

# The London Gazette.

Published by Authority.

From Saturday September 9. to Tuesday September 12. 1738.

*Journal of the Imperial Army commanded by Count Konigsegg, from August 13, to the 25th.*

**O**N the 13th we encamped at Cubin : A Bridge being to be laid over the Danube, we expect from Belgrade the Boats necessary for it. The Ship St. Charles arrived here to Day, and is to be followed by two others. The Army lay still the 14th and 15th : One of the two Ships expected is come, but the third ran upon a Bank of Sand : The Boats for making a Bridge over the Danube are arrived. The 16th and 17th the Army continued at Cubin. The 18th the Cavalry pass'd the Danube over the Bridge, and encamped at Semendria in Servia. The 19th all the Infantry came over the Danube to the Camp at Semendria. We are making a Work at the Head of our Bridge on the Side of Servia, and our three Ships, the third having got off the Sand, are to cover the Bridge on the Side of Cubin. The 20th the Army rested; only a Major was sent with a Detachment of 500 Men towards Passarowitz, to lay a Bridge over the Morave, and to repair the Roads. The 21st a Review was taken of all the Cavalry. The 22d we still continue at Semendria : To Day General Furstemberg, who was shut up in Orsova when the Turks returned to besiege it on the 13th of July, arrived in our Camp, with the bad News, that the Enemy had at length forced the Garrison of that Place to surrender upon Capitulation. The chief Particulars yet divulged are, that the Turks had so ruined Fort Elizabeth by the Fire of 12 Batteries, that the Garrison, after having repulsed them in several Assaults, could keep there no longer, but retired into the Fortrels on the Island. Whereupon the Turks advanced to that Island with above 800 Boats large and small and Floats, and summoned the Garrison once more to surrender, threatening otherwise to take them by Storm. The Garrison considering they were reduced, more by Sicknes than by the Service, to 800 Men, and that the Waters of the Danube were fallen much lower than usual, which was to the Advantage of the Enemy, accepted the Capitulation proposed. Before they had abandoned Fort Elizabeth, the Turks blew up Part of a Rock which hung over that Fort, but having charged their Mine with too much Powder, when it sprung, the Pieces of the Rock were carried over the Fort and fell into the Danube;

so that it had not the Effect the Turks expected. The Danube was sunk so low, that the Turks easily weighed up their Cannott which the Imperialists threw into it when the Enemy first drew off from the Siege. It is said the Garrison has been conducted under a Guard to Vivalanka, where they are to perform Quarantain. There were above 200 Imperial Cannon in Orsova, 80 of which are Pieces for Battery. It seems the Vizier made his Entry into the Place with great Magnificence. The 23d, the Major who was detached with 500 Men towards Passarowitz, is sent for back; and he is ordered to march with a Detachment of 700 Men to clear the Roads to Krotzka, whither the Quarter-masters of the Army are also order'd, to mark out a Camp. The 24th and 25th our Army continues at Semendria, though all the Dispositions were made for our breaking up this Day (the 25th) and marching to Krotzka. Men are employed to bring the Ships and Bridge of Boats up the River to Belgrade with all Expedition. We have Intelligence, that the Turks are on the March towards us in three Columns, one by the Way of the Bannat, another along the Danube, and the third by Maydanperk; and that they propose to lay Siege to Belgrade.

*Vienna, Sept. 6. N. S.* The Grand Duke of Tuscany left this Place on the 2d Instant, to go to the Imperial Army, where it is reckoned he will arrive to Night.

*Stockholm, Aug. 25, O. S.* The 23d Instant the States of the Kingdom being in a full Assembly, the Senate sent them a Message, acquainting them, that the State of his Swedish Majesty's Health requiring more Repose and Quiet than was compatible with the Affairs of the Government, he had desired the Queen to take the Regency upon her, and to supply his Place in the Senate during his Illness. The States having received this Message, they each of them named a Deputation to wait on the Queen in a Body, to inform her Majesty of their Consent. Accordingly the next Day, the Deputations were introduced to her Majesty, when the Marshal of the Diet made a Speech to her Majesty, who answered in a few Words, and then referred herself to Count Bonde, who replied with another Speech, and then the Marshal, as well as the Orators of the three States, who were at the Head of their Deputations, had the Honour to kiss the Queen's Hand.

