

further orders no Baggage to remain with the Army. 600 Workmen to night at 6 to be sent to the head of Semittan Dragoons. N B This day the Army marched in 4 Columns & encamped the Right at Hulpen and the left at Brainlaffen. The Enemy continuing still in the Camp at Neer Overijse. about 7 in the evening Lieut. Genl. Dompere with the Foot Pickets of the Dutch and some Regiments of Dragoons were commanded to Attack Waterloo where Mons^r Jacob was Posted with some Foot and Dragoons and after a small Skirmish obliged him to retreat thro' the bois de Soignes. 5 Battalions of the Detachment under Mons^r Churchill who were encamped between the 2 Armies were commanded to march in the evening to sustain the Workmen making Bridges at Hulpen. where they found no opposition

1785
August 18th
Lying on our
Auns near
Overijse &
Heligberg
before the
Enemy N.B.

Ingoldsby	} Plymouth	} Swarts
Bernsdorf		
Swartwell		
		Wensborow
		Somsee

The Army to encamp as they are now drawn up no body to stir the Pickets to be advanced before each Regiment

Between 4 and 5 in the Morning The Army began to pass the Bridges and March through great Defilces and Woods into the Plain between the Chappel of Malaise & Heligberg along the Lisse; where the Enemy began to draw out of their Camp and form in Battle possessing the high Grounds from the bois de soigne to Neerijse. Genl. Churchill with his Detachment marched to Koller in the bois de forgnies to have taken the Enemy in Flank in case we had attacked but the Enemy having notice of this Detachment had cut down Trees so that the ways were almost impracticable and besides had entrenched at the coming out of the Wood, which would have made his Attack difficult until we had got some advantage of them. about 2 in the Afternoon our whole