

riſon was to march out the 11th Inſtant in the Morning, with Colours flying, Drums beating, &c. but that they were to leave behind them the Money they had extorted from the Neighbouring Countreies.

I have thought it my Duty to acquaint your Lordſhips, by an Expreſs with this important Succeſs. His Excellent Highneſs, whom I have congratulated upon it, immediately countermanded the Detachment that was marching towards Mentz. The Journey to Cleves is put off, and the Preparations are continued to reduce this place by Force, or Agreement, of which there is great Appearance. I remain, &c.

From the Camp before  
Bonnæ, Sept. 10. 1689.

Sign'd J. Ham.

The Letters from Flanders inform us, that our Army continued encamped near the Sambre. That the Count de Fodorſ was marching with 3000 Horſe from the Camp before Bonnæ, to join them. And that the Spaniſh Forces, ſince their becoming Maſters of the Retrenchments between Menin and Pour Eſperies, and Monſieur de Calvo's precipitate Retreat, had ſent out divers Parties into the French Territories to raiſe Contributions. The Marſchal d'Humieres repaſſed the Sambre the 11th Inſtant at Bouchieres, about 2 Leagues from Charleroy. Rear-Admiral Schey is going out with 3 Men of War, to meet the reſt of our Eaſt-India Ships that are expected home.

Paris, Sept. 14. The Preparations for the Relief of Mentz were the great Subject of Peoples Diſcourſes here, whereof they expected the iſſue as a thing on which depended, not only the Succeſs of this Campaigne, but perhaps of thoſe likewiſe that ſhall follow: And for a greater Precaution in an Undertaking of ſuch Importance, the Marſchal de Lorge was, by the King's Order, going for Germany, to command the Army jointly with the Duke of Duras, when we received the ſurprizing News of the Surrender of that place; after the taking of the Counterſcarp by ſtorm; which was brought hither laſt night by an Expreſs. We have an Account from Dauphine, that a conſiderable number of Vaudois, being reſolved to return to the Vallies of Lucerne, from whence they were driven ſome time ſince by the Duke of Savoy, on the account of their Religion, and having been joined by divers of the Proteſtants of Dauphine, who were forced by the late Perſecution to leave their Country, making together about 2500 Men, all very well armed, had forced their paſſage through the French Territories, after having had a very ſharp Skirmiſh with the French Forces under the command of the Marquis de Larre, that oppoſed them; of whom 3 or 400 were kill'd, and the Marquis de Larre dangerously wounded. They write from Liſle and Tournay, that the Spaniards demand great Contributions on that ſide.

Edinburg, Septemb. 5. We have the confirmation of Colonel Canon's retreat towards the Iſle of Mull with deſign, as it's believed, to endeavour to get back to Ireland; And that all the Highlanders are diſperſed, and many of them are come in and have taken the benefit of Their Maſtities Gracious Pardon. Major-General Mackay has put a Garriſon into the Caſtle of Blair.

Lowerpoole, Sept. 6. Yesterday arrived at Highgate about 20 Sail which came from Carrickfergus on the 3d Inſtant; They give an account that his Grace the Duke of Schomberg marched with the Army the day before towards Nury, having ordered ſeveral ſhips with Proviſions, under the Convoy of 3 Men of War, to ſail to Carlingford Bay; And ſent a Squadron of Men of War towards the Bay of Dublin.

That our Forces encreaſed daily, and amounted already to above 30000 men; and that they had taken a great many priſoners, who reported that the Iriſh were drawing together about Drogheda, but that they were in great diſorder.

Cheſter, Sept. 9. We have advice that upon the approach of his Grace the Duke of Schomberg towards Charlemont the Iriſh quitted that place, and retired to Drogheda, where it's ſaid their Army is drawing together.

Plymouth, Sept. 8. The Fleet is ſtill in Torbay. The Newfoundland Ships, that put to Sea ſome days ago, have been forced back by contrary Winds. This Evening came in here three Dutch Privateers, with three French Prizes, being Ships homeward bound from the Weſt-Indies.

These are to give Notice to all Persons in the Country, who do want the Irish Briefs, That upon their sending or writing to Mr. Tho. Vernon in Lombard-street, with Directions how they may be conveyed to them, they shall be supplied with the same without any Charge.

These are to give Notice, That there is now in the Custody of the Keeper of Their Majesties Goal of Newgate, London, two Persons suspected to be House-Breakers and Robbers, several Instruments for breaking of Houses being taken with them. One of them calls himself William Freeman, whose right Name is William Hill, but commonly call'd or known by the Name of The Golden Farmer: He is an indifferant tall black Man, well ſet, with black Hair, has a ſhaking in his Head, aged betwixt 50 and 60. The other, who goes by the Name of Thomas Tylour, whose right Name is Tho. has Hawkins, is a middle ſiz'd, ſtrong made, black Man, with a short brown Wig, a down looking Countenance, aged about 50. If any Person hath been robb'd by either of the ſaid Parties abovemention'd, let them repair to the Keeper of Newgate, where they may have a fight of them.

#### Advertisements.

The Second Part of Systema Agriculturae, or, The Mystery of Husbandry. And Vincetum Britannicum, or, A Treatise of Cyder. Wherein are contained many Select and curious Observations and Novel Experiments relating to Husbandry and Fruit-Trees. With the best and most natural Rules and Methods for the making of Cyder, and other English Liquors. To which is added, An Essay towards the Discovery of the Original of Fountains and Springs. By J. W. Genr. Printed for George Grafton at the Mire in Fleet-street near Temple-Bar.

Taken out of the House of George Swift of Dartford in Kent, the 4th Instant, Two Silver Tankards, engraved round the bottom, George Swift at the George in Dartford, Kent; one weighing 20 Ounces, Four-penny weight; the other 19, seven-penny weight; the weight is engraved in Figures on the Bottom. Six black Jacks tipped with Silver, engraved on the Brims with the same Name and place; the Workman's Mark on all is a W. and a C. over it. If these things come to your hands, pray stop them and the Party, and give Notice to Mr. William Clare, Goldsmith in Benchurch-street, near Aldgate, and you shall have 2 Guinea's, or proportionable for any part; or if already bought, their Money again, with Content. He lost also a bay Mare, with a Star in her forehead, about 3 years old. Whoever gives Notice of her to Geroge Swift aforesaid, shall be very well rewarded.

A good and fresh, with a pair of very good Harness, to be sold, belonging to a Gentleman. Enquire at Mr. Needham's at the King's Head in Long-Acre, a Coach-maker. And if any one wants a House, with two Rooms on a Floor, Closets, with a large Yard and Garden to it; two Stables for 6 Horses, and a Coach-house; the Lease is to be sold, with all the Furniture, at a reasonable Rate. Enquire at the place aforesaid.

Lost from John Kachel, a Cow-keeper near Kentish Town, the 1st Instant, a brown bay Gelding near 15 hands, having a black Mane and bob Tail, a large Fire-brand on his Neck and Shoulder, coming to. Whoever shall bring this Horse to the Party abovementioned, or to Mr. David Willford a Farrier in Red-Lyon-street in Upper Holborn, shall have 20 l. Reward.

Stray'd or stolen lately out of a Pasture on the North-west-side of Colchester in Essex, a grey punch Gelding, much Fleabitten, 14 hands, branded on the near Shoulder, pacing most. Whoever gives Notice of him to Mr. Robert Mavens Merchant in Colchester, or to the Master of the Barbado's Coffee-house in Exchange Alley, London, shall have a Guinea Reward, and Charges.