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From the Imperial Camp near Ponte Oglio, Sept. 8. N. 5.

THE 4th Infant. divers Deferters came over to us, who gave an Account, That the Enemy lost above 4000 Men in the late Action at Chiari, which was confirmed by some intercepted Letters writ from the Enemy's Camp to Milan. The Enemy removed their Camp to the other side of a Brook which they had pass'd to attack us, in which Action they spent almost the whole day, tho' they did not remove above half a Mile. Captain *Columa*, of the Regiment of *Serini*, was sent out with a Party of 50 Horse, who went between both the Enemy's Lines, kill'd 2 Men, and took 3 Horses, which they carried off without any Loss. The 6th, the Enemy retired farther towards the *Oglio*, their head Quarter being now at *Fagn*; and seeing they march'd near our right Wing, the same was reinforced with 6 Battalions. Several Parties were sent out to observe the Enemy. We had Advice, that the Enemy would march the next day; our Parties took divers Prisoners; and a great number of Deferters, both Horse and Foot, come over to us. The 7th, by break of day, we heard the Enemy beat a March, upon which our Horse was immediately ordered to be in a readiness, and part of the foot of our Right Wing were also sent out, and Prince *Commerci*, with the Major-Generals *Dietrichsham* and *Vaubonne*, went out with a Detachment of 1400 Horse to endeavour to fall upon the Enemy's Rear; but they found no opportunity to attempt any thing; The Enemy made no other Motion than to move their first Line a little nearer to us, and to advance the second into their Place; from which we judge that they intend to repass the *Oglio*, and did this to cover their Retreat, and to gain more Ground behind them. The 8th, the Enemy continued in the same Posture as yesterday. We kept our Horse in a readiness to fall upon their Rear if they had march'd, though we fear little could be done, there being 2 Brooks between us and them. One of our Parties of Foot, who had been absent 3 days to surprize a Convoy of Provilors which was coming from *Lodi* to *Soncino*, met with a General of the Duke of *Saxony's* Forces, who was going from the Army for the recovery of his Health; he escaped, but our Men took his Adjutant, some Foot Soldiers who attended him as a Guard, and all his Bagage. The Parties are so near, that their advanced Centinels are scarce 500 Paces distant from one another.

Vitona, Sept. 11. Count *Breuner*, Adjutant-General, arriv'd here last night from the Imperial Army in *Italy*, being sent by Prince *Eugene* to give the Emperor an Account of the happy Success of his Arms in the late Action at *Chiari*, in which near 5000 of the Enemy were killed or wounded, and among these above 300 Officers; with the loss only of about 100 killed and wounded of the *German*. The Emperor intends to send a farther Reinforcement to his Army in *Italy*, and some Regiments are accordingly ordered thither from *Hungary*. 'Tis said, Count *Schick*, who went from hence a few days ago to the Court of the Elector of *Mentz*, has Orders to call upon Prince *Lewis* of *Baden*, and to confer with him about drawing together an Army upon the *Rhine*.

Frankfort, Sept. 18. The Diet of the Circle of *Swabia* are assembled at *Heilbron*, and have under consideration the augmenting their Forces; and the Diet of the Circle of *Franconia* are assembled at *Nuremberg* about the same business. The Conferences about the Circles entering into an Association for their Common Defence are continued, and 'tis said the Emperor will likewise enter therein on the account of the Circle of *Austria*. Deputies from the Diet of the Circle of the *Upper Rhine* have been to review the Forces of the said Circle, which are encamp'd near *Wabden*; The Troops of the Circle of *Swabia* are still encamp'd near *Offenburgh*, where 'tis said they will shortly

be joined by those of *Franconia*. They write from *Ratisbonne*, that the Imperial Ministers have notified to the Diet, That the Emperor has issued a Monitory against the Duke of *Saxony*, as was done before against the Duke of *Mantua*; and that the King of *Sweden's* Ministers there declare, That the King their Master has taken possession of *Courland*, only to secure to himself a Reimbursement of the Charges he has been at in the War with the King of *Poland*, and a Reparation of the Losses his Subjects have suffered in *Livonia*.

