

*Munster*, Nov. 28. The Elector of Saxony arrived here the 26th instant with a small Train, and was followed some hours after by the Duke of *Hakouier* and the Landgrave of *Hesse*, their Troops being Quartered round this City, within two or three German Miles of it; and yesterday the said Princes returned again to their Quarters. The Elector of Saxony was Complimented at *Windecken*, by an Envoy from the Elector of *Metz*.

*Cologne*, Decemb. 7. The Cardinal of *Furstemberg* has sent hither a Project of a Neutrality, containing, among other Points, That this City shall Protect his Person and Adherents: That the Decision of the Dispute about the Election to this Archbishoprick shall be left to a General Council; and that in the mean time the Garisons that are now in *Bon*, *Rainberg*, and *Keyserwaert*, shall remain there; But those of the Chapter that are in the Imperial Interests have absolutely rejected it. And the Emperor's Minister has, by Order of the Pope and the Emperor, required the said Cardinal and those of his Party, for the third and last time, to acknowledge and obey Prince *Clement* of *Bavaria* as Archbishop and Elector of *Cologne*, upon Pain of Excommunication and the Imperial Ban. Our Magistrates have sent Deputies to Compliment the Elector of *Brandenburg*, upon his arrival at *Wesel*.

*Brussels*, Decemb. 7. The French Envoy parted from hence yesterday, well satisfied with the Answer that was given him in the Business he was sent upon. There being now a very good Garison in *Cologne*, it's believed that City will declare against *France*. It's said that the Cardinal of *Furstemberg* has thoughts of retiring from *Bon* to *Metz*. The French have reinforced the Garison of *Metz* to 8000 Men, and we are told that the Marquis de *Boufflers* was expected there the 3 of this Month. They write from the *Palatinate*, That 2000 French were marched from *Hatibron* towards *Neuremberg*, to raise Contributions; and that the Elector of Saxony had, upon notice of it, sent after them a strong Detachment of Horse and Dragoons. The Troops of *Brandenburg* that lately arrived at *Bylevelt* are marching towards the Camp at *Duisbourg*.

*Paris*, Decemb. 8. The King has caused a Declaration to be published, bearing Date the 25th of the last Month, by which a new Duty is laid upon all Merchandizes that are brought from *Flanders* to be sold in this Kingdom or the new Conquests. An Officer is appointed to accompany the Dutch Ambassador during his stay here. Monsieur de *Saignelay*, who parted from hence on Wednesday last, to visit the Ports on the Coast of *Normandy*, is expected here again in 10 or 12 days, having deferred till another time his going to *Brest*, *Rochefort*, and *Bayonne*. Orders are given for the Fortifying, with all possible diligence, the Town and Cittadel of *Blaye* on the *Garonne*. We have advice, That the Algerines have lately taken several French Ships.

*Hague*, Dec. 10. The Count d'*Avanx*, Ambassador Extraordinary of *France*, has presented a Memorial to the States-General, acquainting them with his having received Orders to return home, and desiring

Passports for himself, his Family and Baggage; which the States have granted, but at the same time it has, by their Order, been signified to his Excellency, That they desire, before his Departure, to be assured, That their Ambassador shall have the same Liberty to return hither; and in the mean time a Captain of Foot is appointed to accompany his Excellency every where, in the same manner as the Ambassador of this State is observed in *France* by order of that Court. The States-General have resolved to raise 3000 Dragoons. The Bishop of *Munster* has had a Conference with the Elector of *Brandenburg* at *Ham*, and has promised to joyn 5000 Men with the Forces of the Confederates. The 5th instant arrived at *Rotterdam*, the Master whereof reports, That he came from *Plimouth* the 30th past, and that the Saturday before, a Squadron of Dutch Men of War had met with 5 French Privatiers fitted out at *St. Malo*, mounted with between 30 and 40 Guns apiece, of which they took two, and sunk three. A Gentleman is arrived here from the Elector of *Brandenburg*, to notify his arrival at *Wesel*.

Sheriff for

Gloucestershire, James Stephens of Clowerwall Esq;

The new Tin Farthings made by His Majesties Command, are to be delivered out at the Tinn-Office in Bishopsgate-street, where will be given a farther account of the same, and also at Jonathan's Coffee-house, near the Royal-Exchange.

Advertisements.

ON Sunday last being the Second of this instant December, went away from his Master in London, with 52 Guineas, and about 80 Pounds in Silver, a slender young Man of a middle size, about 20 years of age, thin visage, and pale Complexion'd, inclining to a Consumption, in a brown Drugget Coat, a brown silk Waistcoat lined with yellow silk and silver Buttons, and a fair bob Periwig, but probably may have changed his Cloaths. Whoever secures him, and what Money is found in his Custody, and gives notice thereof to Mr. John Parsons at the General Post-Office in London, shall have Ten Pounds Reward.

A Soldier in Captain Cornwall's Troop, being a well set man, strong made, but short, with light friz'd hair, about 30 years old, went away the first instant at night from the Golden-Lyon in St. John's Street, with a black Gelding near 15 hands, his Mane half shorn, brown Muzzle a large Star in his forehead, a blew Velvet Saddle with Silver Twist, and new Holster-Caps of the same, and several wearing Cloaths and Linnen, with some Surgeons Instruments. Whoever gives notice of him to Mr. Baily, Poulterer at Charing Cross, or at the Golden-Lyon aforesaid, shall have two Guineas Reward.

ONE Mr. William Lancaster, a young Man about 23, of a brown Complexion, in a Rustet Suit, with a short light colour'd Periwig, with Sword and Boots, riding on Tuesday the 27th of November in the Night towards Essex, was thrown into a Hole, and his Horse lying upon him, almost kill'd him, and no farther account can be had of him. Whoever gives notice of him to the Porter of Ely-house in Holborn, or to Mr. Coggs, Goldsmith, near St. Clement's Church, shall be well rewarded.

RUN away the 4th instant from Captain Nehemiah Barning in Garlands Court in Stepney, a Negro man about 24 years old, well set, in a brown Fustian Frock, he founds a Trumpet well; also an Indian black Boy, about 14, with a Fustian Frock, but no Hat. Whoever gives notice of them, so as they be had again, to the said Captain Barning, or to Mr. Buford, at his Coffee-house in George-yard in Lombard Street, shall have a Guinea Reward.