

French should endeavour to make a Diverſion on that ſide. The Line of Circumvallation, which he has ordered to be caſt up about *Landau*, is finiſhing with all poſſible diligence. Five Imperial Regiments of Horſe, and 4 of Foot, are daily expected in his Camp from *Bolonia*, and more Reinforcements are marched from thence in order to join him. Orders are given for ſending to his Army a great quantity of Arms and Ammunition belonging to the Emperor, which have been laid up here ever ſince the laſt War. The City of *Narumburg* has made a Preſent of 20 Thouſand Weight of Gunpowder towards carrying on the Siege of *Landau*.

Cologne, June 9. About 2000 Horſe and 6000 Foot of the Forces of *Hefſe-Caſſel* are come into the neighbourhood of this Place. They write from the Camp before *Keyſerſwaert*, that all things were making ready for aſſaulting the Countſcarp; and it is ſaid, that when that Siege is ended, the Allies will beſiege *Bon*.

Hague, June 13. N. S. An Expreſs arrived here two days ago from the Camp of the Allies before *Keyſerſwaert*, with an Account, that the 9th Inſtant they made a general Aſſault upon the Countſcarp, which they carried after a very ſharp Diſpute that laſted above two hours, and lodged themſelves upon it. We have not yet the Particulars of that Action, or of the Loſs on either ſide, but it is ſaid it coſt us above 300 Men killed, and a great number wounded. The Marquis de Blainville, Governor of *Keyſerſwaert*, had been dangerously wounded ſome days before, and had been conveyed out of the Town for his Recovery. By another Expreſs we have received an Account, that on the 10th Inſtant the Earl of Athlone, who was encamped near *Cranenbourg*, having Intelligence that Maſſhal Boufflers had been joined by Count Tallard with the Forces under his Command, by 10 Squadrons and 6 Battalions from Antwerp, and by ſome other Detachments, was deſcaped from Santen and marched by the way of *Goch*, with intent to get between the Earl's Camp and *Nimeguen*, his Lordſhip gave Directions for his Army to march in order to prevent it. He detached Major-General Rhoo with 6 Squadrons of Horſe and 2 Regiments of Dragoons towards *Mooch*, a ſmall Place at the end of a Wood that extends it ſelf towards the Maes, to obſerve the Enemy, and cover the march of his Foot, and ſoon after ſent the Duke of Wirtemberg with 10 or 12 Squadrons to ſupport him. The Duke not meeting with General Rhoo's Detachment, poſted himſelf on a riſing Ground near *Mooch*, and the Earl of Athlone and Count Tilly marched thither with the reſt of the Horſe, and on their way received Advice from the Duke of Wirtemberg, that a Body of the Enemy's Horſe was in fight. As they advanced farther, he ſent them an Account, that this Body appeared to conſiſt of 25 or 30 Squadrons, and the Earl of Athlone haſtening his March as ſoon as he had joined the Duke of Wirtemberg, put his Horſe in order of Battle; but the Enemy made a halt, and there happened only ſome Skirmiſhes between both Parties. Our Forces marched on towards *Nimeghen*, and the Enemy followed ſlowly, and were ſeen to give a Signal by blowing up a quantity of Gunpowder. Then the Earl of Athlone's Foot having joined him, he ſent Major-General Fagel, Governor of *Grave*, with 4 Battalions to reinforce the Garriſon of that Place, and continued his March with the reſt of the Army. The Enemy marching then with great diligence, came up with him near the riſing Ground of *St. Anne*, not far from *Nimeghen*, and attacking his Forces, at firſt obliged them to give way; but our Men ſoon recovered their Ground, and the Horſe made head againſt the Enemy while the Foot got into the Line before *Nimeghen*, whither the Horſe followed in good order, with the loſs only of a few Men that were moſt of them killed by the Enemy's Cannon; and of 5 or 6 ſmall Field-pieces; And the Earl of Athlone poſted his Foot in the ſaid Line, and ſent his Horſe and Baggage to the other ſide of the *Waal*. We juſt now receive an Account, that the French Army having failed of executing their Deſign, are marched back again towards *Venloo*.

