## MARYLAND GAZETTE.

Containing the freshest Advices foreign and domestic.

THURSDAY, September 15, 1757.

BIELEFIELD, June 14.

HE Duke of Cumberland is still here, though he altered the Position of his Camp this Morning, by placing it between this Place and Hervord. His Royal Highness thought this Alteration necessary, in order to frustrate the Designs of the Enemy; who, not judging proper to attack upon this Side of the Brathwede, after having reconnoitred the Situation of our Camp feveral Days, made a Motion on their Left, as if they meant to go between us and the Weser. It is impossible to tell whether Marshal d'Etrees will attack us or not: The Movements his Army make so near us, induces to think he will attack; and the Want of Sublistence must at last oblige him to retreat or fight. However, we are prepared to receive him, and the heavy Baggage having been fent away, we have now nothing left to incumber us in Action. We very well know that the Enemy's Army is fuperior to us in Number ; but we dare flatter ourselves that we shall convince them, if they attack us, that the Valour of our Troops, the Justice of our Cause, and the Desence of our Country, will, in a good Measure, make Amends for our Want

From the French Camp at Rheda, June 14. Yesterday Marshal d'Etrees, and the Prince de Soubize, after having reconnoitred the Duke of Cumberland's Army, resolved to attack its Left Flank as foon as possible, and fixed upon the 18th Infant for the Execution of that Defign; but the Duke of Cumberland perceiving that they were preparing to attack him, decamped Yesterday Afternoon. As soon as we were apprised of the Enemy's Departure, Marshal d'Etrees sent a confiderable Detachment, under the Command of Prince de Beauveau, who marched all Night, and at Day-break attacked, the Post which the Enemy had lest at Bielesield to cover their Retreat, . The Count de Chabot, who commanded this Attack, behaved extremely well, and forced the Enemy to give Way, and they abandoned several Baggage Waggons, and had several of their Men made Prisoners. The Prince de Beauveau did not come up till the Action was almost over; but he writes from Bielefield, that he is advancing upon the Enemy half-way towards Herworden, which is the Route

they have taken.

Munster, June 14. The French have come to
Blows with the Hanoverians, and the latter have been obliged to retire in Diforder beyond the Wefer. We have not yet an exact Account of this Affair. What follows is collected from fome Letters dated from the Neighbourhood of the Field of

with his Corps, and fome Detachments of Grenadiers, attacked Bielefield. At the Beginning he found but little Refiftance; but the Pruffians, of the left Wing of the Duke of Cumberland's Army, threw a Reinforcement into it, who made a brave Defence. At break of Day that left Wing, confifting of Pruffians, Heffians, and Brunswickers, was attacked, defeated, and driven out of Biele, field, after a vigorous Residence. The Right Wing, confishing of Hanoverians, kun away just at the form The Right the same Time. Immediately after the Action, the French seized upon Bielefield, and went to pitch their Tents on the Spot from whence they had driven the Allies. As yet we cannot write any Thing certain about the Loss on both Sides; We only know that the French took ten Pieces of Can-non, and fome Animunition Waggons and it is faid they have not lift any Officer of Note; But on the Side of the Vanquished, we reckon among the Generals Einfiedel, and Junckheim."

On the esth, the French made themselves Masters of Heryord; and plundered that Town, beacaste the Inhabitants had been so imprudent as to

take up Arms in Defence of some Troops of the confederate Army that had thrown themselves into it. It is reckoned that they will enter the Town of Minder this Day. Thus they are on the Banks of the Weser, within 4 or 5 Days March of the Capital of the Electorate of Hanover.

Extract of a Letter from Paderborn, "The Hanoverians who were in the Neighbourhood of Bielefield, decamped on the 13th at Three in the Afternoon. The Prince de Soubize, at the Head of the Royal Grenadiers, fell upon their Rear, seized the Town of Bielefield, took 10 Pieces of Cannon, and a large Magazine, to which the Hanoverians had fet Fire, but was not entirely consumed. Six Hundred Hanoverians were killed, and 80 made Prisoners. The French lost 72 Men, including 2 Officers. Colonel Fischer has already laid the Electorate of Hanover, for 15 Leagues round him, under Contribution."

Extract of a Litter from Cologn, June 17.
From the French Head Quarters at Rheda we have received the following Advices, dated the

14th at Noon.

"Captain Feuillette, has just now brought Marshal d'Etrees the agreeable News, that at One this Morning, the Count de Chabot attacked the Rear of the Enemy in their Retreat from Bielesseld, which Town he forced Sword in Hand, after a which Town he forced Sword in Hand, after a vigorous Refisfance. The Corps of Voluntiers performed Prodigies of Valour, having all the Grenadiers to make head against. The Dragoons and Foot are rich with the Booty. They have got fine Hollands, and English Watches in Abundance. Our People were happy enough to extinguish the Fire which the Enemy had set to their Magazines of Forage. We had 1 Officer killed, 5 wounded, and 16 common Men, and several Horses killed. The Loss of the Enemy amounts to 15 Officers killed, Prussians and Hanoverians; and 40 wounded; 200 Soldiers killed, 150 wounded, and upwards of 300 Deserters, most of them Prussians. When Captain Feuillette came away, which was at fix in the Morning, the Prince de Beauveau was come up with 15 Companies of Grenadiers, 15 Piquets, and 100 Horle, to continue their Pursuit. Count Turpin, and Col. Fischer were not idle."

