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Falmouth, Febr. 10.

THE eighth instant arrived here the *Virgin* of *Bristol*, and the *Success* of *Leverpoole*, both in eight days from *Bourdeaux*; the Masters tell us, they came out from thence in the company of 200 sail, among which were about 60 or 70 small French Merchant ships, bound for the Coasts of *Britany*, under the Convoy of three Men of War. They add, that all the Soldiers were marched from *Bourdeaux*, except 2500 Men, who continued in Garison in the Castle, and that the City began to recover its Trade, and to flourish again. Here are in Port the *Royal Defence* of *London*, and the *Margaret* of *New York*, bound for *Genoua*, and several other Vessels expecting a fair Wind.

Tangier, Jan. 10. The Moors having laid an Ambush of about 30 Men without our Line, and our discoverers going out, the fifth instant early in the morning, they rose, and killed one of our Men; at the same time the Moors who lay in several Ambushes, without the Line near our Forts, discovered themselves, but were so warmly received by our Men, who were in the said Forts, that the skirmish lasted but a very short time, and they retired, with the loss of several of their Men killed and wounded; among the latter as we since understand from *Titsan*, was the Governor of *Alcazar*, who had his hand shot off; and that *Buliffe* the Captain of these Fields, a great Enemy to the English was killed.

Madrid, Jan. 30. We have Letters from *Cadix* of the 20 instant, which inform us, that a Vessel was arrived there from the *West-Indies*, with an account, that the Galeons cannot be expected till towards the beginning of *March*, which does somewhat disappoint this Court, which had designed greatest part of the Moneys to be brought home by this Fleet for the making the necessary preparations against the next Campaign; which by this means will be much retarded; though in the mean time all endeavors are used to raise a good Fond for the said service. The Duke de *Villa Hermosa*, Governor of the Spanish Netherlands professes with great earnestness to be supplied from hence in such manner as the present posture of those Countries stands in need of; and, it is said, that it hath been resolved, not onely to remit to him a very considerable sum of Money, but likewise to raise several thousand Men in this Kingdom to be employed for the service of the Netherlands. We cannot yet hear any thing of *Don Juan* of *Austria's* coming to Court, and some say that he has excused it, because of what passed when he was lately here. This is certain, that his Highness has written to the King in answer to the Letters he received from his Majesty on that subject.

Venice, Jan. 31. We do not hear that any time is prefixed for the departure of the Procurator *Nani* towards *Nimeguen*, where he is to reside as Ambassador

Extraordinary on the part of this State, and some will even tell us; that the Emperor has not as yet accepted the Mediation of the Republick. The Duke of *Mantua* is at present here, to partake of the diversions of the Carnival. From *Constantinople* we have advice, that the Grand Signior shews some inclination to make Peace with the Poles, upon milder terms than have been formerly proposed, yet that even these are of that disadvantage to *Poland*, that it's believed that King will not easily be brought to consent to them, so that in all probability, the War will be continued the next Summer, for which the Turks in the mean time make great preparations. The Count *della Torre* is coming hither, as Ambassador from the Emperor.

Copenhagen, Febr. 8. Great diligence is used here in hastning the preparations both by Water and by Land, as to the first, it's said our Fleet will be ready to set sail about the middle of *April*, by which time the Dutch Men of War are likewise expected, and being joined our Fleet, will be a third part stronger than it was the last Summer, and as to the latter, the King purposes to encamp with his Army near *Eisenore* about the middle of *March*; it is much questioned whether the King will return to *Germany*, many thinking rather, that his Majesty will continue in these parts, to have an eye upon the King of *Sweden*, who has already a good Army together towards *Gottenburg*. The Duke of *Holstein Plöen* is made chief Velt Marechal of the Kings Forces, and a Senator of this Kingdom. From *Norway* there are Letters which advise of a rencounter that had hapned between the Sieur *Güldenlew*, Viceroy of that Kingdom, and the *Suedes*, in which the latter are said to have lost 6 or 700 Men, and that the *Danes* had taken their Post in the Enemies Countrey.

Vienna, Febr. 4. Upon the complaints of the Turks against the Count *Stiffolds*, for having, as we formerly told you taken *Drebezen*, and a great many Hungarians, who were fled thither for protection, his Imperial Majesty has caused the Troops which the said Count left in Garison there, to quit the same, and to leave all things in the same state they found them in. Upon the representation made by the Minister of the Elector of *Cologne*, the Emperor has interposed his Authority with the Elector of *Brandenburg*, to restore the City of *Dorsen*, belonging to the Elector of *Cologne*, but at present in the hands of the *Brandenburgs*. The Elector of *Bavaria* notwithstanding all the instances that have been made, continues it seems firm in his resolution not to depart from the Neutrality which he has observed since the War. General *Montecuculi* is still ill of the Gour, though it's hoped he will be in a condition to part hence on the time prefixed, which is the 20 instant, on his return to the Army, where the Officers are ordered to have their Troops complete against the latter end of *March*, upon pain of forfeiting their commands.

Cologne, Febr. 14. We had some time since a promise of the Marquis de *Grana*, that some Imperial Troops should come and quarter in this Diocesis, to se-