

their Retreat, set Fire to great quantities of Powder, with Intent to bring their Mines; which being perceived by our Men, was prevented from taking Effect, by cutting off the Fuses. The 11th we continued searching for Mines in the Redoubt, and discovered several Branches leading to them. The same day the Approaches on the Left were advanced, one within 60; and the other within 20 Paces of the Glacis. Yesterday our Men in the Redoubt cut ones one of the Enemy's Mines, out of which they took 200 weight of Powder. Our Approaches on the Left are now carried on within 25 Paces of the Glacis, from whence we shall draw another Parallel, to secure the Batteries which are to be made on the Counter-Scarp, as soon as we have found out the rest of their Mines. Defectors from Landau report, That the Governor is wounded. The Marshal de Villeroi went for France on Friday last, having left the Command of the Army at Haguenau to the Marshal de Marillac. This Morning a Battalion of the Royal Regiment, with Lieutenant-General Ingoldby's, Brigadier-General Hamilton's, and Colonel Tatton's Regiments of Foot, marched from hence, under the Command of Brigadier-General Merdoub, towards Germersheim, where they are to embark to-morrow on the Rhine for Holland. These Regiments, with the Five Battalions sent down a Month ago with the French Prisoners, are to supply the place of the Dutch Battalions and the Six Squadrons of Horse, that are drawn out of the Garrisons in Holland to march towards the Moselle; where they are expected about the end of this Month. General Churchill and my Lord Orkney are likewise gone with their Regiments, intending to make use of the Waters of Aix la Chapelle for their Health, before they embark for England.

Berlin, Octob. 14. The King of Prussia is now at Potsdam; but intends to leave this Town to-morrow, and to take a Progress to Magdebourg, Quedlinburg, Northausen, and several other places, and to return to Potsdam by the 26th Instant. Letters from Dantzick of the 11th say, it was reported that the Czar of Muscovy intended to quarter his Army this Winter in Courland and Samogitia: They had not of late received any certain Accounts of his Motions; but from Riga they had Advice, that the Inhabitants there were under great Apprehensions that he designed to bombard them, having been informed that Preparations were making for that purpose at Nyen-Schans and Norebourg, where they also work with great Application upon the fitting out of a Squadron of Ships against the Spring, to cruise in the East Sea. It is confirmed, that the King of Sweden having left Lemberg, marched with his Army towards Zamosk; but that Town having sent him 200000 Dollars, he changed his March towards Lubin, where Provisions were already got together for his Army: It was not yet known which way he would proceed from thence, or whether he would quarter his Troops this Winter in the Polish Prussia, or in the Greater Poland. In the mean time King Augustus has sent a Detachment of 6 Muscovite Battalions, under the Command of Lieutenant-General Parkul, towards Posen, that were to be joined by several Saxon Battalions, and as was said had already invested that place, into which General Meyerfeld had retired with 3000 Swedes. By our last Letters from Pultosk, King Augustus was still there, having cantoned his Forces along the Rivers Weisfel and Bugg.

Paris, Octob. 13. On the 6th and 7th Instant the Count de Sant Iffevan de Gorinas, Envoy Extraordinary from Spain, and Count Scotti, Envoy Extraordinary from the Duke of Parma, had their Audiences of Leave of the French King, the Dauphine, and the rest of the Royal Family, at Fontainebleau, where the Court is at present. On the 12th died in this City Henry Duke of Duras, the eldest of the Marshals of France, aged 79 years; He is succeeded in the Command of Captain of one of the Troops of Horse-Guards by the Marshal de Boufflers, in that of Colonel of the French Regiment of Foot-Guards by the Duke de Guich, Son of the Duke of Grammont, who is at present Ambassador Extraordinary from this Court to that of Madrid; and the Government of the Country of Burgundy, which also became vacant by his Death, is given to the Marshal de Tallard. The Count de Coigny, Lieutenant-General, died the 10th at Coignmacheren, two Leagues below Thionville; and the Marquis d'Aigre is appointed to command in his room the Forces which he was drawing together on the Moselle. Our Letters from Italy give an Account, that the Grand Prior was encamped the 28th past at Medola, where he expected a Reinforcement from the Duke of Vendosme's Army, to enable him to make head against the German Forces under the Count de Leiningen, which were advancing by the way of the Country of Brescia, with intent either to join the Duke of Savoy, or to make a considerable Diversion of our Forces in Favour of his Royal Highness. An Express from the Duke of Vendosme has brought Advice of his having possessed himself of the little Town of Bord, in the Valley of Aosta, and afterwards of the Castle there, wherein was a Garrison of 150 Men, who made a very resolute Defence.

Hague, Octob. 21. N. S. The Detachment for the Moselle, consisting of 10 Battalions and 6 Squadrons, who had their Rendezvous at Mastrich, was to begin its March this day or to-morrow, and will be joined at Coblenz by a Detachment from the Duke of Marlborough's Army, in order to form the Siege of Traarbach. The States of Holland having nominated Monsieur de Salitch to be a General of Foot, the other Provinces have given their Consent to it; and the States General have accordingly preferred him to that Command.

Whitehaven, Octob. 8. On the 6th Instant the Amity arrived here. Yesterday came in the Cumberland, the Africa, the Whitehaven, the Catherine, the Mulberry, the Lennet, the Success, the

Isabella, the Submission and the Hope, being the rest of our Virginia Fleet, which arrived at Plymouth the 5th of August last, and were Convoys up this Channel by Her Majesty's Ship the Hector, with whom they parted the 5th Instant off of Holyhead: The Hope well of this Port came also with them, but is supposed to be gone for Scotland.

