

long the 23 of the last Month; in which he gives them an account, That the Elector of Brandenburg had resolved to establish a Trade on the Coasts of Guinea and Angola, and to that purpose had caused two Frigats to be fitted out, and intended to put a good number of Soldiers on Board of them: That the intention of his Electoral Highness was not to give the Company any disturbance in their Trade, and that to prevent all misunderstandings he had thought fit to give them this Notice, adding, that if they judged it for their Service, the Brandenburg Frigats should have Orders to take all Dutch Ships sailing without their Commission, and that a like Liberty should be given the Company with regard to the Brandenburgs. Whereupon the Directors of the said Company have Addressed themselves to the States of Holland, to know their Sentiments in the thing. We told you in our last that it was reported, That several Frigats would be built here for the Service of Spain, which does not only continue, but is now spoken of with more confidence, as a thing that will be suddenly taken in hand. Our Consul at Cadiz has complained to the States, That the Governor of that place had caused some of his Goods to be seized, and afterwards to be sold, to raise 100 Ducates, which the Governor had condemned him, upon a difference between him and some other person, to pay; upon which the States have resolved to demand of the Court of Spain, That the said Goods may be restored to the Consul, or other satisfaction given him. From Brussels we understand, that the Burgers have of late been very disorderly, and that there was a talk as if the new Governor would keep his Court at Ghent.

Hague, Sept. 28. We are expecting to hear that the Spanish Man of War, taken the 18th Instant in Ostend Road, is brought to Glückstadt, or some other Port on the Elbe, for we cannot believe they will pass the Sound with it to carry it to Cunningsberg, or the Pillars. The Commander of the Brandenburg Frigats let the Governor of Ostend know, by the Master and Seamen he set aboard, That pursuant to the Orders he had from his Electoral Highness, he had taken the said Ship by way of Reprizal for the Subsidies the Crown of Spain remains owing to him; that he would send her to Cunningsberg; That his Electoral Highness would expect three Months for the Spaniards to give him satisfaction in concerning the said Arrears, which if they did not in that time, he would cause the said Ship and goods to be sold. In the mean time people here continued to be much concerned that things have so fallen out at a time when it is so necessary to be united for preserving the Publick Peace.

Hague, Oct. 1. From Paris we have advice that the Dutch Ambassador had acquainted the French King, That the Spanish Commissioners had received new Powers without the Title of Burgundy, and that the States General were now in hopes (seeing that obstacle was removed) that the Assembly at Courtray would soon determine the difference about the Limits; at which His most Christian Majesty seemed well pleased, assuring the said Ambassador that he would endeavour to preserve the Peace. Pursuant to the Memorials of the Spanish Envoy, about the seizing the Spanish Man of War at Ostend, the States have writ very pressing in that affair to the Elector of Brandenburg, and have

at the same time ordered the respective Admiralties to send out forthwith what Ships they have in readiness, to prevent the like mischiefs for the future. The Prince of Orange has been received at Zell and at Hanover with the greatest marks of respect imaginable.

Paris, Sept. 26. We have advice that our Gallies are returned to Marseilles. The King of Spain having granted a new Power to his Commissioners at Courtray (in which the Title of Burgundy is left out) the Conferences there will be renewed. The Dauphin is not well.

Chester, Sept. 20. On Saturday last the young Earl of Ossory set Sail from Neston in this River, in the Portsmouth Yacht, for Dublin.

Portsmouth, Sept. 21. The 19th in the Evening the Pearle Frigate Sailed from Spithead to the Westward.

Plymouth, Sept. 21. This Morning His Majesty's Ship the Phoenix, Captain Blake Commander, went out to Cruize to the Westward, having on board him a Spanish Knight, who has been some days here, expecting the Arrival of the Prince of Parma.

The Officers of the Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer have Money in Bank to pay to Number 33 Inclusive, of the Orders Registered on the Second Act for Disbanding the Army.

Advertisements.

A Ribur W. Waret, aged about 19 years, of middle stature, a swarthy Complexion, some Pimples in his face, black hair, a Scar cros the back of one of his hands, in a brown Cloth Suit, and a white Beaven, Run away on the second Instant from Mr. Paris Stonger at the Blue Anchor in East 11 Street, with a considerable Sum of Money in Gold and Silver. Whoever secures him and the money, and gives notice to Mr. Stonger aforesaid, shall have twenty Guineas as a Reward.

Taken from William Meade; on the 23 Instant about four of the Clock in the Afternoon, on the Road, about 12 Miles beyond Farnborough in Kent, by two men, one being pretty tall, a black swarthy Complexion, long visaged, the other middle Statured, round visaged, a large dark brown long Gelding, a little low Back, long neck, no white about him, and seven years old. Whoever brings him to William Meade in Fenchurch-Street, London, shall have five Pounds as a Reward.

Stolen on the 22 Instant from Mr. Whites Stable at Woodford in Essex, two bright bay Geldings, about 15 hands high, one with a small white spot in the Forehead, the other a little crack-winded, both used to Saddle or Coach; a brown Mare, about 14 hands high; and a small brown Nag about 12. Whoever gives notice of any of these Geldings to Mr. White at Woodford, or at the Robin-Hood at Mile-end-Green, shall have 20 s. Reward, or if of any of the other two they shall be very well Rewarded.

Lost out of a Stable belonging to the old Crown in Harbottle Reg, in the County of Leiceste, on Wednesday the 19 Instant, a brown spotted Fox-hound Bitch, middle sized, very handome, a sharp long red head like a Fleet-hound, a blaze on her Forehead, at the top of which she hath been burnt through the skin, where continues a Scar, a red spot about the breadth of a Crown Piece on her left shoulder, about three inches of her Tail cut off. Whoever gives notice of her to Mr. Eyre in Bridgenorth in Shropshire, or to Captain Hammond at the Green-Dragon Tavern in East-Street, shall have 5 Guineas Reward.

On the 20th Instant about Noon a Gentleman was robbed by four men, at a place called Fox-Crover, near Harpsfield-Bridge, from whom they took besides Money and other things, a fat dun coloured Gelding, with a black Lilt, above 14 hands high, five years old, some long hairs about the small of his forelegs, trots all. Whoever gives notice of either of the Robbers or Horse to Mr. Gabriel Bonne, Button seller, over against Hutton Garden in Hibernia, shall be well Rewarded. For the Robbery, one of the Robbers left a Bay Stone-Horse, very poor, a Star and several white spots in his Forehead, 13 hands, a Thorn Main. Whoever owns the said Horse, may hear of him at the Swan at Harpsfield-Bridge aforesaid.