

# The London Gazette.

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*Hague, April 18, N. S.*

**W**E hear from Paris that the two Companies of Musketeers set out the 14th Instant for the Netherlands. The General Officers who are to serve in Provence were to be named that Week; and M. Belleisle's Departure was fixed for the 1<sup>st</sup> of May. By Letters from Provence we hear, that the English keep very close upon that Coast, and that few Vessels pass without being followed and fired at by their Ships. The Vessels that ran into Monaco remain there still, waiting for a favourable Wind to sail for Genoa. The last Letters from Brussels mention, that the Regiment of Dragoons of la Morliere passed through that City on Thursday on their March to Ghent, and were followed by several other Regiments, which took the same Route, and were destined, as was said, for the Siege of the Sas van Ghent; a Train of Artillery was also to be sent thither. Count Lowendahl, who set out on Friday for Ghent, was to have the Direction of the Siege. M. de Sechelles was also gone to Ghent with Count Lowendahl, at which Place 150 Pieces of Cannon were arrived from Lisse. All the French Troops, who had been quarter'd in Lower Normandy, Picardy, the Artois, the Cambresis, Hainault, and Flanders, were arriving successively in the Neighbourhood of that City, where they

were cantoned, and waited for Orders to march forwards. On Friday twenty four Pieces of Cannon 24 Pounders, and six Mortars; arrived there from Namur, and twenty eight Field Pieces from Ghent. Great Number of Fascines were daily embarked upon the Rivers, and it was said, that within the last ten Days above 100,000 had been sent away: That they had just learn'd, at the Departure of the Post; that the above 24 Pieces of Cannon were sending away, with a great Quantity of Bombs and Mortars; and that it was assured that the Sas van Ghent was to be invested. All the Artillery Officers at Brussels were going away, and taking the Route of Ghent.

*Whitehall, April 11.*

On Thursday last Simon Lord Lovat; condemned for High Treason, was beheaded on Tower-hill.

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*A sufficient Number of the Trustees for Repairing the Roads from Stevenage, in the County of Hertford, to Biggleswade, in the County of Bedford, not appearing at the last General Meeting appointed to have been held at the Royal Oak Inn at Biggleswade, on Wednesday the First of this Instant April, the said Trustees are desired to meet at the same House on Wednesday the 29th of April Instant.*

*William Humble, Clerk to the said Trustees,*

[ Price Two Pence. ]