Falmouth, Octob. 9. This day arrived here the Queen's Packet-Boat, with one Mail, Captain Culverdine Commander, who came in 12 days from Lisbon. The homeward bound East-India Ships remain still in this Port.

Plymouth, Octob. 10. Yesterday came in here the Freda, Peter Jacobson Master, bound for Lisbon; the Fortune, Cornelius Davison Master, for Limerick; and the Fortune, John Ancher Master, for Viana, all three from Zurichzee: The Mary Kerch of London, John Brown Master, bound for Corke; and the Irish Transport, George Suiter Master, from Dartmouth.

Tarmouth, Octob. 13. On the 11th Instant passed through our Roads, and on the back of our Sands, a great Fleet of laden Colliers, and another of Merchant Ships with their Convoys, sailing to the Southward, which came last from the River Humber. The same Evening sailed out of our Roads a Dutch Man of War, with about 40 Sail of their Corn Ships and Doggers under her Convoy, bound for Rotterdam. Yesterday came into our Roads several laden Colliers more from Newcastle, who are sailed again this day to the Southward. A Dutch Man of War is also sailed from hence being bound for Amsterdam.

Kingsferry, Octob. 14. Her Majesty and his Royal Highness came hither this Evening from Windsor.

Whereas the Adventurers of the Royal African Company of England at a General Court held the first of June last, did order to be paid in the said Company by each Adventurer, in Proportion to his Stock, Ten Pounds per Share, on or before the 25th day of December next, with Power to the Court of Assistants to allow a Premium to such as should of the same before the said time limited: They do hereby publish, That those who shall pay in the said Two Pounds per Share on or before the 20th day of November next, shall be allowed for Premium Five per Cent. of the Money by them paid in, and Interest from the time of Payment to the said 25th day of December next.

The Directors for Greenwich Hospital do give further Notice, That the Persons desirous to furnish the several Sorts of Cloathing herein mentioned, may bring Pattern of each, viz. Women-Drapers, a Pattern Suit, to contain Five Yards of Cloth, dark-grey, about Six Shillings, and Six Pence a Yard; the Coat and Skirts of the Waistcoat to be lined with a suitable blue Bays; the Body of the Waistcoat and the Bousch lined with brown Osenberg Linen; the Buttons to be Brass, flat and solia; Linen-Drapers, a Pattern-shirt of about Three Shillings and Six Pence, and Cravats at Eighteen Pence each; and Patterns of Linen for Sheets, Towels, Table-Clothes, and for the Kitchen; Hatten, a Pattern Hat, lined ana edged with black, with a blue Hair Band, about Four Shillings Value; Hosen, a Pattern of blue Stockings, at Two Shillings a Pair; Shoemakers, a Pattern of Shoes, at Four Shillings a Pair. And that they give in their said Patterns, with their several Prices, at the Office of the Works in Scotland-yard, on Thursday morning next; after which time no more Proposals for the said Goods will be received.

Advertisements.

Almanacks will be published at Stationers-Hall for the Year 1705. at the usual Rates, and at the Times herein mentioned: viz. Rider, Goldsmith, and the several Sheets, on Tuesday the 24th of October, and the Blanks and Sorts on the 24th of November.

This day is Published, The new Translation (in Obedience) of C. Julius Caesar's Commentaries of his Wars in Gaul, and Civil War with Pompey. To which is added, A. Hirtius, or Oppius's Supplement of the Alexandrian, African, and Spanish Wars: With the Author's Life: Adorned with Sculptures, from the Designs of the Famous Palladio. Made English from the Original Latin. By Martin Bladen Gent. Dedicated to his Excellency the Duke of Marlborough. Printed for R. Smith at the Angel and Bible without Temple-bar; and sold likewise in the inner lower Walk of Exeter Exchange in the Strand. Price 8 s.

Dropped on Friday the 13th Instant, about 5 a Clock in the evening, in near Whitehall or St. James's Park, a Gold Watch Case lined with Sattin, and a Coat of Arms engraven upon the Case, being a Spread-Eagle between three Flower-de-luces on one side, and a Falcon seizing upon a Martlet on the other. Whoever hath taken it up, and will bring it to Oliver's Coffee-house in the Old Palace-yard in Westminster, shall receive a Guinea Reward.

A Sermon preach'd on Thursday the 7th of Sept. 1704. Being the Day appointed by Her Majesty for a Solemn Thanksgiving to Almighty God for the late Glorious Victory obtained over the French and Bavarians at Pleinheim near Hochstet, by the Confederate Forces under the Command of the Duke of Marlborough. By Joseph Sternert. Printed for A. Bell at the Cross Keys and Bible in Court-hill, and J. Baker at Mercers-Chapel in Cheap-side.

An Estate in and near Halfworth in Suffolke is to be sold. Enquire of Mr. Sherwood at New-Inn, or of Mr. Edmund Wright of Halfworth aforesaid.

The Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Joshua Fryer, late of London, Mercer, intend to meet at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the first of November next, at 9 in the afternoon, in order to make a Distribution of the said Bankrupt's Estate; And all Creditors concerned are then and there to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Distribution.