Marshal Keith's Camp before Prague, May 26.

Our Corps under the Command of Marshal Keith, the Prince of Prussia, Prince Ferdinand, the Prince of Anhalt, Dessay, and the hereditary Prince of Hesse Darmstat, invests what is called the little Part of Prague; fituate on this Side the Moldau. Our Right Wing extends to St. Law-rence Hill, which in some Measure commands the White Hill. Our Left Wing faces the large Plain, which runs along the Moldau towards Ratfchin. The Enemy occupy firong Ramparts in this Plain opposite to Belvedere and the Park. Some of their Regiments of Foot are encamped in Tents

their Regiments of Foot are encamped in Tents upon the principal Rampart.

The Army commanded by the King in Person, on the other Side of the Moldau, very closely invests the Rest of Prague. If we would take by Attack this Place which is defended by a whole Army, we must lose a Multipude of brave Men whom the King loves, and whole Lives he desired Army, we must lose, a Multitude of brave Men whom the King loves, and whose Lives he desires to pare. It. Asformal Siege, or the reducing it by Famine, would be too tedious. To force it to a speedy Surrender, there remains only Bombardment, which as we advance becomes more and more terrible. We have credted four Batteries of Mortars which throw in 288 Bombs every 24 Hours. The opposite Side of the Town is heated with red-hot Bullets. We learn from the Deserters, who make their Escape to us in Crowds, that the Garrison is in Want of Butcher's Meat and Forage, and ill provided with Cannon and Stores. They have no 24 Pounders, and very sew 12 Pounders. Their heavy Cannon was carried to the Fortresses in Moravia. ried to the Fortresses in Moravia.

and Streets; but the Forage draws to an End-We have burnt Strockhof and all the Gardens and Country Houses in the Neighbourhood of the

Our Circumstances of the Battle on the 6th, which regards Prince Henry, we cannot omit. When the brave Schwerin fell, this young Hero, making his Grief give Way to his Courage, faid to those who were about him, 'Let's shew that we were worthy to serve with him.' Alighting from his Horse, he put himself at the Head of his Brigade, and was the first who clambered up a Hill, and took Possession of that Battery which had most incommoded us. After this, the attacking the Austrian Camp, fortified by Nature and Art, appeared more practicable. As to the Reff, we ought not to rob the Enemy's Cavalry of the due Praise they merited. Their Infantry behaved

well. Their Hussas only have degenerated; they can no longer stand before ours.

Paris, June 10. The Army under the Command of the Marshal d'Etrees consists of 110,405 Combatants, viz. 86,835 Infantry, and 23,570 Cavalry, Dragoons, and Hussars.

Brasset, June 15. A Column of French Troops will speedily pass by this City, in order to Join the Army under Marshal d'Etrees, in Westphalia. This Column is to consist of the Regiment of Wittmer, Swiss; 12 Battalions of Militia, of 650 Men each; the Regiments of Berchini, Terpin, and Polleriski, Hussars; and two Regiments of Voluntiers, of Flanders, and Hamault. June 20. We just hear that an English Man of War, and 4 Frigates, are arrived in the Port of Embden.

Berlin, June 16. According to the last Letters received here from the King's Army before Prague, which are dated the 11th Instant, they continued to bombard the Place very vigorously, and the Misery of the Place daily encreases, through Want of Flesh-Meat and Forage: And yet its numerous Garrison remain very quiet, not daring to make any new Attempt to force their Way out; whilft, on the other Hand, the Army of Field Marshal Daun, instead of advancing upon the besieging Army, retreats still further towards Moravia.

Paris, June 17. The Prince de Soubize is appointed by the King to command the Army affembling in Alface, and as there are great Numbers of General Officers in the Army upon the Lower Rhine, some of them are likewise to go to that of Alface, which will confift of 30,000 Men, and is to march towards Bohemia, in order to encourage the Circles of the Empire to fend their Contingents, and to protect them in their March.

We have received Advice that the Squadron of M, de Beaufremont, and that of M. du Rayeft, have joined that of M. de la Motte, at Louishurg. Dantzick, Jane 4. Two Russian Men of War, which cruize off the Ports of Pilau and Menes, arrived here on Friday, and examine every Yestel that goes out or comes in. Those that belong to Prussia, or have the Produce of the King of Prussia's Dominions on board, are declared by

them legal Prizes. Paris, May 14. We are affured that the Fellow in the thread bare brown Coat, &c. (mentioned in the Trial of Damiens) has been apprehended at Aix la Chapelle, having been discovered by the Description which Damiens gave of him. They add, that when he was taken, they ript the Lining of his Coat, and found several Papers, among which there is a Colonel's Commission in the Service of a foreign. Power; and that he appears to be the Man that spirited up Damiens to murder the King. He is to be brought up to Town and examined before the Parliament. [We may eafily Guefs

what will become of him and his Thread hare Coat.]
About the End of last Week an ill-looking Fellow was taken into Custody, being foun ed in one of the Apartments that overlooks the great Garden at Versailles: He has since been The Ramparts of Prague swarm with Soldiers, great Garden at Versailles: He has since been and 12,000 Horse are dispersed in the Squares of committed to Prison. What a Missortune it is to

nty, deceased, to come and pay Ballances to his Executrix, there ho have paid no Regard to it; /s s to give Notice to all such Perd pay, or give their Obligations thereof, in a very short Time. is indebted to the late Mrs. Onica, fted to come and do likewife.

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