Cologne, Sept. 20. The Deputies of the Chapter of this City, at the Diet assembled at *Bn*, have presented a Memorial to the said Diet, containing in substance, That the Towns of *Rheinberg* and *Keyferswaert* might be very well provided with all things necessary for their Defence, without any Assistance from a Foreign Power if the Subsidies granted in the preceding Diets had been applied to the use they were given for; That the Elector cannot enter into any Alliance or Association without the Consent of the Chapter; That 'tis well known with what Money his Electoral Highness has raised new Forces, and does now maintain them; And that they desire he will not take it ill, if in discharge of their Conscience they protest against all that he has done or may do, in relation to this Affair, without the Consent of the Chapter. This Protest has been registred among the Records of the Chapter, and Orders are sent to their Deputies to leave the Diet and return hither. The Elector Palatine is expected the 28th Instant at the Camp near *Mulheim*, to take a Review of his Forces. Many of the *French* Soldiers, at present encamp'd near *Aix la Chapelle*, desert daily.

Hamburg, Sept. 20. The *Danish* Horse which is to enter into the Service of the States-General, are to pass the *Elbe* the 24th Instant in their march to *Holland*; the Foot are to be sent thither by Sea, and will embark at *Weselford* and *Geulickstad*. The Duke of *Wurtemberg*, who is to command these Forces, is daily expected here from *Copenhagen*, in his way to *Holland*. They write from *Copenhagen*, that 'twas discours'd that the King of *Denmark* would send an Ambassador to the King of *Poland*, to promote the Negotiation for restoring the Peace of the North. They write from *Danzick*, that the *Saxon* Forces which lately came into the Neighbourhood of that place, are marching to *Kositz*, where they are to be reviewed, and after that will continue their march to *Saxony*. They write from *Courland*, that the *Swedish* Forces were encamp'd within 6 miles of *Libau*, and that the King of *Sweden* had demand'd of the Magistrates of *Memel*, the great Train of Artillery belonging to the King of *Poland*, which is laid up in that Town; 'Tis said, the Magistrates have refused to deliver it to him, but that in all probability they will be oblig'd to comply.

Brussels, Sept. 23. The Marquis of *Beamar* will return hither this evening from visiting the Lines in *Flanders*. The Duke of *Arco* and his Brother, who are sent hither by way of Banishment, for presenting a Memorial to the King of *Spain*, against his giving the Rank of *Grandees* to the Dukes and Peers of *France*, is shortly expected here. Letters from *Madrid* of the 8th Instant say, the King of *Spain* parted from thence the 5th for *Saragossa*, from whence he would continue his Journey to *Barcelona* to meet his Queen. He has left the Administration of the Government during his Absence with the Cardinal of *Portocarrero*, with more absolute Powers than were ever given before to any Minister here. The Letters add, that several of the *Grandees* had desired Leave to retire to their Country Houses, which was granted to some, and refused to others. There is a general Dissatisfaction among the *Spanish* Nobility.

Leis, Sept. 23. The King being accompanied with the Duke of *Ces* and the Electoral Prince of *Hanover*, went the 21st Instant to *Dieren*, and His Majesty and their Highnesses are expected here again to morrow. His Majesty intends to go the 28th to review the *English* Forces encamp'd

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camped near Breda. Sir Robert Sutton left this Place the 21st, in order to proceed on his Embassy to Turkey by the way of Vienna.

Hague, Sept. 23. The Earl of Marlborough went from hence yesterday in the evening to wait upon His Majesty at Leo, and from thence will go to the Camp near Breda. Count Nassau Weirburgh, General of the Elector Palatine's Forces, is come hither from Leo. The States of Holland and Westfriesland are assembled, and their Deputies are frequently in Conference with those of the several Cities of the Admiralty.

