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Edenburgh, Decemb. 17.

THis day nine more of the Rebels received their Sentence by the Court of Justice, and are to be executed the next Saturday with *John Lindsey*, who was formerly reprieved. We have here a report, that many more of that crew have been lately taken by some of the Earl of *Argiles* men, and amongst others, *Wallace* and *Lermont* their principal Officers.

Tarmouth, Decemb. 21. A Vessel of this Town, being off of *Dover*, forced to Sea by the violence of a storm, and judged to have been cast away, was (as we are now informed) forced ashore about *Eullogne* in *France*, but lost only two of her men that were there drowned.

A ship of this Town setting out, intending for *London*, met with a French Sloop who commanded her to strike, but the refusing, returned her answer with one Gun, and returned back again into Harbor.

Albrough, Decemb. 22. Some small Vessels have of late been seen in our *Ozen*, plying to and fro, which by their working, we suppose to be *Picaroons*, but hear not of any attempts they have made.

Portsmouth, Decemb. 23. A ship laden with Deals, is by a Privateer sent into this place, supposed prize, though pretending to be a *Lebeck*.

Dantzick, Decemb. 1. The Diet at *Warsaw* goes on with much hopes, the 15 part the execution of the late Treaty was much pressed on, with their desires, that the Act of Oblivion then promised might be speedily published, and that some course might be taken for paying off the Army, and satisfying the publick Debts, especially those that are due to the *Marquis of Brandenburg*; that the Copper-money which gave the first beginning to the late troubles, may be called in and cryed down. It was likewise proposed, that the ill custom hitherto practised by the *Nautices*, might be taken off, it being usual for one of them to leave the Diet, and protest against all that should be done in his absence.

Hamburgh, Decemb. 8. The late tumults in *Bremen* being ended, several of the Actors in it are apprehended and imprisoned, in order to be made exemplary to their accomplices; and by their punishment to give satisfaction to the *Swedes*, and a farther inquiry is to be made into the Ring-leaders and fomenters of the disturbance: To which purpose a Commission is given to four Senators to manage that affair. It has also been published by the publick beat of *D.ums*, and by notice given in all Churches throughout the City, that all persons whatsoever that have taken any thing out of the house of the Senator *Speckens*, or received any thing into their custody, that they bring all such Goods, within the space of 24 hours into the Senate house, and deliver them to the keeper of the house, where they are to be sealed by the Imperial Notary, and reserved for the owner, Declaring all such persons as shall presume to detain any such Goods, to be Thieves and Robbers, and shall be proceeded against accordingly.

Vienna, Decemb. 9. On Sunday last the 5 instant, his Imperial Majesty attended by twenty rich Coaches, filled with his Prime Nobility, went out of this City to the place designed at *St. Markts*, with a great Train of extraordinary rich Liveryes, where the Emperor at the head of his Guards on Horseback attended the arrival of the Empress, who coming punctually at the time appointed, was with great Pomp and Magnificence conducted into this City, through three very stately Triumphal Arches. The Cavalry at her reception giving her three salutes, which was answered by two discharges of the Cannon round the City: Her Entry continuing till six of the clock in the Evening, all the streets were filled

with an infinite number of Torches of White Wax. At the *Augustines* she alighted, where the *Cardinal de Harach* gave his Benediction to the Emperor and Empress, and concluded their Marriage, which was proclaimed by three discharges of all the great guns; at nine of the clock the feast began with the same noise of the Artillery: The *German and Hungarian* Nobility consisting of about 3000 persons made this day a very glorious appearance, all of them richly habited, and excellently mounted, by which, with the good order they kept in their march and attendance, they gave exceeding great satisfaction to the Emperor, who entered likewise on horseback under a Canopy, which was borne up by the chief Magistrates of the City, immediately preceding the Empress, who followed in an extraordinary rich Coach covered over with Gold Embroidery.

On Monday, 6. the Emperor with his Empress heard Mass at the *Augustines*, where the day before they were married, and Tuesday at *St. Stephens*; that evening they had the diversisement of excellent Fire-works, to which the Empress her self gave fire.

The Jews have made their present to the Empress of a large Silver Basin, and in it a Child of Silver, of excellent workmanship, weighing 28 Mark.

Cologne, Decemb. 11. The Assembly of the States of *Fuliers* and *Cleves*, being (as we told you) broken off without any effect, there are yet hopes that all things will continue peaceable in the Provinces; the Cities having sworn their Allegiance, and paid their homage to the Duke of *Newbourg*, and 'tis believed the Nobility will also speedily conform themselves, and the Duke be induced to confirm their ancient Priviledges.

