

From the *Mareschal de Crequi's Camp on the Lauter near Weiffembourg, Sept. 2.* Upon the Advice that the *Mareschal de Crequi* had, that the Imperial Army marched towards *Philipsburg*, he advanced the 26th past to *Werdt*, to be in a readiness to oppose their designs, and the same day sent the *Marquis de Foyeuse* with a detachment to *Sultz*, between *Werdt* and *Weiffembourg*. The 27th he understood that the Duke of *Lorraine* had caused 3000 Horse and Dragoons, commanded by the *Siear Caprara*, and the *Sieur Scultz*, to pass the *Rhine*, and that they were advanced to *Landaw*. The 28th he had an account, that that small Body had been joined by 6000 Men of the Troops of *Saxe-Eysenach*, *Mentz*, and *Hesse-Darmstadt*, and that they advanced towards *Weiffembourg*, whither they had sent 600 Horse to Post themselves there, the *Mareschal de Crequi* resolving to prevent them, caused the *Marquis de Foyeuse* to march thither with the Brigades of *Renel* and *la Roque*, and the Dragoons of *Tesse*, and to second him, followed the 29th himself, with the Grenadiers of the Army, 150 of the Guards du Corps, and 100 Horse detached out of each Brigade, and some Dragoons. The *Marquis de Foyeuse* arrived near *Weiffembourg* about five in the Morning, and the *Chevalier de Renel*, who led the Van, rencountred with the said 600 Horse, whom he obliged to retire, and took some Prisoners. The *Mareschal* arrived not long after, and advancing to the Gates of *Weiffembourg*, entered without any opposition, and commanding the *Marquis de Foyeuse* to continue there, he returned to his Camp at *Werdt*. The 30th *Capt Broglie*, the Duke of *la Fere*, and the *Marquis de Virans* were sent out with 1000 Foot, and 7 or 800 Horse, to Post themselves at *Nederlauterbecke*, to be ready to assist the *Marquis de Foyeuse* in case of need; and at the same time a Party was sent to *Lauterbourg*, to hinder the Enemy from making themselves Masters of that Post: And the 2d instant the *Mareschal* understanding that the Enemy began to pass the *Rhine* over the Bridge of *Lamerheim* between *Lauterbourg* and *Philipsburg*, he decamped from *Werdt*, and marched thither.

From the *Mareschal de Crequi's Camp at Weiffembourg, Sept. 5.* The second instant we decamped from *Werdt*, and marched to *Sultz*, from whence we removed yesterday thither, having left our heavy Baggage at *Werdt* with a Brigade of Horse; We have pillaged *Weiffembourg*, where we found great quantity of Corn, Wine and Forage; the Prisoners we have taken, which make a good number, assure us that the Enemy have onely a Flying Bridge, which they remove to and fro, and make use of for the passing over of Parties. From *Wantzenaw* we have an account, that our Men work very hard on the Fortifications they are making there, and that they do extremely incumber the City of *Strasburgh*, in depriving them of all Commerce.

*Hague, Sept. 9.* The Reduction resolved by the States of their Forces, will be suddenly put in execution. The Province of *Gronningen* and *Ommelanden* hath already reformed the Regiment of the Count de *Reux*, which the States General do disapprove, it being contrary to the Union, for any one of the Provinces to take upon them to disband any Troops by their own Authority, which must be done by the Generality, and therefore the States General have written to them, to let them know how ill they take their Proceedings in this particular: We have not any thing of moment from *Nimeguen*, only they tell

us, that the French Ambassadors were expecting the return of a Courier which they had sent to their Court, to know that Kings final Resolution in the differences depending between them and the Spaniards. The Imperial Minister here has Advice by the last Letters from *Germany*, that the Duke of *Lorraine* has past the *Rhine*.

*Paris, Sept. 10.* People continue to talk here very much of Peace, and we at every day expecting to hear from *Nimeguen* what hath been done for the removing the differences between this Crown and Spain. The Letters from *Alsace* inform us, that our Army, under the Command of the *Mareschal de Crequi*, was come as low as *Weiffembourg*, in order to hinder the Imperialists from passing the *Rhine*, and that the City of *Strasburgh* was very much besieged.

*Plymouth, Aug. 30.* Here are arrived in this Port two Vessels belonging to *Newcastle*, the Masters tell us, That being bound with Coal for *France*, in company of 4 or 5 other English Ships, and a Man of War of *Danzick* mounted with 32 Guns; they were, about 12 Leagues from the French shore, chased by two Men of War under various Colours, having first put out English, then Dutch, and afterwards Red Colours, which making the English Ships apprehend them to be Turks, the Masters and their Company betook themselves to their Boats, in order to the recovering the shore, and so at least to save themselves. The *Danzicker* seeing them quit their ships, fired a Gun, upon which all the Boats rowed on board of him, and he stood with these two Men of War, who then put out French Colours, and being come near they halped them, and found them to be indeed French Men of War mounted with 28 and 30 Guns apiece: After which, each Master and his Company returned on board his own Ship again, and pursued their Voyage. This was on Sunday last.

The Right Honourable the Lord High-Treasurer of England, taking notice, That several Papers and Forms of Blank's, relating to His Majesties Revenue, have been Printed by private Persons, without his Lordships Order; For the future prevention thereof, hath been pleased to direct and appoint His Majesties Printers to Print and Sell all such Papers and Forms of Blank's as do any way relate to His Majesties Revenue, being first approved by his Lordship, at their Office in Blackfriars, London, where at present are to be had Warrents to the Assessors and Collectors of the Eighteen Months Tax, Commencing from the 24th of August last, together with Acquittances for the same; and the same likewise for more conveniency at Mr. Rodd at Hornes Book-seller at the Royal Exchange, and at Mr. George Marriots Stationer, at the Sign of the Temple near the Inner-Temple-gate in Fleet-Street; Whereof all Persons concerned are desired to take Notice.

#### Advertisements.

These are to give notice to all Pensioners belonging to the Chest at Chatham, and all others whom it may concern, That upon the 24 of September next, will begin a general Pay of the said Pensioners.

Any Person that hath lost a parcel of rough Diamonds, if they repair to Mr. Charles Wallis's a Goldsmith in the *Mint*, may receive information of them.

Conveyed or strayed from Mr. Green's Vicar of *Corsham*, the 26th of August last, a black Coach Horse bald faced, bob-tailed, indifferent ancient, about 15 or 16 hands. A bay chestnut Nag about 17 hands, bob-tailed, a large hole thorough the near ear, the hair rubbed off on both sides the hips, not yet well grown. A bay Mare about 13 hands, bob-tailed, trots hard, marked on the near shoulder with W. on the near hip with S. Whoever gives notice of them to Mr. Place at his Shop at *Grays Inn-gate*, shall have a sufficient Reward.

Strayed or stolen out of a Ground at *Elham* in *Kent*, the 30th of August last, a bay Gelding about 15 hands, 8 years old, a star in his forehead, slip down the nose, his mane shorn, all his paces, a saddle spot upon his near side. Whoever gives notice of the said Gelding to the Widow *Layfield* at her Coffee-house in *St. Johns Alley* in *Grub*, or at Mr. Cook's in *Elham* aforesaid, shall have 40 s. Reward.