Paris, Sept. 24. N.S. The freshest Advices from the French Army in Italy are of the 16th Instant, when the two Armies continued in the same Poits mentioned in our last, except some little alteration in the disposition of their Camps. The King went from Versailles the 21st Instant to Seaux, where he continued the next day, and yesterday went to Fontenoy, where the Court will continue some time. Letters from Madrid say, the King of Spain is gone from thence to meet the Queen at Barcelona; That the Duke d'Arcos's Disgrace has occasioned great Discontents; And 'tis thought the Almiraute of Castile, and divers others of the Chief Nobility, will be banished from Court.

The Rt. Hon. the Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury having received Information, That whereas several Million Lottery Tickets were made out by the Directions of Mr. Neale, late Master of the Transfer Office, which Tickets upon Examination were found to be imperfect, and not exactly agreeable to the Act of Parliament in that behalf, by reason they were not Cloned on the back side, neither had they the written Numbers nor the Deputy Commissioners Names to them, but instead thereof [Thomas Neal] printed thereon; which said imperfect Tickets, or some of them, have fallen into the hands of Dishonest Persons, who have endeavoured to impose the same upon others by way of Sale for True Tickets: Their Lordships are therefore pleased to give Notice to all Persons, that are or may be concerned in the Taking or Receiving any Million Lottery Tickets, That they be careful to observe the Directions of the said Act, in proving them at the Transfer Office for that purpose in Lombard-street; and that such other Persons as may have any of the said imperfect Tickets in their custody, do forthwith bring the same to the said Transfer Office, in order to have them Truly Destroyed.

A General Court of The English Company Trading to the East-Indies, will be held at Skinners-hall on Thursday the 25th Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon, being a Quarterly Court: And the Quarterly General Court of The General Society, will be held at 11 a Clock the same Day, and at the same Place.

The Court of Directors of the Bank of England give Notice, That a General Court to consider of making a Dividend will be held at the Bank on Wednesday the 24th Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon; And that the Transfer Books of the Bank were shut up on Monday last the 15th Instant, and will continue so till Friday the 10th of October next.

His Majesty's Council Learned having given their Opinion upon the Construction of the several Acts of Parliament, Relating to the Prohibition of all Wrought Silks, Bangs and Stuffs mixed with Silk or Habes of the Manufacture of Persia, China, or East-India, and all Calicoes painted, dyed, printed or stained there, viz. That all the said Goods, as well such of them as are already, or shall be imported into this Kingdom of England, Dominion of Wales, or Town of Berwick upon Tweed, before the 30th of this instant September, (being not made up in Apparel or Furniture before that day) as all others which shall on or after that day be imported, are to be brought into Publick Warehouses, to be Approved by the Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs for the time being, in order to Exportation. And whereas all the said Goods not being made up as aforesaid, which shall be found in any House or Place, other than such Warehouses, after the 10th day of October next, will be Forfeited, with great Penalties upon the Persons in whose Custody they shall be found; The said Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, for preventing Surprise upon such Persons as shall happen to have any of the Goods subject to the said Prohibition and Penalties remaining in their hands on the said 30th of September, have thought fit to give this Publick Notice, That all such of the said Goods as shall remain not made up as aforesaid within this Kingdom, or other Places adjacent within the Bills of Mortality, and within the Cities of London and Westminster, and Suburbs and Places adjacent within the Bills of Mortality, may be carried to the respective Custom-house next to any such City, Town, or Place, which the Commissioners have approved, and do hereby approve, to be the Warehouses for receiving the said Goods according to the said Acts; In which said respective Warehouses, every particular Man's Property may be distinguished in several Trunks, Chests, or other Partitions, if the Proprietors think fit, under Locks of their own; And the Door of such Warehouse shall be secured by Locks of the Collector and Surveyor of the Port,

which the Commissioners do conceive, may answer the Intention of the Law in that Particular.

