In the close of the Evening his Grace, according to the Measures on which he had resolved, ordered a Detachment of 20 Battalions and 38 Squadrons, under the Command of Count Noyelles, Lieutenant-General Scholten, and Lieutenant-General Ingoldesby, the Horse (that were principally concerned in this Action) being commanded by Lieutenant-General Lumley, to advance towards the Posts above-mentioned, which were at least 3 Leagues from our Camp; and at 10 at night he followed with the rest of the Army, having given Notice to Monsieur d'Auvergnerque that he might march back again, in order to join and second him.

By break of day, the Detachment being come to the Lines, forced their Passage with little Opposition, and got over with so much diligence, that 3 Regiments of French Dragoons, which were encamped near the Place attack'd, had not time to oppose them, but were obliged to retire to Leeuwe. Immediately after, Monsieur d'Alegre appeared with a strong Body of Horse and Foot, computed at 50 Squadrons and 20 Battalions, and advanced with great Resolution; But his Grace being already got over with good part of the Horse of the Right Wing, and having formed them, he attacked the Enemy with so much Bravery, that after a hot Dispute of two hours, he obliged them to retire with considerable Loss. His Grace thereupon immediately ordered a Detachment to march to Tirlemont, where they forced the Battalion of Monluc, which was in that Place, to surrender at Discretion.

Another Detachment of Dragoons, which his Grace sent to pursue the Enemy, had the good Fortune to overtake and seize a great part of their Bagage.

In this Action Monsieur d'Alegre and the Count de Hoorn, Lieutenants General, two Majors General, and a great number of other Officers and private Soldiers, were taken Prisoners: We also took 10 Pieces of Cannon, 8 whereof were treble Barrels, and many Standards and Colours. It is not possible to express the Bravery and Resolution our Troops shewed on this occasion.

Yesterday our Army marched from Tirlemont to this Camp, the Right being near Vlierbeck, within a Mile of Louvain, and the Left at Corbeck. The Enemy having marched all the night before, passed the Dyle the same evening at Hever, and encamped near Bethlehem; But their Rear-Guard was not quite passed over when our advanced Squadrons appeared; whereupon they immediately took up their Bridges, leaving behind them a great number of their Foot, of which the Parties sent out by his Grace have brought in above 1400 Prisoners.

Several Officers and Soldiers who were wounded and made Prisoners at the forcing of the Lines are still hourly brought in; and the Number of Officers now Prisoners amounts to near 80, besides those of the Regiment of Monluc.

The Enemy have quitted Diest, and withdrawn the two Battalions that were there in Garison; upon which the Magistrates deputed two of their Body to wait upon his Grace, and beg his Protection.

The Enemy fire upon us from the Walls of Louvain, but without doing us any Damage.

His Grace has sent Colonel Richards, one of his Adjutants, to the Emperor, and Lieutenant-General Hompesch to the States General, with an Account of this great Success.

His Royal Highness Prince George of Denmark, &c. Lord High Admiral of England, &c. is pleased to Order, That all the Men which did belong to Her Majesty's late Ship the Elizabeth, and are now returned from France, do forthwith repair on board Her Majesty's Ship the Bredah, at the Buoy of the Nore, to serve in her, where they will be paid their Wages due in the Elizabeth, before the Bredah sails from the Nore.

By the Principal Commissioners for Prizes.