Haylbrun, Decemb. 20. The Countries, since the retreat of the *Lorainers*, and the other Forces that have so long harassed them, enjoy now the pleasure of peace and repose; all their eyes are converted upon the success of the Negotiations here; where the Deputies of the Allies have offered some project for a friendly composition, but the conditions are not yet divulged. The Ambassadors of *France* and *Sweden* have some little dispute about Precedency, who should make the first visit. The great dispute at present is about the right of *Sauvage*: the affair at present proceeds but very slowly, by reason of the great variety of Proposals, which will require much time to consider them.

Legorn, Decemb. 6. This week arrived here two ships from *West France*, having passed in their voyage by *Cales*, *Marseilles*, and *Genova*; one, the *Lady of Angelo*, of 28 Guns and 70 men; the other, the *Dolphin*, of 36 Guns and 110 men; their Cargo rich, besides other Goods, carrying Money, *Indico*, *Cocheneile*, &c. Here is also come in, the *St. Paul*, belonging to *Messina*, from *Cales*, all of them intending to land Corn at *Puglia*, and to return again for *Cales*. The fourth instant, arrived the *St. Antonio*, a French ship from *Scanderoon* and *Cyprus* with Cottons. Several *Algier* ships are gone for *Tripoly*, from whence they intend to Arm out. 'Tis here reported, that three ships lately arrived at *Thoulon*, are gone for *Malta* to take their Commissions to serve against the *Turks*.

Our Letters from *Mantona* some days since arrived, have brought us news of the death of the Archdutchess Dowager and Regent, during the minority of her Son; but by later advice, we are informed, that her Highness was for some time given over as a dying person, by reason of a sickness that held her for some considerable time, with great palpitation and oppression of her Senses; but she is since somewhat better, but continues still in a condition, which gives but little hopes of her recovery.

From *Constantinople* we are informed, that the Sultan entertains himself in Hunting, it being a recreation that he takes much delight in; and upon the importunities of the *Sultana* his Mother, has given liberty to his Brothers, confin'd to the *Scraglio*, to use the same recreation, being the less jealous of them, since he has three sons of his own, in whom the succession will be secured.

Milán, Decemb. 8. Since the embarkment of the last levied Souldiers the Governor hath called a Council of War, where were present the principal Ministers and Officers of this *Dutchy*, by whom it was agreed that order should be taken for sending into *Switzerland*, for the raising some Companies of that Nation for the present service. By an Express lately arrived from *Madrid*, the Governor has received Orders for the speedy raising of Ten Companies of Horse and Foot to be transported into *Spain* for the service of his Catholick Majesty; each Souldier to have a Crown by way of Donative, and two Months pay advance; The Colonels to whose care these new Levies are committed, promising to have them ready to embark by the beginning of *March*.

Amsterdam, Decemb. 22. The last week happened so great a Tempest at the *Uly*, that a Spanish Vessel was cast away, and the remainders of the Vessels formerly burnt by the English, cast up by the Waves, and set floating; a Vessel designed for *Guiny* lost her Mast, and was afterwards ran on ground, but the greatest part of the goods were saved.

The Chevalier *Baurg* who some time since took on himself the Title of his Excellency, having mispent much time in the vain search after the *Phylosophers Stone*, left his Chymistry for the more thriving Trade of a Merchant; but this also failing him, he broke and has left the Town, without taking leave of his Creditors, who having trusted him with Wares of great value, and especially Jewells, in which he chiefly dealt, have since offered 600 Florins to any Man that shall discover him so as to secure his person.

Hague, Decemb. 25. The 22 instant sentence was passed against Monsieur *Kievit*, by which they have confiscated his estate, and banished him for ever out of the united Provinces as a Traitor, in which, if he be taken, he is to loose his head; his Wife is also fined at 200 Florins, and his two Sisters at 100 a peece, for causing a Book to be printed in defence of *Van Tromp* their Brother; *Van derhurst* is likewise to be confiscated, and rendred incapable for the future of any employment.

No sentence is yet past against *D. Magdowcl*, and 'tis thought by divers, that they will be satisfied with his banishment.

Middleburgh, Decemb. 29. By an order sent from the *Hague*, all the Flemish Ships, and convoy bound for *Spain*, that were by foul weather driven from *Ostend* Road into the *Wielings*, and since into the *Ulack*, are secured, upon pretence, that the *Flemings* have formerly obliged some of the *Holland* Vessels that came in for shelter to *Ostend*, to pay Customs in and out, which the *Offenders* seem not to acknowledge; upon which account, they now demand satisfaction from these ships, to the value of about 100000 pieces of Eight. Advice of this severe procedure is sent by the Chamber of Commerce to *Braxels*; who have likewise dispatched one of their Members into *Zealand*, and others to *Ostend*, to inquire into the causes of this pretence.

