

in proportion for that on the left commanded by Lord Orkney
These shall be 1000 commanded by a Lieut Col and Major, the
first to assemble at 7 to night at the Prussian Guards and the others
at Pallawts Regiment and to sustain at Mons^r Sholts are the three
Battalions of Prussian Guards, Prince Charles & Slangenburgh's &
at Lord Orkney's side The 3 Battalions of Webb, Rantrau & Hackborn
500 coverers for the Workmen. divided in 5 Plottons, for each Attack
commanded by 2 Colonels. Berro to be Major of the Trenches at
Sholts Attack and Brockhausen at that of Lord Orkney's who are to
Post the coverers 50 paces before the Workmen and each peloton a
small party before it and those a Sen^t on his Belly. None to take
notice of the Gen^{ls} in the Trenches. to morrow at break of day 300
Workmen with Officers in proportion to relieve each Attack. The
coverers in case of a sally are to maintain their ground till sus-
tained by the Battalions The Regiments near the Attack to have
their Pickets ready

WB. We began to break ground without any opposition. a small party
from the Town about 11 at night discovered those at my Lord Orkney's
Attack and fired upon Webb's Regiment and killed 2 Grenadiers
which gave the Alarm to both our coverers & Workmen but by my
Lord's care and stirring himself at the head of Herckloms Reg^t
he got them to their former Posts some of the coverers having come
just within the line and were posted again by my Lord. On the
Right at Mons^r Sholts the Enemy did not discover them so soon
but kept a constant Fire of small Shot on us from their counter-
scarp and likewise of their cannon, our Engineers run their
parallel almost to join the other of Mons^r Du Rock and before
Morning were very well covered without any considerable loss
our parallel was near 700 and that of Mons^r Du Rocks above
500 Paces