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Genoa, Sept. 20.

THE French Gallies failed from hence this morning for *Marseilles*. Their General the Duke de *Vivonne*, after the first Compliment made him on the part of the Senate, was not so much taken notice of, as the French expected, which made him keep on board, while the Gallies were in this Port, though he was indisposed. We are told that at *Thoulon* they are fitting out 12 Capital Men of War. The State of *Milan*, 'tis now said, arms in good earnest, with intention, as some report, to take *Verona*, *Cremona*, *Bergamo*, and *Brescia*, from the Venetians; but others say (and that's more probable) 'tis in order to hinder the French from making themselves Masters of *Casal*, which it's not doubted but they are endeavouring to do, great numbers of French Troops being already come to *Pignerola*. The Spanish Gallions arrived the 20 past at *Cadix*, and the *New Spain* Fleet is expected there some time this month; Some French Ships they say made a descent near *Santa Cruz*, but were repulsed.

Prague, Sept. 16. The 14 instant their Imperial Majesties, with the young Archduke *Joseph*, arrived here; in their journey hither from *Vienna*, many persons of their Family died, not without suspicion of the Plague, which is broken out in several places of this Kingdom, and some say that the Emperor for that reason intends to remove from hence very suddenly, to *Nuemburg*, *Ratisbonne*, or *Francfort*.

Vienna, Sept. 23. The Plague encreases still here, above 18000 persons are said to be already dead of it. All the Officers of Justice, and of the Chancery, are gone into the Country, and several persons of quality who would retire into *Bobemia*, are not permitted by the Magistrates of the Places they would go to.

Strasburg, Sept. 29. The French go on with the Fortress they are making at *Huningen*, which is a great eyesore to the Swissers, whose Deputies at the French Court have it's said at last obtained a Promise, that that work shall be given over, and that the King will content himself with raising a small Fort at *Mulheim*, two Leagues from *Basel*, on the other side of the *Rhine*.

Lipstadt, Octob. 4. This day the French Troops that were in Garrison here, after having first removed the Magazine, Cannon, and Ammunition, marched from hence, leaving the Inhabitants well pleased to be rid of these Guests, and the rather for that they feared they should have been troubled with them all Winter.

Zell, Octob. 7. Part of the Forces of the Duke of *Hanover*, are joined with those of our Prince, and are marching towards the *Elbe*. Those of *Wolfenbuttel* and *Osnabrug* are doing the like; These Princes being resolved not to suffer the City of

Hamburg, which is now threatened with a Siege to fall into the hands of the King of *Denmark*, though before they come to extremities, they will see if matters may be composed.

Cologne, Octob. 6. We are still afraid that the French intend to winter in these parts. They are making great provision of Forage at *Linnich*, which is near *Fuliers*. Our Letters from *Vienna* say, that the Plague begun to abate, there dying now not above 100 day, whereas before there had died 200 daily.

Hamburg, Octob. 7. On Tuesday last the King of *Denmark* came to his quarters at *Pinnenberg*, which are about two Leagues from hence; and the next day sent orders to his Resident here, to acquaint this Senate, that he expected they should send to him Deputies, whom he would let know what he required of this City. Yesterday the Common-Council met to consult of this matter; and resolved to send five Deputies to the King (who accordingly parted this morning, and are expected back again to morrow) and declared that as they are willing to give the King of *Denmark* all reasonable satisfaction in any just pretensions he may have upon them; so they are likewise unanimously resolved not to give up any part of their liberty, but rather to venture all. The Imperial Resident here received some time since Letters from the Emperor, which if things came to extremity he was to send forward to the Duke of *Zell*, and the Bishop of *Munster*, whom his Imperial Majesty does thereby require to assist this City with all their forces; wh ch Letters the said Resident dispatched away yesterday; and in the mean time we have an account that the Duke of *Hanover* hath not only refused the King of *Denmark* the 1000 men he had promised him, but has ordered all his Forces to march towards the *Elbe*, to join with those of *Zell*, *Wolfenbuttel*, and *Osnabrug*. Colonel *Meck*, who has served as Major-General in the Army of the Duke of *Zell*, came hither two days since with 600 Horse, and his Regiment of Foot, consisting in 1000 men, is expected here in a day or two; he has taken an Oath of Fidelity to our Magistrates, who have likewise raised what men they could; so that we shall have a pretty good Garrison; but our great fear is of the Enemies Bombs and Fireballs, of which they have made great Provision. The Danish Garrison, except only 200 men, is marched out of *Wismar*, to join the Army, and 6000 men are expected from *Schonen*. It is just now reported that the Danish Men of War are come into the *Elbe*, but without any certainty.

Brussels, Octob. 10. On Saturday his Royal Highness arrived here: and in the evening all the Nobility and Ministers of this Court, were to pay their Respects to his Royal Highness. The Princess of *Orange* was expected here, to visit their Royal Highnesses, and particularly her Sister the Lady

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