*Stockholm,*

*Stockholm, Aug. 29, O. S.* The King of Sweden has slept tolerably well every Night since the 25th; begins to take the Bark regularly; has missed his Fever, and was so well this Morning as to sit up in his Room.

*Leghorn, Aug. 22.* On the 23d his Britannick Majesty's Ship the Greyhound, Capt. Ambrose, Commander, from Lisbon and the Streights, came into this Port, and on the 27th sailed for Port Mahon and Gibraltar; on board which imbarck'd General Columbine.

*Rome, Aug. 23.* They write from Naples, that the Electoral Prince of Saxony continues at the Baths of Ischia, and finds such Benefit by those Waters, that his Royal Highness has left off the Use of his Crutches. The Marquess Luchefini, Envoy from the Duke of Modena at Naples, has taken his Leave of that Court, on his Departure for the Court of Spain. The King of Naples has made a Present to him of his Picture set in Jewels, valued at about 500 Pistoles. On the 23d the Count de St. Estevan and his Family, pursuant to Orders from the Court of Madrid, imbarck'd at Naples on his Return to Spain in the St. Charles, a 60 Gun Ship lately built at Naples. The King of Spain, 'tis said, has declared him a Duke and Grandee of Spain of the first Rank, and the King of Naples made him a Present of 2000 Pistoles for the Expences of his Journey: At the same Time the Queen gave to the Marchioness de Solera, his Daughter-in-Law, several Jewels of great Value. These Letters from Naples add, that the Duke di Castropignano is to succeed Prince Corsini as Vice-roy of Sicily. That Count Mahony is appointed to command in Chief the Garrisons on the Confines of Tuscany, the Marquis di St. Cristina the Castle of St. Elmo at Naples, and Don Paolo Marchese that Dell'Ovo. That an Encampment of 16,000 Men is order'd by the Court of Naples, in the Neighbourhood of that Capital, against the Beginning of September. And that the same Court has order'd the Purchasing of all the Wheat that can be bought in the Ecclesiastical State.

*Florence, Sept. 1.* A new Regulation with regard to the Troops of the deceased Great Duke, has of late been sent from Vienna, and tho' not as yet published, 'tis reported that a Regiment is to be formed of them, to be called the Tuscan, which and that of Lorraine, consisting both of about 4000 Men, the Great Duke designs to keep up, and M. de Braitewitz is to command in chief his Royal Highness's Forces. On the 28th arrived here Lord George Bentinck in Company with three other English Gentlemen. On the 29th the Duke d'Elboeuf passed through this City on his Journey to Avernia, Camaldoli, and other Places in this State.

*Whitehall, September 1, 1738:*

Whereas divers evil-disposed Persons have, for some time past, made a Practice of filing Guineas, and putting them off at the Bank, and other Places: His Majesty, for the apprehending the Persons concerned in filing Guineas as aforesaid, is pleased to promise a Reward of One Hundred Pounds, over and above the Reward

allowed by Act of Parliament, upon Conviction of each of the Persons concerned in the aforesaid Practice. And whereas some of the Persons concerned in filing of Guineas have been supplied with Engines for edging or milling the Guineas after they have been filed as aforesaid, by one or more Persons that have made the same for the Purposes aforesaid; His Majesty, for the apprehending any Person or Persons concerned in the making or mending any Engine or Instrument made for the edging or milling any of the Gold Coin of this Kingdom, doth promise the like Reward, upon Conviction of each of the Persons concerned in making or mending any Instrument made for the Purposes aforesaid. And whereas John Carter, Francis Kelham, David Roberts, and Joseph Benson, against whom Informations have been taken upon Oath, have, since the Discovery of these Facts, left their Habitations, and absconded: His Majesty is pleased to promise the like Reward for the apprehending each of them, upon their or either of their being convicted; and, as a further Encouragement, is pleased to promise his most gracious Pardon to any Person who shall discover his Accomplice or Accomplices in the said Facts.

HARRINGTON.

John Carter is a tall thin Man, of a pale Complexion, and is lame of one Foot which turns inwards; he is a Wash-Graver by Trade, formerly kept an Ale-house in West-Smithfield, but lodged last at the Duke's Head in St. John's Square.

Francis Kelham, a little Man with a red Complexion, who lately kept the Rose and Crown Ale-house in Bartholomew Close, till he absconded. They have both been frequently seen at Horse Races, Gaming-Tables, Hazard, Cockfighting Matches.

