

taking which Place, the general Talk of the French Army is, that they shall go into Winter Quarters. The French King set out for Paris last Saturday, and the Troops have actually begun their Winter Reviews.

Hague, Sept. 26, N. S. We have Advices from Persia, by the Way of Ruffia, of the 6th of July, according to which, the Revolt in that Empire was become so general, that Schach Nadir, seeing his Affairs desperate, had resolved to fly, with some Awgaitzes and Usbecks, that still adhered to him, to the City of Kelat, an inaccessible Place, where he had lodged all his Treasures; but that, before he could execute this Resolution, he was fallen upon and murdered in his Tent by the Persians who still remained about him. His Head was immediately sent to his Nephew Ali-Kulikan, in whose Favour the Persians had revolted; who thereupon dispatched Orders over the whole Empire to suspend and abolish all the Contributions imposed by the late Schach. We hear from Steenbergen that ~~any~~ ^{nothing} ~~either~~ ^{nothing} ~~against~~ ^{nothing} that Place, or against Tholen, but that M. St. Germain has been detached with 6000 Men, and a Train of Artillery, to besiege the Forts of Lillo, Cruysshaus, and Frederick Henry. The Reports which had been spread, reflecting upon the Conduct of the Bavarian Troops, at the Time when the French made themselves Masters of Bergen-op-Zoom, are absolutely false, it being certain, that there were no Bavarian Troops then in the Town, those who had assisted in the Defence of the Place, having been ordered into the Lines the Day before.

Rotterdam, Sept. 26, N. S. We have no News of the Motions of M. de Lowendahl's Corps, excepting that one of his Detachments has besieged Lillo, and another is firing upon Fort Frederick Henry. There are Letters from Steenbergen of Yesterday, which say, that the main Corps is still encamped under the Cannon of Bergen-op-Zoom.

Flushing, Sept. 27, N. S. The States of this Province have published an Edict to call in all the Plate of this Island, which

is to be coined into Species, and will, it is thought, produce about 40,000 l. Sterling, and for which the Owners are to have Four per Cent. They talk of following the Example of the Province of Holland, who are to furnish Two per Cent. upon their whole Capital. It is said that the Prince of Orānge designs to send into these Islands Troops and all Things necessary for their Defence. Major General Lelly commands at Tholen, and hath about 2000 Men with him. They have already drowned, or are drowning all the Country lying Eastward of Tholen, and the present strong Winds are very favourable for their Inundations. According to Accounts here, the French have attacked Fort Frederick Henry. The Dutch have about thirty armed Vessels lying at the Mouth of the Scheld, and fourteen before Bergen-op-Zoom.

Dublin, September 14.

Yesterday arrived his Excellency the Earl of Harrington. His Excellency was received at his Landing by the Lord Mayor, Aldermen and Sheriffs of Dublin; the Foot Forces in Garrison, with the Militia of the City, lined the Streets through which his Excellency (attended by a Regiment of Horse, the Battle-Ax-Guards, and the other Officers attending the State) proceeded amidst the Acclamations of the People, with the usual Ceremony, to the Castle, where, in the Council-Chamber, his Excellency took the Oaths appointed to be taken by the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and received the Sword from their Excellencies the Lord Justices. After which, the Great Guns at his Majesty's Park the Phoenix were fired, and answer'd by Volleys from the Regiments on Duty, which were drawn out upon College Green. And his Excellency repairing to the Presence-Chamber, received there the Compliments of the Nobility and other Persons of Distinction, upon his safe Arrival to take upon him the Government of this Kingdom.

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