

are laden with Provisions or Ammunition; The Elector of Triers has given Orders for visiting likewise at Coblenz the Boats that pass by that place going down the River; And we hear the French Garrison at Box begins to suffer for want of Provisions, and great numbers of them desert daily, especially of those to whom the Guard of the Fort on the other side of the Rhine is committed, who have the Opportunity of getting to Siegbourg, where they are taken care of by the Elector Palatine's Officers. The Elector of Cologne is still at Luxembourg; and the Count de Tallard with the Forces under his Command continues at Saar Louis. A Line is making round Rimberrg, in order to keep that place closely blockt up during the Winter; and we have Advice, that the Governor of that place having sent from thence some Bagag for Guelders, under a Guard of 400 Men, it fell into the hands of our Troops, who killed some of their Men, and took most of the rest Prisoners.

Paris, Nov. 24. The French King gave Orders, That every Regiment of Foot should, on pain of being broke, raise a Troop of Horse, allowing them 150 Livres for every Trooper, which is not half the Charge that must be rais'd; many will be oblig'd to surrender their Commissions; These new raised Men are to be added to the Regiments now on foot, which consist of 8 Troops, and are to be thus augmented to 12. This Court being oblig'd to make use of any means to raise Money to supply the pressing Occasions of the State, has laid an Additional Tax of 4 Livres a League upon all the Inhabitants of the Impriations on their Commodities were already 16 high, that it was one of the great Grievances of the People. We daily see more and more the Consequences of the lots of the Plate-d'acier at Vigo, the Spaniards, who are considerable Officers, Company of the French, who have drawn them into these Mistortunes, and the French on the other hand cannot but suspect the Friendship of the Spaniards, so that the Jealousies are starv'd between the two Nations are continualy increasing. They write from Italy, that on the 14th Instant a Detachment of 1200 French from Mantua possess'd themselves of the Intrenchments which the Impriants had at Dog bore, whereof the Duke of Vendome having Advice he sent them a Reinforcement of 600 Spaniards, in order to attack the Castle, which surrendered to them at discretion the next day.

Hague, Nov. 28. N. S. The States General have under Consideration the State of the War for the next Year; and for the better Supporting the Extraordinary Charge it brings upon them, have resolv'd to raise twice in the Year the Two hundredth Penny. It is said their Fleet will be upon the same Foot as it was last Year. Three Regiments of Foot, under the Command of the Baron of Heusen, are marching towards the Texel, in order to go on board several of our Men of War; but it is not known for what Service they are design'd.

Exeter, November 16. This afternoon came in here a Fishing Privateer of 22 Guns, which has not been abroad above 15 days, and in that time has taken 9 Prizes, viz. 2 French West-India Ships, which he has sent home, 4 Bankers, which are redeemed and releas'd, one other Prize he has sent to Lisbon, another he has brought in here, and the 9th being very leaky, he was forced to sink at Sea.

Cowes, Nov. 18. Yesterday was sent in hither by a Fishing Privateer a French Prize of 80 Tuns in Ballast, which was coming from the West-Indies with a Præquer for the French Court, which they threw over board when they found they could not avoid being taken.

Dale, November 20. Just now is come into the Downs from St. Hellens Rear-Admiral Graydon, with 8 of Her Majesty's Ships, 2 of the Spanish Galeons, and several French Men of War taken at Vigo, and divers Coasters and other small Vessels.

St. James's, Nov. 19. This day the Baron de Nischnitz, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Poland, had private Audience of Leave of Her Majesty, and afterwards of His Royal Highness, being conducted by Sir Charles Cottrell Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, Nov. 19. This day Sir George Rooke Kt. Vice-Admiral of England, and Admiral of Her Majesty's Fleet, was, by Her Majesty's Command, Sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

Whereas the Rt. Hon. Richard Earl of Scarborough hath received Debentures for the First Troop of Guards formerly under his Command; This is therefore to give notice to all Persons concerned therein, That Attendance will be given at Mr. Bentley's at the King's-Arms over-against Hungerford-Market on Monday the 30th Instant, and

Tuesday the First of December, from 8 in the morning to 12, and from 2 in the afternoon till 6 at night, according to the said Debentures.

**Advertisements.**  
This week will be Publish'd, A Sermon Preach'd before the Queen and the House of Commons in St. Paul's Church, Nov. 12 1702, being the Day of giving for the Signal Success of the Army, and the Victory by Sea and Land, and those of Her Majesty's Father in God, Jonathan Lord Bishop of Exeter, by Her Majesty's Special Command. Printed for T. Bennet, Stationer in St. Paul's Church-yard.

