

the Alarm to all the rest, so that only two were killed, and two taken. The Duke of Luxembourg lies still encamped about Courtray, and it's said that the Marquis de Boufflers is moved with the Troops under his Command towards Ipres.

Hague, Sept. 5. From *Lege* we have an Account, That the Forces commanded by General *Fleming* were come on this side *Huy*; and that the Veils which were laden with Cannon and Ammunition at *Masfricht*, were passed down the *Meuse*. The States of *Holland* meet again on the 10th instant; and the Deputies of the Admiralties are expected against that time.

Offend, Sept. 5. On the first instant arrived here the Duke of *Leinster*, with the Forces under his Command, which were all landed the day following, and encamped at *Mariéshke*, about 4 English Miles from this place. They have been since joyned by a Detachment from His Majesty's Camp, under the Command of Lieutenant-General *Tismash*, and are marched towards *N-wport*; and yesterday 4 of our Regiments possessed themselves of *Furnes*, a Town about half way between *N-wport* and *Dunkirk*. Two thousand Pioneers are at work to fortifie it, and it's said 6000 more are ordered that way. Ten Three-pounders and two Six-pounders are marched from hence towards *N-wport*. Our Mortar-pieces are taken out of the Transport-ships, and put upon flat-bottom'd Boats. Sir *Closetey Shewell* continues in this Road with the Squadron of Men of War under his Command.

Dublin, August 26. His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland embarked on *Wednesday* on board the *Monmouth* Yacht at *Niffon*, two Men of War being appointed to attend him, and yesterday in the evening his Excellency arrived here. As soon as the Ships appeared in sight of *Hoath*, Notice was given thereof by firing several Pieces of Cannon, whereupon all imaginable Preparation was made for his Excellency's Reception. The Right Honourable the Earl of *Meath*, the Lord *Blington*, and Colonel *Coot*, being the persons appointed to compliment his Excellency at his Landing, from the Lords Justices and Council, went down to *Kings-End*, attended by the greatest part of the Gentry in their Coaches, the Lord *Chancellor*'s and Lord *Coningsby*'s Coaches going empty for his Excellency and Retinue. At his Landing, He declared to the Lords of the Council, He would go directly to the Council-Chamber to be sworn, where the Lords Justices and Council were then met, and a higher *John Pulstrey* Esq; one of his Excellency's Secretaries, and Clerk of the Privy-Council, was sent before in one of the Barges, with his Excellency's Patent; upon his coming thither, he was sworn Clerk of the Council. About half an hour after, came in his Excellency to the Council Chamber, conducted by the King at Arms, with the Heralds at Arms, Gentlemen Ushers, White Staves, and Messengers, with several of the Nobility, who going to the upper-end of the Table, his Excellency ordered the Clerk of the Council to deliver Their Majesties Commission to the Lords Justices; My Lord Chancellor taking it, ordered the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery to read it, which was accordingly done; after which the Clerk of the Council administered the two Oaths appointed by Act of Parliament, and read the Declaration, which his Excellency signed; and then the Lord Chancellor administered the Oath of Lord Lieutenant; and afterwards, upon the delivery of the Sword, which was jointly held by the two Lords Justices, the Lord Chancellor made a short Speech, something to this effect, *That it being usual, upon such occasions as this was, to give his Excellency an exact Account of the Condition and Affairs of the Kingdom, they now thought it wholly unnecessary, being sensible his Lordship was thoroughly acquainted therewith; That their Majesties could not have fix'd upon a Person more to the mind and general satisfaction of the Kingdom, than his Excellency; and that they were in hopes the Work which was so successfully begun, in bringing this Nation out of the Ruins it was involv'd in, into an entire Peace during Their Administration, and to which His Excellency had been the greatest Contributor, would now be fully perfected.* Which done, his Excellency took his Place; my Lord Chancellor moved to the left hand of his Excellency; and my Lord *Coningsby* down, as the youngest Baron. The Chamber was then ordered to be clear'd, and presently after were again called in, when Colonel *Robert Smith* and Sir *Cyril Wrench* were sworn of the Privy-Council. After which, the King at Arms, Heralds at Arms, Gentlemen Ushers, and White Staves, were ordered to go to the Castle, whither his Excellency went, attended by all the Council, Nobility and Gentry, the Sword being carried

before his Excellency by the Earl of *Meath*. His Excellency notwithstanding his being jilted, and tired, was pleased to receive the Compliments of many. There being Fire-works prepared, his Excellency went into an Apartment looking on the Parade, and stood till they were retiring afterwards into his Closet, The Night ended with Acclamations and Bonfires.

Falmouth, August 27. The 24th instant passed by this Port our outward-bound *Newfoundland* Fleet; and this day we saw about 26 Sail standing to the Eastward, which proved to be our Fleet of Merchant-men, with their Convoy, bound home from the *Barbadoes*.

Plimouth, August 28. Yesterday put into this Port two Dutch Men of War, with about 60 Sail of Merchant-men, bound to *St. Tubes*, and other places. This day arrived here Their Majesties Ship the *Affiance*, with about 16 Sail of Merchant Ships under her Convoy, from the *Barbadoes*, but came last from *Kinsale*. This day came in also from the Coast of *Ireland* Their Majesties Ships the *Centurion* and *Portsmouth*, with a French Privateer of 30 Guns, which was taken by the *Centurion* some time ago: and the *Nevis Merchant* from the *West-Indies*.

Advertisements.

†† An Enquiry into the Causes of Diseases in General, and the Disturbances of the Humours in Man's Body, wherein the Nature of the Blood, of the Air, and of a Pestilential Constitution, are briefly considered; together with some Observations, shewing wherein the Venom of Vipers, particularly of the English Adder, doth consist. By *Stantford Wolferstan, M. A.* Printed in Tho. Bassett at the George in Fleetstreet.

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*J*ohn Hodgson, aged about 17, in a sad-coloured Shalloon Frock, and Leather Breeches, a red Cap, and light brown Hair, went away the 15th of August last. If he will return to his Friends, he shall be kindly received; or whoever gives Notice of him to *John Hodgson* at the Sign of the Broom in Goswell-street against Old-freet, shall have a Guinea Reward, and Charges.

*S*tolen or Stray'd out of the Grounds of *Sir John Bramell* at Enfield, on the 25th past, a bay punch Gelding, about 14 hands, with a Star and Snip, his off Feet white, and full aged. Also a black Mare, about 13 hands, almost blind, and about 8 years old. Whoever gives Notice of them at his House at the Tower of London, or at Enfield, shall have a Guinea Reward for each.

*L*ost a Bundle of Paperstyd with an Orange-colour'd Ribbon. Whoever brings it to Mr. *Anthony Wright*, Publick Notary at the Royal Exchange shall have a Guinea reward.

*L*ost between *Newington* and *Shoreditch*, about the beginning of June last, a Bond for Payment of 40 l. to *Arne Hulbert*. Whoever brings to Mr. *Ramify* a Throster in *Vine-Court* in *Spittle-Fields*, shall have 10 s. Reward.