

force was compos'd of 2200 Europeans, 300 Cofferies or Caffres from Madagascar, and between 9 and 10,000 black troops. The English amounted to 1700 Europeans and 3500 black troops. The French, in their own account, own'd the loss of 800 men kill'd and wounded, 200 of whom the Conquerors buried in the field. Among the prisoners were Brigadier General Buffy, Le Chevalier Godeville quarter master general, Lieutenant Colonel Murphy, of Lally's regiment, Le Chevalier de Poete Knight of Malta (who afterwards died of his wounds) three Captains, five Lieutenants, and two Ensigns. Twelve pieces of iron cannon, and ten of brass were taken, together with a quantity of shot, and all implements belonging to the train. The loss of the victorious army amounted to 192 Europeans and 70 Blacks kill'd and wounded. The gallant Major Brereton died of his wounds. M. Lally blew up a large magazine of powder in his retreat; and soon afterwards recall'd all his troops from Seringham, consisting of near 500 European horse and foot. After this victory, Colonel Coote detach'd Captain de Vasserot to lay waste the bounds of Pondicherry, who brought off a booty of 4000 head of cattle.

*Jan. 27 and 28.* — Count Ferfen, the Swedish General, surpriz'd the Prussians in the suburb of Anclam, drove them into the town, and enter'd it with them, took General Manteuffel prisoner with about 300 men, kill'd 13, wounded 12, and made himself master of 3 pieces of cannon: Major General Stutterheim collected the scatter'd Prussians, and obliged the Swedes to retire.

*Jan. 29.* Le Chevalier de Tilly surrender'd Chitiput to Colonel Coote. Four Officers, 127 Europeans,