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twenty thousand, hadly off for clothing, and without an abundance of amunition—disaffected, and closely watched—the volunters and foreigners, upon whom the most reliance is placed, heing stationed upon the outposts. Numerous parties of guerillas were going throung the country, plundering and burning all before them; any that are taken are tried by court martial and shot. The week before the dates of our latest advices, two thousand attacked Alcaser de Sat, but were beaten off. A reinforcement had since gone there from Almada, and eighty of the Irish were sent in their places. Five thousand of the poor peasantly, who have been disturbed by them, have enume into Lisbon from Alemtejo. Mostef them are lodged in some of the convents as Don Pedro cleared out some of the little trong and in others. Biged the

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