The Earl of Marlborough intends to go to morrow to *Breda*, to ſee what Detachments can be ſpared from that Place and other Garriſons to the Camp at *Nimeghen*; which, with other Forces that are ordered to march thither, and the 10000 Men that are expected next week from the Houſe of *Lunenburg*, will make the Earl of Athlone's Army equal, if not ſuperior, in number to that of Maſſhal Boufflers.

From *Middelbourg* of the 9th Inſtant we have an Account, that General Coehoorn began the day before to bombard Fort *Iſabella*, but having Advice, that a conſiderable Body of French Forces was marching to attack him, he retired under the Cannon of *Sluice*. He has quite demolithed the French Lines on that ſide, and has ſtrongly fortified Fort *St. Donat*.

The Letters from the North give Account, that the King of Sweden was preparing to march with his Army towards *Cracow* to purſue the King of Poland thither, and that he had juſt a ſtrong Detachment in *Lithuania* under the Command of Prince Sapicha and General Mogner, which was marching againſt the *Lithuanian* Nobility under Prince Wiſnowſky, and *Oginsky*.

Three Men of War, with ſeveral Transport Ships, are lately arrived from England, having on board ſome Troops, Recruits, and Artillery. The Earl of Marlborough has preſented a Memorial to the States General, deſiring they will forbid all Intercourſe and Correſpondence by Letters or otherwiſe with France and Spain. The States have lately iſſued a Placart for the Encouragement of Privateers. They have granted Paſſes to the French Reſident, and Spaniſh Secretary, who are upon their departure from hence.

Plimouth, June 3. Her Maſteſty's Ships the *Rockefter*, *Chatham*, and *Lyme*, are come in here with 6 French Prizes, taken about 30 Leagues off *Uſhant*, one of which was the *Milford* Frigate taken from us during the late War, and is ſaid to be richly laden.

Portſmouth, June 6. His Royal Highneſs's Prince George of Denmark arrived here laſt Tueſday night. He was met without the *Landport* Gate by the Mayor and Aldermen, and other Officers and Members of the Corporation in their Formalities, and at the Gate by Colonel *Gibſon* our Lieutenant Governor, who preſented him the Keys of the Garriſon. His Royal Highneſs was attended to his Lodging by the Mayor and Corporation, who afterwards went to the Town-hall, where they drank the Queen and his Royal Highneſs's Healths; and night ended with Ringing of Bells, and other Demonſtrations of Joy, for the Honour done us by his Royal Highneſs's Preſence. On Wedneſday his Royal Highneſs went to the Iſle of *Wight*, and Reviewed the Forces encamped there; On Thursday he took a View of the Fleet, and dined with Sir George Rooke on board the *Royal Sovereign*. Yeſterday he viewed the Dock and Harbour; and this morning his Royal Highneſs went back towards *London*.

Admiral *Churchill* has hoisted his Blue Flag on the Main-Top-Maſt of Her Maſteſty's Ship the *Triumph*.

St. James's, June 6. The Queen returned thither laſt night from *Winſor*; as his Royal Highneſs did this evening, from *Portſmouth*.

St. James's, June 7. Her Maſteſty has been pleaſed to conſtitute the Rt. Hon. John Howe Eſq; one of Her Maſteſty's Moſt Honourable Privy-Council, Vice-Admiral of the County of *Gloceſter*.

Baron *Widdman*, Envoy from the Elector of *Brandenburg*, had this day a private Audience of the Queen; after which he had likewiſe a private Audience of his Royal Highneſs's Prince George of Denmark; being introduced by Sir Charles Cottrell, Maſter of the Ceremonies.

The Principal Officers and Commiſſioners of Her Maſteſty's Navy, having received a Letter by the *Perry-Poſt*, Dated the 5th Inſtant, ſigned W. T. offering to Diſcover ſome evil Practices of the Purſers of the Fleet in relation to their Viſtualling Accounts; Theſe are to give Notice, That if the Perſon who wrote the ſaid Letter will attend the ſaid Commiſſioners at their Office on Mondays, Wedneſdays, and Fridays, in the Forenoon, and ſhall make out any Diſcoveries to Her Maſteſty's Advantage, he ſhall receive all fitting Encouragement.

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