

which arrived here from the Imperial Camp at Dueren, and yesterday he parted for *Frankfort*, to go thence and Command the Confederate Troops in the Palatinate Prince *Charles of Lorraine* is arrived here, and goes to the Imperial Army, to take upon him his Command of Lieutenant-General of the Cavalry.

*Cologne, June 8.* Yesterday the Munster Troops passed the *Rhine* here; the Prince of *Baden*, General of the Artillery of the Imperial Army, having received them the day before in the Emperors name; it is said they make up in all 5000 Foot and 1000 Horse, Our last Letters from *Sivastourg* told us, That the Duke of *Lorraine* continued with the Troops under his Command in that neighborhood; that in the mean time several parties had been sent out, some of which had had Encounters with the French, though without any great advantage on either side. That Monsieur de *Turenne* did daily reinforce his Army, and intended very suddenly to march towards the Palatinate.

*Paris, June 9.* In our last we gave you an account of the surrender of the City of *Dole* to his Majesty, and the Articles of the Capitulation, to which we can at present only add, That his Majesty has since sent his Troops to attack *Salinas*, and the Castle of *S. Ann*, which are the only places now remaining to the Spaniards in that County. Our Letters from *Brussels* make not as yet any mention of the march of the Dutch or Spanish Armies, but tell us, that the Prince of *Conde* was broken up from *Charleroy*, and marched towards *Mons*; and here are in the mean time some reports, as if his Highness intended to besiege that place; but our next Letters from those parts will better inform us. Our advices from *Mosna* tell us, That Monsieur de *Turenne* is putting himself into such a posture, as that he may be able to oppose the designe of the Confederate Troops in the Palatinate, who as our letters say seem to have an eye upon *Philipsbourg*. It is said here, that the City of *Strasbourg* has promised to observe the Neutrality inviolably, and not to give any passage to the Lorraine or Imperial Troops.

*Antwerp, June 12.* On Sunday last the Marquis d' *Affenber*, who together with the Count de *Waldeck*, had been to confer with the General *Souches* at *Ruremond*, returned to *Brussels*, and gave his Excellency an account that they had adjusted all matters relating to the Campaign; The Imperial Army continues in the mean time encamped near *Dutren*; but we are told, that it was resolved, that they should break up from thence yesterday, and take their march towards the *Meuse*, which they are to pass at *Namur*, and so come and joyn with our Army. His Excellency having advice, That the Prince of *Conde* had sent out 6000 Men towards *Ipre*, immediately commanded the Duke de *Villa Hermosa* to march with 2000 Horse that way, to have an eye upon their motions; but the last night his Excellency received certain information that the French were wheeled about and gone towards *Mons*; that the Prince of *Conde* was come with his whole Army very near to that place, and had commanded the Peasants to bring in *Fagots*, &c. as if he intended a Siege, which we can here hardly believe, seeing that place is very well provided with Men and all things necessary for its defence; His Excellency has given the Regiment of the Prince de *Salmé*, to the Lieutenant Colonel of the same Regiment. Yesterday the Prince of *Orange* broke up from *Duffel*, and came and lodged that night at the Castle of *Vanderkott* at *Sems*, being about half a League from *Malines* on the way to *Willibrook*; at the same time all the Forces that were quartered on the other side of the *Schelde* near this place, passed the River, and are

at present quartered at *Willibrook*; and the other Villages thereabouts, along the *Canal*, though some Regiments of Horse are marched a little higher into the Countrey; This day the Army did not march, but it is said his Highness will to morrow pass the *Canal* with his whole Army, and take his quarters on this side of it. In the mean time his Excellency has sent Orders to the Magistrates of this place, to have all Materials ready for making a Bridge over the *Schelde* here, which are accordingly preparing.

*Hague, June 12.* We are in great expectation to hear of some action of our Fleet on the Coast of *France*, the last news we had from them, was from *England*, that they were sailing up the *Channel*, having very much alarmed the French Coasts as they passed. Some report here, that young de *Ruyter*, Son to Lieutenant-Admiral de *Ruyter*, had been sent out of the Fleet with a Squadron of Men of War towards the *West Indies*. It is said that our Fleet is at present composed of 18 Men of War mounted on 86 to 88 Guns, and from 300 to 400 Men each; of 24 Men of War which carry from 50 to 60 Guns, and from 200 to 300 Men each; of 12 from 40 to 50 Guns, and 170 or 200 Men; and 12 *Frigates* from 30 to 36 Guns, and 130 Men each; of 18 *Fire-ships*, 24 *Flutes* to carry *Victuals*, 6 great *Gallies*, 12 *Advice Yachts*, and 18 *Boats*, which on occasion can be manned with 30 Men each; In the Fleet is 18660 *Seamen*, and 9000 *Landmen*, divided into 120 Companies, each Company consisting in 75 Men, so that in all, they have on board 27660 Men, of which, it is said, near 10000 may on occasion be spared to make a descent. Monsieur *Rabenhaupt* is gone for *Nhain gon*, where he will form a small Army to incommode the French at *Grave*.

*Plymouth, Jun 1.* Yesterday came in here a small Vessel, who the day before met part of the Dutch Fleet, under the Command of Lieutenant-Admiral *Van Tromp*, standing over for the Coast of *France*; the rest of the Fleet continuing under the Command of Lieutenant-Admiral de *Ruyter*, in *Yorkbay*.

#### Advertisements.

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These are to give notice to all dealers in Cotton Yarn, That on Wednesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> June Instant, at nine of the clock in the morning, will be exposed to sale by the Candle, at Mrs. *Elvards* Coffee-house in *George-street*, near *Leamlard Street*, 76 Bails and Sacks of very fine *Smirna* Cotton-Yarn in small Lots, some one, some two, some three Bails to a Lot, is put up 59 Bails at 15 d. and 17 Sacks at 16 d. a pound, with *Trett* and *Tare* as Custom, to advance one fourth penny each bidding, and is to be seen at a Warehouse, opposite to the Church in *Abchurch Lane*, every forenoon, from 8 to 11, till the day of sale, and the pretiable for payment: shall be had at the day of sale, and the paper of particular Lots, may be had at the Warehouse.

Lost on Tuesday night last, being the 2<sup>nd</sup> of June, nigh *Bloomsbury-Market*, a little white Spaniel Bitch, with *Liver* colour'd spots, and long hair on the Ears; Whosoever shall bring notice of her to Sir *Award-Gages* House in the said *Bloomsbury-Market*, shall have 2 s. for his reward.

Lost the 25<sup>th</sup> of *May* out of his Grace the Duke of *Albemarles* Park, at *Newall* in *Essex*, near *Chelmsford*, a Sorrel Gelding, near 14 hands high, a *Flaxen* Mane and Tail, one of the fore feet somewhat bigger then the other, thorough faced; Whoever gives notice of him to Mr. *Kelley*, near the Sugar-loaf in *St. Marys Church Lane*, or to Mr. *Murphy*, Keeper of *Newall-Park*, shall have Satisfaction.

Stolen a strong under laid *Brown Bay Nag*, about eight years old, and about 13 or 14 hands high, with a cut Tail, out of the Pastures belonging to *Bromfield Parsonage*, near *Chelmsford* in *Essex*; If any one can give notice of the said Horse, to Mr. *John Blomfield*, Grocer in *Chelmsford* aforesaid, or to Mr. *Edward Barry*, Stationer, in *Grays Inn*, shall be well rewarded for their pains.