**Madam Gifford, Wife of William Gifford Esq.** (Her Majesty's Commissioner of the Navy at Portsmouth) hath been many years blind or Catarract, was cured by the Head, the Approval and Experience of Occant, and the Sight in Oct. 10. last in less than a minute, without any Pain, Sight increasing so much daily since the Operation, that she as well as ever, and detests any Ointment or Salve. This Operation being with such great Success, she hath been generously Reward'd by the Commissioners, and is mentioned in the Gazette, for the Reputation of Mr. Keel, and Benefit of others under the same Mistorune. Mr. Keel is constantly to be advis'd withal at the Raven over-against Exchange in the Strand, London, every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, since the late Petition of Quality, where he and several other Physicians, a French Man, but speaks good English, and a Seaman, a most man, well let, tall, and aged, of a complexion, and brown hair, black eyes, wears a forehead cap, is a big, muscular, stout, somewhat light, and a very good day, but not a very stout, any Person that can be desired to come to the Commissioners, or to any of the Officers at Westminster, or to any of the Stationers-hall, in St. Dunstons, or to any of the Stationers or Agents.

**The Anatomy of Humane Bodies improv'd,** according to the Circulation of the Blood, and all the other Discoveries. Thoroughly demonstrated at the Theatre in the Royal Garden at Paris, by Mr. Denis chief Surgeon to the Dauphin &c. Translated from the 3d Edition. Enlarg'd by the Author: With a Dissertation upon the Nature of Generators, and several new Systems: With Figures of all the Parts of the Body. Approved of by the present President and Council of the College of Physicians in London. Printed for H. Knapton in St. Paul's Church-yard, W. Freeman, T. Goodwin, M. Watson, B. Tooke, in Fleet-street, and S. Mansel in Cornhill.

**In a former Gazette Notice** was given, That Stritch's Almanacks, both Blanks and Sorts, should be kept at Stationers-hall on Tuesday the 24th Instant; but for the Reasons, the Publishing of them is deferred till Tuesday the 5th of December.

**Newly Publish'd, Observations quædam Medico-practice & Physiologicæ,** inter quas aliquæ sunt de De Asthmate & Hydrophobia. quarum etiam Decem ubi præcipiuntur Administrationis totidem Caputrum morbis quædam sunt Observationibus suis præfiguntur affectuum Anatomiarum particulari, & non ante observata. De Cordis in Embryone forum structura, & sanguinis iuxta eam circuitum. Auctore Hum. Ridley, M. D. Coll. Reg. Med. Lond. Soc. Regis Jacobi Tonson, subter Portam Orientalem Hæd. n. Gray.

**The Tradesman's Lawyer, and Countryman's Friend:** First, Directing them in Contracts, Bargains, and Agreements; 2. Concerning Goods lent or pawn'd; 3. Settling several adjudg'd Cases; 4. Cases relating to Relating to treating of Nutances, &c. 5. Concerning Words purposely spoken to prejudice Tradesmen, &c. 6. Concerning Usury, Mortgage, and other Matters betwixt Landlords and Tenants; 7. Concerning ending of Controversies, and of Arbitrations, Awards, Unpirage; 8. Laws concerning Tradesmen, Artificers, Apprentices, Petty Chapmen, &c. Printed for Tho. Bever at the Hand and Star within Temple-bar.

Off the 14th Instant, between St. Ann's Church and Covent Garden, 6 Malt Tickets in a little Box, viz. No. 166100, 166163, 381371, 381308, 421557, and 421558, which the last Numbers were (by Mistake in Writing) wrong in the last Gazette. Whoever brings them to Mr. Lancaster Keate, Goldsmith, at the Unicorn in the Strand, London, shall have 3 Guineas Reward. Payment is kept at the Exchquer.

The Anniversary Feast of the Gentlemen Educated at Merchant-Taylor's School, will be held at Merchant-Taylor's Hall on Tuesday the 15th of December next; Tickets may be had at Mr. Walford's Bookeller, at the Prince's-Arms in St. Paul's Church-yard, Mr. Johnson's a Hosier, at the Golden-Key against Fetter Lane-end in Fleetstreet, Robin's Coffee-house in Exchange Alley, the London-stone Coffee-house in Cannon-street, and Oliver's Coffee-house by Westminster-Hall Gate.

Taken the 28th Instant, out of Bruton Church in Somersetshire, a large Silver Flagon gilt, each holding 3 Quarts and upwards, and 1 Silver gilt Patin, with a Coat of Arms on them, viz. 3 Half-Moons between a Chevron, with a Viscount's Crow over it, 'tis cut in Lozenges, a Silver gilt Caps with Covers, one of the Covers mark'd with R. and the other with the year 1550; 1 Holland Surplice; 1 Damask Table-Cloth, with knotted Fringe on one side, and both ends, and 1 Napkin. Whoever secures them, and gives notice to Sir Thomas Day at Bricklayer's Hall, or to Mr. Edm. Taylor at the 2d Cars near Somerset House in the Strand, London, shall have 20l. for the whole, or proportionable for any part.