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Newcastle, Novemb. 3.

THe third instant arrived here a Vessel from *Nyco-pen*, laden with Iron, in his passage taken by a Dutch Privateer, and carried into *Horne* in *Holland*, from whence he was cleared the 31st past, by him we are informed that 24 Dutch ships are lately put to Sea, giving out that they are part of them to attend our Coal Fleet, and the rest to cruise about the Coasts of *Norway*, in expectation of the *Gottenburg* Fleet, and that some few of them are designed for the *Elbe*, to hinder our Trade upon that River.

Plymouth, Novemb. 6. On Sunday last 13 or 14 ships from *Bourdeaux*, *Nantes*, and *Rockelle*, laden with Wine, Brandy, and Salt, were by ill weather forc'd into this Port, pretending to belong to *Hamborough*, *Ostend*, *Newport*, &c. two of them are suspected to be prize, their papers and dispatches expressing them bound for *Holland*.

West-Comes, Nov. 7. Yesterday arrived here by contrary Winds the *Noſtre Dame de les Anges de St. Leon*, of *St. Sebastian* with only Ballast, she came the second instant from *Ostend*, to which place she had transported 250 Spanish Soldiers, and was returning for more, the whole number to be carried thither being 4000. They much apprehend the French in *Flanders*, and are accordingly fortifying themselves with all diligence. The French have in the late stormes received much damage, by the wracking of many of their ships. No Dutch Men of War were then abroad, but *Zealand* Capers in great number plying upon the Seas.

This day five *Ostenders* having unloaded their Wines, were discharged by the Commissioners for prizes, and set sail homewards.

Norwich, Novemb. 7. The Account of our weekly bill runs thus, buried in all 65. Of the Plague 56.

Vienna, October 30. The *Chaymakan* with a Train of 36 persons, 30 Waggons, and a great number of horse arriving the 9 instant, sent by the *Bassa* of *Offen*, to complement his Imperial Majesty, desired Audience from the Emperors person, but it being told him that it was contrary to the order of that Court, he rested satisfied, and made his Addresses after the usual form, to the President of the Council of Warr, to whom he declared the sum of his Errand, but withal representing that as formerly in a Diet held at *Presburg*, under *Ferdinand* the Third, the Emperor did not refuse to give Audience to an Envoye sent to him at that time from the Visier, so he desired to be admitted to the same favor, that he might by word of mouth assure his Imperial Majesty of the good Intelligence and Neighborhood, which the Visier intended to maintain with him; whereupon the Emperor gave order to the Duke de *Gonzaga*, with his principal Interpreters, and other Officers to attend him to his Audience, which was accordingly performed. The *Chaymakan* in Testimony of his satisfaction presenting the Duke with an excellent horse, with scordish and other furniture, covered with precious furs. In his Audience, after some few complaints against some proceedings of the *Hungarians*, he complemented the Emperor upon his happy marriage with the *Infanta*; in all his Address, shewing much more civility than has been usually seen amongst the Turks, and making presents to all those persons of the Court that came to visit him. Yesterday having taken his leave, and being ready to part from this place, upon the news brought him that a Trumpetor of his Train had left both his Service, and his Religion, and was turned

Christian, He refused to leave the Town till he was brought into his presence, suspecting he had been killed by some *Germans*; and having seen him, he departed much satisfied with his reception at the Court.

His Imperial Majesty is upon a design of advancing Trade throughout all *Germany*, which he desires may be so ordered, that they may not be obliged to take off the French Manufactures, by which means vast Sums of Money are daily carried out of the Empire: To which end, several persons of condition have proposed to his Majesty the establishment of Companies for several sorts of Manufactures, which when settled, will be able to furnish the Merchants, who shall be prohibited from a farther Commerce with *France*.

'Tis generally talk'd also, That upon this Marriage with the *Infanta*, the Court will change their Mode, and leave the French fashions, which they now follow, for the Spanish.

From *Raab* we are informed, that the *Turks* on the other side the *Danube*, have had a Rencontre with some *Hungarians*, of whom they killed several on the place, and carried off 37 of their heads, which they presented to the *Bassa* of *Buda*, with some prisoners, and amongst them a young *Hungar*; who discoursing freely for some time with the Visier, was afterwards by his order beheaded at his Gate. Another party of *Turks* returned likewise from *Presst* and *Watz*, bringing with them Thirty heads of *Hungarians* killed by them; whereupon the Visier has sent an Express to our Governor upon the Frontiers, with an account of these late actions, withall laying the fault upon the *Hajdukes* and *Hussars*, filling them Thieves and Robbers, whose employment was only to make spoils in the Countrey, desiring the Governor to use the like severity upon any *Turks* that they should find abroad plundering.

The Electors, Princes, and Imperial Cities of *Germany*, having upon the business of *Bremen* declared to the Emperor, That in case any Prince, State, or Imperial City were attacked by any other, the whole Empire was obliged conjointly to assist the Defendant; his Imperial Majesty hath resolved not to order the marching of his Forces towards *Bremen*, till the Forces of the whole Empire was joyned for their assistance.

On Sunday last, his Imperial Majesty being at supper with the Empress Dowager, a Courier arriving from *Italy*, brought the News that the Empress had accepted of the Court that the Emperor had sent to attend her; and has dismissed the *Spaniards*, and was then upon her journey for *Borzen*.

Naples, Octob. 19. On Thursday last the *Real* of *Spain* having embarked 350 *Italian* Soldiers, levied in this Kingdom for the service of the King in his War against *Portugal*, set sail from hence with some other Vessels in his company. The three *Genova* ships are gone also from hence, but carried no Soldiers with them as was expected.

Warsaw, Octob. 21. From *Littaw*, our Letters inform us, that the *Littawish* Field Here arriving the second current, at the Leaguer by *Minsko*, caused a Bridge to be immediately made over the River *Ecozyn*, over which he past with his whole Army: The News of which, wrought so effectually with the *Muscovite* Commissioners, that they perswaded ours again to a Conference; in which they endeavoured to assure them, that the *Czar* their Master would freely relinquish to them *Poleck* and *Witten*, and should voluntarily and unconstrainedly gratifie the Crown of *Poland* with the Cession of *Kyo* and *Kavion*, with some other places, as a testimony of his singular affection to his Majesty of *Poland*; but not at all as obliged to it by the force of Arms.