

... they marched out of their Fortifications, and moved towards the Enemy; who, notwithstanding the Repulse they received in the Morning, advanced towards the Muscovites in very good order. At nine in the Morning all things were thus disposed for a general Engagement, and the Armies being within Musket Shot of each other, a terrible Fire began on both sides. The Success of the Battle continued doubtful for a full Hour, when the Swedish Cavalry began to give Ground, and the Infantry making but little opposition, the Muscovites fell in upon them with such fury, that they entirely broke the whole Army, and put them to the Rout with great Disorder and Precipitation. Several General Officers were taken Prisoners in this Action, and we hear that Count Piper, and some other of the Chief Ministers, surrendered themselves Prisoners to the Enemy. The loss of the Swedes is computed to amount to about ten thousand Men, including both the Slain and these that were taken Prisoners. It is said the King of Sweden himself received a Wound in the side, and having his Horse shot under him, made his Escape on another with which he was supplied by one of his General Officers. Letters from Poland say, that the Account they have received of the posture of the King of Sweden's Army, and of the late Victory obtained over them by the Muscovites, do very much animate the Polish Nobility of that Kingdom, who are in the Interest of King Augustus; and that a great many have openly declared in favour of that Prince, and promise to support him in his endeavours to restore himself to the possession of that Kingdom. There are also some Letters from the Court of Dresden, which advise, that his Majesty had declared his design to return into Poland; and had sent a Gentleman of his Bed chamber to the Czar, to congratulate him on his late Victory obtained over the Swedes.

**Ostend, August 17. N. S.** Letters from Hanover of the 6th Instant advise, that his Electoral Highness began his Journey towards the Imperial Army on the Upper Rhine the Day before. They write from Strasbourg, that it is expected the French Army will repass the Rhine as soon as the Imperialists move out of their present Camp. They add, that the Forces of the Empire are much superior in number to those of France, which makes the Marshal d'Harcourt very apprehensive that some great Attempt will be made in Alliance upon the arrival of the Elector of Hanover to the Army. The French keep great Numbers at work on their Lines behind the Lauter, to prevent the Irruptions of the Enemy, and preserve the Corn of the adjacent Country for their own use. When these Advices were dispatched, the Marshal d'Harcourt was just arrived at Strasbourg, and had given the necessary Orders for his Infantry to be transported to the Lines of Lauembourg. It is reported from the Frontiers, that in the Action near Conflans the Enemy lost twelve hundred Men; after which the Confederate Forces marched on towards Chamberry; which Place not being in a condition for a Defence, the Garrison retired, and marched to the Camp near Barreaux. The Inhabitants of the Country are in a general Consternation, and fly in Crowds to Grenoble. All Persons of distinction in those Parts are so much alarmed at the approach of the Imperial Forces, that they remove their Effects beyond the Rhone.

**Plymouth, August 9.** This Day came in her Majesty's Ship the Monk from Cruising, and the Foret Gally from Falmouth, with Fish for the Streets.

**Bristol, August 10.** This Day came in her Majesty's Ship the Peruzance from Cruising. There are but three outward bound Ships in Kingroad. No Vessel has arrived since the sixth Instant. This Day sailed the Levant Gally for Jamaica, and the Hope for Dram in Norway.

**London, August 10.** Yesterday her Majesty's Ships the St. Albans and Anglesea sailed to the Southward. Sir John Norris, with the Squadron of her Majesty's Ships under his Command, was yesterday in our Offin, but is since sailed again. Several laden Colliers are passed through

our Road to the Southward; and this day the light Colliers, that failed for Newcastle some Days since, are put back by contrary Winds.

**Portsmouth, August 11.** On Tuesday last her Majesty's Ship the Restoration arrived at Spithead from the Westward. Yesterday her Majesty's Ship the Pearl sailed out of our Harbour to Spithead, where she continues with the Restoration, Chester and Rose-Pink.

**Deal, August 11.** The Escape and Centurion Gallies, with the Foreigners, failed Yesterday in the Afternoon to the Westward. Here remain only her Majesty's Ship the Medway's-Prize, with Colliers and other Coasters. Yesterday in the Afternoon came in hither Sir John Norris in her Majesty's Ship the Ranelagh, with the Royal-Oak, Elizabeth, Dartmouth, Anglesea and St. Albans. This Morning also arrived the Nottingham and Cruizer.

*The Holland Mails of the 9th, 13th, 16th and 20th of August, N. S. are not yet arrived.*

*Notice is hereby given by the Agent to the Captors, That the Officers and Company of her Majesty's Ship Dumkirk, may, on Tuesday the 30th Instant, at Mr. Masters's House on Tower-hill, London, receive their several Shares of five Corn Vessels, lately Condemn'd as Prize, according to the Directions in her Majesty's most gracious Proclamation of the 20th of May, 1708. And that the Shares of such as shall not then be receiv'd, may, during the space of three Years, be every Thursday Morning received at the aforesaid Place.*

**Advertisements.**

**N**Oice is hereby given by the Agent to the Captors, That on Thursday the 25th Instant, at 3 Afternoon, will be exposed to Sale at Lloyd's Coffee house in Lombardstreet, the Prize Ship St. John Baptist, about 170 Tuns, English built, square Sterned, lying at Plymouth, taken by her Majesty's Ship the Plymouth, Captain Jonas Hanway Commander. Inventories thereof will be timely printed, dispersed and affixed on the Royal Exchange; and to be had of Mr. Philip Pentyre Merchant in Plymouth, and at Mr. Samuel Eyre's, in Buttolph-lane, or at the Place of Sale.

**T**HE Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Benjamin Stone of Upper Moorfields, Ribbon-weaver, intend to meet on the 11th of September next, at 4 in the Afternoon, at the Irish-chamber in Guildhall, London, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where all Creditors that have not already prov'd their Debts; and paid their Contribution-mony, are desired to come prepared to do the same, or they'll be excluded the benefit of the said Dividend.

**T**HE Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankruptcy awarded against John Hinde, Goldsmith, Deceased, will meet on the 22d of October next, at Guildhall, London, at 10 in the Forenoon, in order to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate; when and where all his Creditors who have not already prov'd their Debts, and paid Contribution-mony, are to come prepared to do the same, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the said Dividend.

**W**HEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against John Foxwell, of Spittlefields in the County of Middlesex, Weaver, and he having surrendered himself to the Commissioners, and been twice examined; these are to give Notice, that he will attend the Commissioners on the 31st Instant, at 3 in the Afternoon, at the Irish chamber in Guildhall, London, to finish his Examination; when and where his Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, pay Contribution-mony, and assent to or dissent from the Allowance of his Certificate. And all Persons that owe him any Money, or that have any Goods or Effects of his in their Hands, are forthwith to pay or deliver the same to Isaac Erland, Citizen and Clothworker of London, Assignee of the said Bankrupt's Estate and Effects.

**W**HEREAS the ailing Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert Haskey of London, Glass-feller, have certified to the Right Honourable the Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conformed himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts: These are to give Notice, that his Certificate will be confirmed as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 3d of September next.

**W**HEREAS the ailing Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Robert le Plattier of London, Merchant, have certified to the Right Honourable the Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, that he hath in all things conformed himself according to the Directions of the late Acts of Parliament made against Bankrupts: these are to give Notice, That his Certificate will be confirm'd as the said Acts direct, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 3d of September next.

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