hath submitted to 15000 Crowns Contribution, the Bishop being retired to *Ingolstat* in *Bavaria*. The States of the Circle of *Bavaria* hold their Assembly still at *Wasserbourg*, and have given their consent to the raising of 6000 Men.

*Leige, Decemb. 8.* Our new Levies go on here with Success, there being 600 Men Listed within these three days. In the mean time the French Minister uses all his Endeavours to engage these Countreys in a Dependence on the King his Master. The 4th Instant he received an Express from *France*, whereupon he demanded an Audience of our Prince to require him to desist from going on with the new Levies, or accepting the 300000 Crowns which the States have consented to in order to enable him to oppose his Enemies, and that he should declare himself immediately upon these two Points, otherwise he was to expect to be treated with the greatest rigour by the French Troops entering into his Countrey; but these Menaces will not slacken our Diligence to provide for our Safety.

*Franckfort, Decemb. 8.* The Troops of *Saxony* are Posted at *Achaffenburg*; part of them are sent over the *Meyn*: A Regiment of Foot of *Cassel* marched two days since by this place, to reinforce the Garrison of *Hoch*. The Elector of *Saxony* hath given the Command of his Army to General *Horning*, and is gone himself through *Franconia* to the Court of *Bavaria*. The Duke of *Hannover* returned home yesterday, being accompanied by the Generals *Chauvet* and *Baudwitz*, with three Regiments, which are to quarter in the County of *Eychfeld*. The Garrison of *Frankendal* arrived here yesterday. The French demand 3000 Crowns for the Ransom of the Bells at *Mainheim*.

*Hambourg, Decemb. 5.* We have as yet no account what Success the Negotiation of the Sieur *Mortangis*, Ambassador of *France*, hath had at the Court of *Denmark*. The King of *Sweden* hath appointed the Regiments, which are to be sent into the Empire, one of which is already arrived at *Stralsund*, and the others are expected to follow within a short time: That King is raising four new Regiments within his Territories in *Germany*, in order to make his Army 30000 effective Men, besides the 6000 sent into the Service of the States General of the *United Provinces*.

*Cologne, Decemb. 10.* The Letters from *Baden* in *Switzerland* of the 28th past give an account, That the Cantons had at the late Dyet resolved to take the four Forest Towns, and the City of *Constance*, under their Protection; into which last place they had put a good Garrison, and that to support this Resolution they would form an Army of 30000 men; and if that was not sufficient, of 60000. That they had actually commanded all their Subjects now in the Service of *France* not to serve against the Empire, upon pain of Death and Confiscation of Goods. In all appearance the Confederates Troops will in a short time oblige the French to quit the Palatinate and the Electorates of *Moyence* and *Cologne*; but in the mean time these Countreys are miserably destroyed.

*Brussels, Decemb. 14.* Our Governor General has this Week given out Commissions for three Regiments more, so that there will

be 14 new Regiments raised, and the Levies advance with that success that it's not doubted, but they will be compleat in a short time. They write from *Wesel* of the 10th instant, That the Troops of *Brandenburg* had begun to pass the *Rhine* there in order to some Enterprize. There has been Published and Affixed in several places at *Bon* an Ordinance in the name of Prince *Clement of Bavaria*, Archbishop and Elector of *Cologne*, by which he commands all the Canons that have followed the Cardinal of *Fustenberg* thither, to return forthwith to *Cologne*, to perform their Duties as Canons of that Church, and to endeavour to the utmost of their Power to oblige the French to retire out of all the places they are possessed of in this Electorate, upon pain of being deprived of their Dignities and Prebendaries, and incurring the Excommunication contained in the Pope's Briefs; Upon which it's believed the said Canons will think fit to quit the Cardinal's Interests.

*Whitehall, Decemb. 12.* This day the Lord *George Jeffreys* was taken at *Wapping*, and was sent to the Tower by Order of the Peers assembled with some of the Privy Council in the Council-Chamber at *Whitehall*.

Decemb. 12. Whereas several disorderly Persons did in a tumultuous and riotous manner last night Insult the House of his Excellency the Spanish Ambassador, Plundering, Rifling, and disacing the same, and carrying away Plate, Goods, Books and Papers, to a great Value; These are to give Notice, by particular Command from the Peers assembled with some of the Privy Council, that if any Person shall discover any of the said Plate, Goods, Books or Papers, and bring the same to the Council-Chamber in *Whitehall*, or give such Information that they may be recovered, they shall be very well rewarded in proportion to what shall be so recover'd.

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Strayed from the Parish of *Hunton* in the County of *Kent*, on the 14th of October last, Two Gelding Colts; one brown Colt near 14 hands, with a little white in the Forehead. The other, a black Colt above 13 hands, with a fair Star, and a white Foot behind; Both come 4 years old next Grass, were newly docted and shod round, but not rid. Whoever gives notice of them, so that they may be had, to Mr. *Simon Clarkson*, near the Pump in *Chapcery-Lane*, London, or to Mr. *Thomas Vincent* at the Chequer in *Maidilton*, or to *William Hinds* of *Hunton* aforesaid, shall have 20s. Reward.

Droppt accidentally, between Fetter Lane end and Butcher Row, a Bag of Money, value Eleven Pounds, on Saturday the 8th instant, between 10 and 11 at Night. Whoever can give Notice thereof, so that it may be restored to Mr. *Conners Farlos Perriwig* Maker in *Cliffords Inn Lane* in *Fleet Street*, shall have 2 Guinea's Reward.