

Mountains on the other side of the Valley of *Knitzig*. The *French* have quite demolished the *Castle* and *Town of Busweyer*, belonging to the *Counts de Hanau*. The *French* Troops in these Parts are altogether quiet, their number is not very considerable, so that we may believe they will not move, till they receive a Reinforcement from *Lorraine* or *Flanders*. We expect every day to hear that the *Duke of Lorraine* is returned from *Vienna* to *Wormes*; it seems his Highness is still incommoded with the hurt he received some time since at *Philipsburg*, and particularly in one of his feet.

*Cologne, March 22.* Yesterday the *Bishop of Gurck*, the chief of the *Imperial Embassy* for the *Treaty at Nimeguen*, arrived here; it is said his business is, to promote the design which is in hand, to make the *Duke of Neuburg's* second Son Coadjutor to our *Electo*r. The account we have from *Maastricht* is, that the *French* are preparing for some considerable Enterprize, which puts all these Parts into continual apprehensions, that they mean to visit them. The Letters we receive from above, confirm what we heard, of the *Count de Capliers* being put out of his charge of *Commissary General*, and that for misemploying the monies designed for the use of the *Army*; and that probably he might be called to a farther account, being commanded to *Vienna*. We cannot hear that any considerable recruits have been made for the *Imperial Army* this *Winter*, however the *Officers* say, the *Emperor* will have a very good *Army* in the *Field* this *Summer*.

*Paris, March 26.* We have Letters from the *Camp* before *Ipres*, dated yesterday in the afternoon, which say, that the night before, the *Besiegers* attacked the *Counter-camp* of the *Town* and *Citadel* at the same time, which after a stout resistance on the part of the *Besieged*, and after having been once repulsed, they gained, having lost above 200 *Men*, and many *Officers*, and among them the *Commander* of the *Regiment of Alsace*, and many *Captains of Grenadiers*; and the *Prince de Harcourt*, who served as the *Kings Aide de Camp*, had his *Leg* broke, which it's thought will kill him. The next morning the *Besieged* desired to *Capitulate*, and when these Letters came away, one of the *Gates* was delivered up. The 26 his Majesty intended to part from the *Camp* for *Lille*, where he would rest two or three days, and then return with the *Queen* towards *St. Germain*, where he is expected to arrive the 8th of the next month.

*St Omer, March 27.* *Ipres* is now in the hands of the *French*, though they lost a good many *Men* before it, as well through the stout resistance of the *Besieged*, as that the *Attack* of the *Counter-camp* being made in the night, our *Men* wounded one another with their own *Fire*.

*Paris, March 30.* *Ipres*, it seems, was surrendered the 26 inst after eight days of open *Trenches*, the *Governor* and *Garison* having made a very brave defence; for when our *Men* attacked the *Counter-camp* the 24 at night, they received them so briskly, that in the first *Attack* they were repulsed with the loss of many *Men*, as well common *Soldiers* as *Officers*; and among others, the *Prince of Harcourt* had his *Leg* broke with a *Grenado*, and *Monsieur de Risou*, who commands the *Kings Grenadiers*, was desperately wounded; but the *Besiegers* renewing the *Attack*, at length made themselves *Masters* of the *Counter-camp*, upon which the *Besieged* capitulated the next morning. The account we had of the *Kings* having put a *Garison* into *Dixmude*, is contradicted. The 26 past the *King* came from the *Camp* to *Lille*, and in some few days his Majesty is expected at *St. Germain*. In our last we told you, that the *Prince of Condé* had sent a *Gentleman*, who, it seems, is an

*Italian*, that brought him certain Letters, to the *British*; he still remains there, and the *Prince*, as we are told, is resolved to discover the bottom of that matter.

Whereas there have been lately Printed, and Published several Seditious, and Scandalous Libels against the Proceedings of Both Houses of Parliament, and other His Majesties Courts of Justice, to the Dishonour of His Majesties Government, and the Hazard of the Publick Peace: These are to give Notice, That what Person soever shall Discover unto one of the Secretaries of State, the Printer, Publisher, Author, or Hander to the Press of any of the said Libels, so that full Evidence may be made thereof to a Jury, without mentioning the Informer; especially one Libel, Intituled, An Account of the Growth of Popery, &c. And another call'd, A Seasonable Argument to all the Grand Juries, &c. the Discoverer shall be rewarded as follows: He shall have Fifty Pounds for such Discovery, as aforesaid, of the Printer, or the Publisher of it from the Press; and for the Hander of it to the Press One hundred Pounds. And if it fall out that the Discoverer be a Master, or a Journeyman-Printer, he shall be Authorized (in case of tracing the Proof up to the Author) to Set up a Printing-House for himself; and no Agent either in the Printing, Publishing, or Dispensing of the said Libels, shall be Punished for so doing, in case he shall contribute toward the Discovery of the Author of any such Libel.

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These are to give Notice, That the General Post-Office is removed from *Bishopsgate-street*, to *Lombard-street*, to *Sir Robert Viner's House*.

Upon Monday the 13th day of May next, at the House over against the *Hen and Chickens* in *Pater Noster-Row*, will be Exposed to Sale, by way of Auction, the Library of the Learned and Ingenious *Dr. Benjamin Worsley* together with two others, the one of a *Divine*, and the other of a *private Gentleman*. The Catalogues of which are distributed at the *Three Bibles* in *Ludgate-street*, and at the *Rose and Crown* in *St. Pauls Church yard*.

A Young Lad, about 16 years of age, of mean stature, red hair, a little curling, long visage, in a sad coloured serge Sute, and black Hat, went away on Wednesday the 13 instant in company with another young Lad about the same height, full set, full face, black hat, black hair, and in a sad coloured Campaign Coat lined with red. If either of them return to their Parents, they shall be kindly received; or if any person shall give notice where they be, or shall bring both or either of them to *Mrs Howse* a *Grocers* at the *Tobacco-Roll* in *Fleet-street* near *Chancery-lane*. shall have 40 s. Reward.

A *Blanford Course* in *Dorsetshire*, upon the first Thursday and Friday in May next ensuing, two Plates will be Run for; the one, of 15 l. value, and the Riders to be 10 Stone weight; the other, is of 25 l. and the Riders to be Gentlemen, and of 12 Stone weight. Whosoever is disposed for this sport, must enter the size and colour of his Mare, or Gelding, with the *Bayliff* of *Blanford* the Thursday before the Race, depositing 20 s. in the *Bayliffs* hands towards the next years 15 l. Plate, or 40 s. towards the other. If any Contributor offer 15 l. for either Mare or Gelding before the Race, the Owner must set, provided there be two left to Run, and the Purchaser is not to Run him that year. And so likewise for the 25 l. Plate.

A White fleece Beagle Bitch, with one black ear, and the other mottled with black spots, and a black spot upon her rump, lost upon the Downes in *Wiltshire* near *Lavington*, upon the 19 of February last. Whosoever can bring her to *Lavington* aforesaid, or to the *Lord Norreys* at *Kigges* in the County of *Oxon*, or to *Lindsay-house* near the *Old Palace* in *Wiltshire*, shall have 40 s. Reward, and all Charges born.