ON Wednesday the 18th Instant, will be exposed to publick Sale by the Candle, at Salters-Hall in St. Swithin's-Lane, London, the Ship Phillepeaux of St. Malo, burden about 250 Tuns; the Constable of St. Malo, also about 250 Tuns; the John and James, about 75 Tuns, and the St. Matthew, about 60 Tuns; all lying in the Port of Plimouth; the Suprenante, about 50 Tuns, lying at Portsmouth; and the Great Fisher, burden about 300 Tuns, lying at Dartmouth; together with the remaining part of the Cargo of La Siene Prize, consisting of Woollen and other Goods, lying in the Port of London; as also 49 Pipes, two half Pipes of Sherry, and 70 Jars of Olives, out of the Post, or Postillion, lying at Plimouth aforesaid; 14 Iron Ordnance, lying at Rochester; 167 Bags of Orchilla out of the Juffrow Maria, lying at Buttolph-Wharf; about 133 Hundred weight of Flax, out of the Golden Eagle, lying at Plimouth; some Beef, Grout, Butter and Tallow, formerly sold, but not taken away by the Buyers, lying at the Redhouse at Deptford; and 40 Frails of Gumaroback, out of the Fortune of Brest, lying at Ramsgate; together with the Cargoes of the Count de Triers and St. Ann of Stockholm, lying at Portsmouth and Plimouth; and the small Bouverie and Anjou Wines, out of the St. Antonio of Nantz, lying at Dover: Allotments of all which will be again printed and dispersed. And at the same time and place will be also exposed to Sale the Cargoes of the John and James and Hope of Stockholm, lying at Plimouth, consisting of White and Brown Sugars, Gingers damaged, Cotton, Cashia Fistula, Hides in the Hair, Bourdeaux Claret, High Country White Wine, Bourdeaux Weite Wine, Stum, Brandy, Goat-skins, Hogshead Staves and empty Pipes: Allotments whereof have been printed and dispersed. And there will be also resold Lot 67, cont. 5 Hogsheads of White Wine, by the Salvator of Stetin; Lots 49. 55. and 65. cont. 24 Chests of Weite and Brown Sugar, by the Mary Man of War and Taureo Galeon; Lots 148, 149, 150. cont. 3557 Pricks of Tobacco, by the Joseph, [illegible] Coffee and Chocolate, by the Mary Man of War aforesaid, lying at Buttolph-Wharf; which have not been yet paid for, and taken away by the Buyer.

By the Receiver-General for Prizes.

THE Neat Proceed of the Ship Ambitious of St. Malo, taken by Her Majesty's Ship Rochester, being now adjusted;

The Receiver-General doth hereby give Notice, That on Monday the 23d Instant, at the Office for Payment of Captors, in the Piazza's, Covent-Garden, he will then pay each Captor his just Proportion of the said Prize, according to the Directions in Her Majesty's most Gracious Declaration for the Encouragement of Her Ships of War, &c.

The Governor and Company for making Hollow Sword-Blades in England do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the Members of the said Company will be held at the said Company's House in Birchin Lane, London, on Thursday the 19th Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon.

Advertisements.

☞ **There is now published, A True List of the Lords** Spiritual and Temporal, together with the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses of the Parliament, which met at Westminster the 14th of June, 1705. (and then Prorogued to Thursday the 6th of September following) as Returned into the Office of the Clerk of the Crown in Chancery. Printed by Edward Jones in the Savoy, for Cha. Harper at the Flower-de-Luce, and Timothy Goodwin at the Queen's-Head, against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleetstreet. (Price 2 d.)

WHereas Complaint has been made at the Office, That many of the Badges or Marks put on Houses in St. James's Square, Peter-street, Fleet-street, and other Places, Insured by the Friendly Society, have been pulled down without the knowledge either of the Owners of such Houses, or of the Undertakers of the said Office, and which might be of ill Consequence to both: The said Undertakers have therefore directed this Notice to be given, That they only employ therein their own Watermen, who may be known by the Silver Badge of the said Office, (which they wear.) And whoever shall detect any others, committing such Fact, the Undertakers will not only prosecute the Criminals at their own Charge, but reward the Discoverer in proportion to the Value of such Houses from whence such Marks or Badges are stolen. Palsgrave-Court, July 14. 1705.

