

Guard of the Austrian Army, consisting of about 3000 Hussars and Sclavonians, was advanced from the Cattolica to a little River called Conca, he and the Duke of Modena, at the Head of the whole Army, set out from Fano and Pesaro in the Night, and marched in three Columns in order to surprize them; but, by extreme heavy Rains and stormy Weather, not being able to advance above Four Miles in Six Hours, they were obliged to return back, extremely fatigued, on which Account the Spanish General ordered double Pay to his Soldiers. As soon as Prince Lobcowitz had Notice of the above Design, he ordered his Troops from Forli and Cesena, with the Artillery, to join the Army at Rimini and the Cattolica. On the 3d Instant a small Skirmish happened between the Austrian Hussars and the Spanish Michesets, near Pesaro, in which many of the latter were killed. M. de Gages has caused a particular Account of his Retreat to be distributed in several Parts, in which he lays great Blame on M. Mac Donnell, a Lieutenant General, for not having obeyed the Orders he had given him, and to which M. de Gages attributes the Disorder, and the great Desertion that ensued.

*Vienna, November 23, N. S.* On Tuesday Morning the 19th Instant, being the Name-Day of the Empress Dowager Elizabeth, after Divine Service had been performed in the Chapel of the Court, her Majesty the Queen repaired with great Retinue from her own Apartment, to that of the said Empress her Mother, from whence his Excellency Count Sigismund Rudolph de Sinzendorff, Great Master of the Queen's Household, came forth, and gave public Notice, that on the 30th of December next ensuing, would be celebrated the Espousals between the most serene Archduchess Mary Anne her Majesty's Sister, and his most serene Highness Prince Charles of Lorraine, and the Marriage on the 7th of January following.

*Hague, Dec. 3, N. S.* We have Advice here, that the Bishop of Liege was seized on Saturday last with an Apoplectic Fit, which left him speechless and senseless for some Time; and that though he came a little to himself again, upon the Application of proper Remedies, he continued in so desperate a Way, that he had had all the Sacraments administered to him. The last German Post has brought nothing material. The Elector Palatin is fallen ill of the Small Pox; but he is said to be in no Manner of Danger. The Queen of Poland continues ill, but with a good Prospect of Recovery.

*Hambourg, Dec. 3.* Major General Reichel, who had been many Years a State Prisoner at Kiel, was set at Liberty the 28th past, N. S.

*Liege, Dec. 5.* The Bishop of this See died this Morning at Four o'Clock. The Authority of the Privy Council is now at an End. The Chapter is Sovereign, ad interim. All the Posts of the Government devolve upon them. They have taken Possession of the Citadel, and are now employed in sealing up the Apartments

of the Palace. We hear that the late Bishop after some moderate Legacies to his Relations, has left the rest of his Estate to the Poor of this City. He is to be buried To-morrow.

Whitehall, November 26, 1743.

*Whereas it has been represented to his Majesty, that John Stewart, of Castle Stewart in the County of Gallogway in North Britain, Esq; was, in the Night, between the 18th and 19th Instant, robbed, in his Bed-Chamber, of his Portmanteau, in which was contain'd the Sum of Two hundred eighty five Pounds and nine Shillings, sealed up in a yellow Canvas Bag, as also other Goods, by a Person or Persons unknown, at the House of Solomon Harris, being the Crown Inn, at Fakenham, in the County of Norfolk; which said Portmanteau, and all the Goods therein contained, except the said Sum of Money, have been since found. His Majesty, for the better discovering and bringing to Justice, the Person or Persons who committed the said Robbery, is pleas'd to promise His most gracious Pardon to any one of the Persons concerned therein, who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices, so as he, she, or they may be apprehended and convicted thereof.*

CARTERET.

*And the said John Stewart does promise a Reward of Thirty Pounds, to be paid by Col. James Stuart, of his Majesty's Third Regiment of Foot Guards, to any Person who shall make a Discovery of the said Robbery, so as one or more of the Persons who committed the same shall be lawfully convicted thereof.*

James Stuart.

*And as a further Encouragement, the said Solomon Harris does likewise promise a Reward of Twenty Pounds to any Person or Persons who shall make such Discovery in Manner aforesaid, upon such Conviction.*

Solomon Harris:

*And as a still further Encouragement, the Inhabitants of the said Town of Fakenham do promise a Reward of Thirty Guineas, to be paid by either Mess. David and John Jones, Joseph Harrison, Joseph Peckouer, on James Jones, all Inhabitants of the said Town, to the Person who shall discover any Person or Persons, his Accomplice, or their Accomplices, in the Robbery of the said John Stewart, upon such Conviction as aforesaid.*

James Jones:

Admiralty-Office, Nov. 19, 1743.

*Notice is hereby given, That a Session of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery, for the Trial of Offences committed on the High Seas within the Jurisdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Tuesday the 13th Day of December next, at Justice-Hall in the Old Bailey, London, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning.*

Tho. Corbett.

Navy Office, November 21, 1743.

*These are to give Notice, That on Monday the 19th of December next, at Ten of the Clock in the Morning, this Board will be ready to treat with such Persons as are willing to serve his Majesty with English Cas-was, that they may attend with their Proposals at that Time.*

*Notice is hereby given to the Officers and Company of His Majesty's Ship Squirrel, That the Agents propose to make the last Dividend of the Produce of the Pierre Joseph and her Cargo, on Board his Majesty's said Ship at the Nore, on Tuesday the 6th of December. At which Time all Persons, who have any Demands on the said Prize, are desired to attend, the Agents being obliged forthwith to proceed to Sea.*

General