David Roberts, by Trade a Carpenter, about 5 Foot 8 or 9 Inches high, of a fairish fresh Complexion, about 35 Years of Age, who kept the Coach and Horses Inn in the City of Coventry about two Years ago, since lodged in Cold Bath Fields, London, afterwards at one Williams, a Chandler on Saffron Hill, afterwards moved and kept a House in the Market-place, Hoxton, from thence moved to the Broad Sanctuary, Westminster, from thence to the Mulberry Garden in St. George's Fields, Southwark, from thence to Wood's Close near Clerkenwell; his last Habitation was near the Three Hats, Islington.

Joseph Benson, about 5 Foot 6 Inches high, between 60 and 70 Years old, stoops a little, wears a Wig, and his Hair pretty long under it, and is a thin spare Man, born near Naresborough in Yorkshire, by Trade a Gunsmith, noted for making Cross Bows, formerly lived in Dublin; his last Place of Habitation was at Cats-Hole in St. Catherine's, near the Tower. N. B. Joseph Benson is the Maker of the Engine lately found in the New River, and has made several Engines for milling the Guineas, and is reckoned by the Gunsmiths an ingenious Man at his Business. Whoever apprehends either of the said Persons, or any other Person concerned in these Practices, may apply themselves to Mr. Ashton, in Surry-street in the Strand, or to Mr. North, near Fishmongers-Hall, in Thames Street.

General Post Office, London, August 27, 1738.

Whereas the Post-Boy carrying the North Mail from London, was set upon and robbed by a single Person on Foot, this Morning between the Hours of Two and Three, on this Side Kingsland, near London: The Postmaster General thinks proper to make it publickly known, that whoever shall apprehend the Person who committed this Robbery, will, upon Conviction, be entitled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen: Or if any Accomplice in the said Robbery, shall make a Discovery of the Person who committed the Fact, such Accomplice will be entitled to the said Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Post Master General,

John Jesse, Clerk.

The Person who committed this Robbery, is described to be a middle-sized Man, had an a lights-colour'd close bodied

bodied Coat, with close Sleeves, and a full Bob Wig pretty light, with a Paper Mask over his Face. He carried off the five following Bags, viz. Hartford, Peterborough, Horncastle, Louth, and Boston; and likewise took the greatest Part of the Letters out of the Enfield, Ware, St. Ives, and Roylton Bags.

Note, There were two men at a small Distance from him, suppos'd to be his Accomplices.

Admiralty Office, August 8, 1738.

His Majesty having been graciously pleased, by his Warrant under his Royal Sign Manual, dated the 10th of June, 1733, to establish certain Rules and Orders for the better Government of the Charity for the Relief of poor Widows of Commission and Warrant Officers of the Royal Navy: These are to give Notice to all such Widows, whose Husbands died on or since the 30th of August, 1732, that Copies of the said Rules and Orders are lodged with the Commissioners of his Majesty's Navy at Chatham, Portsmouth, and Plymouth, as also with the Clerks of the Cheque at Deptford and Woolwich, and the Naval Officers at Harwich, Deal, and Kingsale, where they may be informed of all Particulars which entitle them to the Benefit of the said Charity, and receive the proper Certificates for that Purpose: But such Widows as live at too great a Distance from the Places above-mentioned, may apply by Letter to Thomas Corbett, Esq; at the Admiralty Office, who will send them all necessary Information. And the Governors of the said Charity intending to distribute some Relief to the Widows of such Sea Officers who died before the 30th of August, 1732, and whose Circumstances come within the Rules of the Establishment, these are to give Notice of the same to all such Widows, that they may procure the proper Certificates and Affidavits, and send or bring them hither. And the Court of Assistants do hereby give Notice, that they will meet at this Office on Tuesday the 19th of September next, at Eight of the Clock in the Morning, to receive the Claims of such Widows, as shall be qualified according to the said Rules and Orders.

East India House, Sept. 6, 1738.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England Trading to the East Indies, do hereby give Notice, That a General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East India House in Leadenhall-street, on Wednesday the 27th of this Instant September, at Eleven a-Clock in the Forenoon, the same being a Quarterly Court.

#### Advertisements.

IF Anne Brown, Grand-daughter of Edward Gile, late of London, Glassier, be alive, she may, on Application to Mr. Charles Price, at the Crown Tavern on Ludgate-hill, hear of something to her Advantage; or if dead, any Person who can give an Account to the said Mr. Price, when and where she died, will have reasonable Satisfaction for his or her Trouble. She is supposed to have been alive in 1729, and before that Time married to one Grantham, a Soldier, in Dublin.