And as for such Goods as shall be or remain within the Cities of London and Westminster, or Suburbs and Places adjacent within the Bills of Mortality, where it is provided there may remain great Quantities of such Goods subject to the Regulation of the said Acts; The Commissioners do hereby give notice to all Persons concerned, That they be ready (on Application made to them) to Approve such Publick Warehouses for the Accommodation of the Owners, in lodging their Goods within the time aforesaid, for the said Quantities of the Goods belonging to them, in the manner the said Commissioners have already done with regard to the East-India Companies: But as for such of the said Goods within the Districts last mentioned, concerning which no Application shall be made to the Commissioners, concerning Board to Approve Publick Warehouses for them in the said Publick Hall in Basinghall-street, London, which is due to them by the said Company, for Receiving and Securing the same aforesaid, and Securing in order to Exportation, as such of the said Goods, concerning which no other Provision shall be made for want of timely Notice to the said Commissioners.

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Meditations, with short Prayers annexed, in Ten Decads, upon various Subjects. By Benjamin Jenks, Rector of Harley in Shropshire, and Chaplain to the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Bradford. Printed for W. Rogers against St. Dunstan's Church, and B. Tooke at the Middle-Temple-Gate, in Fleet-street.

On Thursday the 5th of October next, a Plate of about 35 l. value will be run for on Winbrook Course in Lincolnshire, by Horsts that never won above 20 l. Gentlemen to ride, 3 Heats, 12 Stone weight, the winning Horie to be paid for 30 Guineas. The Horsts to be entered that day severally before at Winbrook.

Lost on Monday last near St. James's Gate, a Painted Box without Sticks, turned up in a white Paper. Whoever brings it to Jones's Coffee-house in the middle of St. Martin's Lane, shall have 10 s. Reward.

Wheras a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against John Judd, late of New Sarum in Wils, Hensmanmaker; All Persons that owe him any Moneys, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their hands, are to pay or deliver the same to any Person, but to such only whom the Commissioners shall appoint.

A Herse, 4 Stage-Coaches, and 26 Coach-Horses with their Harness, lately kept by Mr. Vernon of Rochester, deceased, for the Stages of Canterbury, Dover, Deale, Maidstone, Rochester, Gravesend, and London, and a Stock of Hay and Oats, are to be sold; Likewise the House at Rochester, with the Stables, Granaries, and other Conveniences, to be let. Enquire of Mr. Marlow at the Star Inn on Fishstreet-hill, or Mr. Baker at Jonathan's Coffee-house in Cornhill, London; or of Mrs. Vernon in Rochester.

THE Red-Lion Inn at Holmes-Chapel in Cheshire, now in good Trade, great part being newly rebuilt, with a Brewhouse, Stables, and all other Conveniences, also several Acres of Arable, Pasture and Meadow Ground, is to be let from May-day next. Enquire of Zachariah Amson, at Mr. Tho. Carbonsell, Merchant, in Fenchurch-street, London; or of Mr. Tho. Farrington of Breerton-lane in Cheshire, who will shew the Premises.

On Thursday the 25th Instant, a Plate of about 10 l. value will be run for on Mitcham Common in Surrey, by Galloways not exceeding 12 hands and half, to carry 6 Stone; and all under that size, to be allowed half a Stone for every lb. The Galloways to be entered 3 days before at the Swan in Mitcham, paying one Guinea; or may be entered on the Course before Starting, paying two Guineas.

Wheras John Cridland, middle-sized, disfigured with the Small-Pox, his Hair brown and cut close, a Scar in his Head behind, wears a dark cinnamon Coat, a Damask Waistcoat mixed with Orange and Blue, and Plush Breeches with a White Ground flower'd with Red; ran away from Wm. Cole at the Bear Inn in Oxford, with a sorrel Mare 14 hands and a half, about 5 years old, a Star in her Forehead, somewhat low Back'd, and subject to greasy Heels. Whoever secures the Perform or Mare, and gives notice to Wm. Cole aforesaid, or to Mr. John Bulley at the Dolphin Tavern in Lombard-street, London, shall have a Guinea Reward.