Our *Guiny* and *India* Fleet is hastning out, but with what convoy, is not yet known.

The twenty seventh instant, part of the *Holland* fleet from *Amsterdam*, came within sight of *Ulushing*, where, upon the discharge of some Guns, the ships that attended them there, immediately weighed, and with them two or three lusty *Capers*, and that night went to Sea, their design concealed, and not to be known to the Captains themselves, till they arrive at a place at Sea, where they are ordered to open their Commissions.

Paris, Decemb. 29. Our late Letters from *Thurin* inform us, that the Duke of *Savoy* intends speedily to send an Ambassador to the King of *Portugal* his Brother in-law, and that Her Highness Royal, his Duchess, has by some accident received a hurt, which may much prejudice her in the condition she is in, being great with child. The same Letters ad-

vised us, that his Highness Royal is raising new forces in *Piedmont*, but on what design, is not yet known, his late quarrel with the City of *Genova* being upon fair terms of agreement. A Council *des Grands jours* is very suddenly to be held in *Bretagne*; for which purpose his Majesty has granted his Commission to Monsieur *d'Argouges*, chief President of the Parliament of *Renes*, with full power to make choice of what Judges he shall think fit to assist him in it. 'Tis also discours'd, that some order is to be taken for the regulating the trade of Cloth in that Province, it being the most principal place of this Kingdom for the making and venting of that commodity.

It has been lately much talked in this Town, that the Count *de Quelus* (who some time since was sent to the Council *des Grands jours* into *Languedoc*, with a guard of 40 of his Majesties Musketeers) was rescued by his Friends, led by the Count *de Spinchar*; but the vanity of this report is since made evident, the said Count being sent to *Aurillac*, at the desire of the Council *des Grands jours* at *Auvergne*, as whose suite he was first arrested, upon several Informations brought in against him, and before whom he is speedily to be brought to judgement. To which purpose, he is ordered to appear before Monsieur *Pelletier*, the chief Commissioner at *Auvergne*, where the witnesses are to be heard against him.

Two of Monsieur *Colberts* Daughters are lately betrothed, the Elder to Monsieur *de Cheurcuse*, Son to the Duke of *Luzac*, and the younger to the Count *de St. Aignan*, the only Son to the Duke to call'd. To each of whom, his Majesty gives 50000 Crowns towards their portions, intending to give as much with his other three children.

His Majesty has also given 200000 Livres to the Marquis *d'Angeau*, towards the defraying his expences in the Government he has lately bought.

From *Carcasson* we are informed, that on the 29 past, the Duke *de Vernueil*, Governor of the Province, with the Marquels *de Grignan*, one of the Lieutenants General, and the *Sieur de Besons*, met in the Town House, and gave beginning to the Assembly of the States of the Province, with the usual ceremonies.

The seventeenth instant, The Danish Resident had his last Audience from their Majesties at *St. Germain en Laye*, taking his leave likewise of Monsieur the *Dauphin*, with Monsieur and Madame.

On the twentieth, the Spanish Ambassador made his compliments of Condolance upon the death of the Duke *de Valois*, being till then hindered by some indisposition of body.

Weymouth, Decemb. 24. The 23 instant arrived here the *Nonfuch* Ketch from the Ile of *Guernsey*, by whom we are advised, that a Privateer of this Port, called the *Hopesfull Providence*, cruising off of *Portland*, about six leagues from thence, discovered a Dutch Vessel, which after two hours chase she took, the Vessel being a Fishing-ship from *Rochel*, homewards bound with Wines, and some *Rozin*, of about eighty Tuns with ten Men, and four Guns, but the Wind being strong at North, they could not recover any Port in *England*, but putting Men aboard her, sent her away for *Guernsey*, where, for want either of skill or care, they ran her upon the *White-Rock*, where she stuck, the Men getting to shore, left their Ship and Goods under water, which by the assistance of the Islanders was got off, and their Goods all saved.

Edenburgh, Decemb. 20. The Earl of *Argyle* with a Party of Five hundred Men is now in *Kantyre*, making search after the remainder of the Rebels, and has secured *Wallace* his son, but himself is not yet discovered. Yesterday four of the Rebels were executed at *Glasgow*; many of those that are now Prisoners seem very penitent for what they have done, exclaiming against the Covenant which they were drawn in to swear at *Launcrick*, and confessing the heinousness of their late horrid Rebellion. All things continue quiet in this Kingdom, and preparations are making for the Assembly of the States, which is appointed to be held the 9th of *January*.

The Account of the Weekly Bill runs thus, Buried in all 254. Of the Plague 4. Increased in all 31. Of the Plague 1.