THE Administrator of Joseph Wearing, deceased, (late Master of the George Inn in London Colney, in the Parish of Shenly, in the County of Hertford) desires all the Creditors of and Debtors to the said deceased, will not fail meeting him the said Administrator, at the Red Lyon Inn in St. Alban's, in the County aforesaid, on Friday the 22d of this Instant September, at Four in the Afternoon, on special Affairs.

THE Creditors of James Burn, of the Parish of St James Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Merchant, a Bankrupt, are desired to meet the Assignee under his Commission, on Thursday next, at Five o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Nando's Coffee-house near Temple-Bar in Fleet-street, London, on special Affairs.

TO be sold by Auction, at Goldsmiths Coffee-house in Ball-Alley, Lombard-street, on Tuesday the 23d Instant, by the Assignees under the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Joseph Willmott, of St. Leonard Shoreditch,

in the County of Middlesex, Bricklayer and Chapman, Four new-built Brick Houses in Tenter Court, and one other House and Stables, the Sign of the Queen's Head in Kingland Road, in the Parish of St Leonard Shoreditch, in the said County, now lets at 36 l. a Year, 46 Years to come, subject to 10 l. a Year Ground-rent; and 8 other Leasehold Houses, lett at 67 l. a Year, 96 Years to come, subject to 15 l. a Year Ground-rent; situate in Sugar-loaf Court in Bishopsgate-street.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Edward Heylyn, late of the City of Bristol, Merchant, hereby give Notice, that the Meeting appointed for the 16th of September Instant, is put off to Friday the 29th of the same Month, at Three in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, when, in Pursuance of an Order of the Rt. Hon. the Lord Chancellor, the joint Creditors of the said Edward Heylyn, and Robert Rogers his late Partner; as also all other the Creditors of the said Edward Heylyn, will be admitted to prove their respective Debts under the said Commission.

WHEREAS the acting Commissioners in the Commission of Bankrupt awarded against Thomas Carpenter, of the Parish of St. George in the E. ft. in the County of Middlesex, Dealer and Chapman, have certified to the Rt. Hon. Philip Lord Hardwicke, Baron of Hardwicke, Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, that the said Thomas Carpenter hath in all things conformed himself according to the Directions of the several Acts of Parliament made concerning Bankrupts: This is to give Notice, that by Virtue of an Act passed in the Fifth Year of his present Majesty's Reign, his said Certificate will be allowed and confirmed as the said Act directs, unless Cause be shewn to the contrary on or before the 2d of October next.

In the Gazette of the 5th Instant, in Edward Frith's Advertisement for a Dividend, instead of, the Sign of the Angel aforesaid, read, the Sign of the Angel in Stafford aforesaid.

THE under-mentioned Persons claiming the Benefit of the Act lately passed for the Relief of Insolvent Debtors, the following Notices have been brought to the Printer of the London Gazette, to be inserted in this Paper, and are herein inserted in Obedience to the said Act.

The following Person being a Fugitive for Debt, and beyond the Seas on the 1st of January 1736, and having surrendered himself to the Goaler or Keeper of the Prison of and belonging to the Palace or Liberty of the Right Reverend Father in God Joseph Lord Bishop of Rochester, at Rochester in the county of Kent, gives Notice, that he intends to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the next General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace to be held for the County of Kent, or the Adjournment thereof, which shall next happen after 30 Days from the Publication hereof, viz. James Ghuister, late of East geat in Rochester, in the County of Kent, Breeches-maker.

The following Persons being Fugitives for debt, and beyond the Seas on the First Day of January, 1736, and having surrendered themselves to the Warden of the Fleet Prison, London, give Notice, that they intend to take the Benefit of the late Act of Parliament for Relief of Insolvent Debtors, at the General or Quarter Sessions of the Peace, or the Adjournment thereof, to be held at Guildhall in and for the said City of London, next after the Expiration of Thirty Days from the Date hereof, viz. John Humble, late of Great Barph in the county of York, Yeoman. James Jenyns, late of Serjeants Inn in Fleet-street, London, Esquire.

N. B. If any Person in the foregoing List of Prisoners shall find on the Perusal of this Gazette that there is any Error, such Error shall, upon Notice, be rectified in the next Gazette Gratis.