☞ **The Present State of Europe**; containing an Historical and Political Account of the Interests, Pretentions and Transactions, of the several Courts: For the Month of June, 1705. Vol. 15. To be continued Monthly from the Original published at the Hague. Printed for H. Rhodes at the Corner of Bride-Lane in Fleetstreet, and the Assigns of Eliz. Harris.

WHereas John Walthoe in the Middle-Temple Cloysters has now published a Book, Entituled, A General Abridgment of the Common Law, digested under proper Titles, with Notes and References to the whole, &c. which Book is sold at 25 s. per Book in Sheets by the said John Walthoe: Now Notice is hereby given, That the Assignees of the Patent for the sole Printing of Law Books, are now Printing the said Book, Page for Page, to contain the same Number of Sheets, and on better Paper, which shall certainly be delivered in Sheets to Gentlemen at the Price of 13 s. for each Book, in Michaelmas Term next.

FOR Sale by the Candle, at the Marine Coffee-house in Birchin-Lane, on Monday the 30th Instant, at Three in the Afternoon, 367 Hogsheads and Casks of Prize White Wines, by the Ship the Dean-Garden: Also 268 Hogsheads and Casks of Prize White Wines, by the Ship the Crowned-Lion; both lying in the Port of Dover, there to be delivered, free of all Duties, except that due to the Orphans; where Attendance will be given from this day till the time of Sale for the Buyers to view and taste the Wines. Catalogues may be had at the Outropers-Office on the Royal-Exchange, and at the place of Sale.

WHereas a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against Daniel Small, late of London, Linendraper; These are to give Notice, That the said Commission is Superceded under the Great Seal of England: Therefore all Persons that owe him any Money, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to the said Daniel Small, or to his Order.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Richard Soame, of London, Merchant, intend to sit at the Irish Chamber in Guildhall, London, on Wednesday the 25th of this Instant July, at Two in the Afternoon; And all such Creditors as have not yet paid their Contribution money, and proved their Debts, are then to come prepared to do the same, lest they are excluded the Benefit of the said Commission.

LOst or mislaid the 7th Instant at Bath, two Notes, of 10l. 15s. each, under the Hand of Rob. Brightall, for Mr. Rob. Fowle and Mr. John Mead, dated the 30th of June, 1705. payable to Mr. John Pykarell or Bearer, at 3 days after sight. If any such Notes are offered in Payment or to Discount, you are desired to stop them, and give notice to Mr. Fowle and Mr. Mead, Goldsmiths, at Temple Bar, and you shall have 10 s. Reward, Payment being already stopt.

DEserted out of Lieut. Col. Egerton's Company, of Her Majesty's First Regiment of Foot-Guards, John Brunson, 5 Foot 10 Inches high, aged 21, swarthy Complexion, black Iank Hair, born in Panshwick Parish: John Nuson, 5 Foot 6 Inches and half, 18 years old, of a swarthy Complexion, wearing a bob Wig, stutters in his Speech, a Shoemaker by Trade, born in Dunstable: John Thrilcot, 5 Foot 6 Inches and half, about 30 years old, thick well set, commonly used the Blue-Anchor in Rosemary-Lane, and hath lodged for some time at the Ipswich Arms in Cut-throat Lane in Ratcliff High-way. If they will return to their Colours by the 25th Instant, they shall be kindly entertained; if not, whoever secures them, or either of them, and gives notice to Colonel Egerton at the Earl of Bridgewater's at St. James's, or to Mr. Yeats, Suttler, in Whitehall, shall have Two Guineas Reward for each Man.

STolen the 8th Instant from Esendonbury in Hertfordshire, near Hertford a black brown Gelding about 14 hands high, a Wart on his near Flank, with the Hair off, a kind of Mark in his Forehead with white Hairs and black in it, in the Star-place. Whoever gives notice of him (so as he may be had again) to Richard Nicholls of Esendonbury aforesaid, or to Ralph Nicholls at the Three Foxes in Gray's-Inn-Lane, London, shall have a Guinea Reward, and reasonable Charges.