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Bantam, Feb. 21.

THe Affairs of the Dutch at Ternattee, are somewhat discomposed, through an unhappy difference between the King and their Chief; Common Report blames the latter, for having struck the King, who thereupon in much anger retired to Tydore: They that understand the affairs of those parts, conclude it a Matter of very great consequence; and this is certain, that in November last, the Sieur Martin, Major of the Fort at Batavia, sailed from thence with four, some say six Ships, provided with a sufficient number of Men, Ammunition, &c. and that his Commission was, to endeavour if possible, to compose the Difference above-mentioned; and in case all the means he should use, in order thereunto proved ineffectual, then to have recourse unto Arms.

Genova, Aug. 29. The 8th Instant arrived here the *Maryland Merchant* from England; She came in company of five other stout Merchant Ships, which are past by for Legborne

Berlin, Sept. 8. The Second Instant the Elector of Saxony, after a long Indisposition, dyed at Fryburg; which will, its believed, occasion a great change in that Court; for its said, that the Sieur Ramsdorf, the late Electors chief Minister, is not well with the young Prince, between whom and the Emperor is a personal friendship, and therefore its not doubted, but that he and others, who are said to favour the French Interests, will be removed. The Plague increases so fast at Dresden, that for want of Burial-places, they are forced to throw many of the dead Bodies into the River. The Plague is likewise at Leinzick.

Cologne, Sept. 14. Three days since passed through this City the Secretary of the Elector Palatine, going in great haste for England; we did not then know what his Errand was, but understand it since, by the Letters we receive this morning from Heidelberg, which tell us, That his Electoral Highness being at Fredericksburg, after some days illness, was advised by his Physicians to remove to Heidelberg for the Air, that in the way, in a Village called Edingen, he was taken with an Apoplexy, and about four in the afternoon Dyed. His body being the next day Embalmed, was carried to Manheim, where it will remain, till Orders come from the Prince his Son (now Elector Palatine) who is in England, concerning the farther disposal of it. His Electoral Highness dyed in the 62 year of his age.

Amsterdam Sept. 13. From Zealand we have Advice, that the six Brandenburg Frigats, with one Fireship and a Victualler, were come from the Sound to Schonevelt, and were at an Anchor there when these Letters came away. The King of Spain, to avoid all occasions of difference with the French

King, in the present conjuncture of Affairs, has sent his Commissioners at Courtray a new Power, wherein he only Stiles himself King of Spain, and so among the other Titles, that are omitted, that of Burgundy is likewise left out. We have an Account from Hamburg, of the death of the Elector of Saxony,

Hague, Sept. 13. On Tuesday last, Don Balthazar de Fuen Mayor, Envoye Extraordinary from Spain, presented a Memorial to the States-General, wherein he acquainted them, That the King his Master being desirous to take away all occasions which might be made use of to disturb the Peace, and having a particular regard to the Instances of this State, had sent a new Power to his Commissioners at Courtray, which would remove the Difficulties, occasioned by the pretension of the French, concerning the Title of Burgundy; of which the States gave notice the next day to the French Ambassador. It is said that the King of Spain does in this new Commission, only Stile himself King of Spain, without any other Title. The Sieur Guldenshopf, the Swedes Envoye, has had his first Audience of the States-General, in which he Declared, the great desire the King his Master has, to continue his ancient Friendship with this State. The States of Holland have not hitherto made any progress towards the composing the Differences between them and the Province of Zealand; and its thought that that Affair will require a longer time, than they intend this Session shall continue. The Prince of Orange holds his Resolution of parting hence on Monday next towards Zell, his Horses being already laid in several places in the way of his Journey: 'tis believed the Princes will go to Soefdyke, and remain there till his Highnesses return.

Hague, Sept. 17. The Prince of Orange departed yesterday for Zell, the States-General, and those of this Province having before by their Deputies, Complimented his Highness, and wished him a good journey. The States-General have Resolved to send the Heer Van Leeuwen for England, where he was lately Ambassador from this State, but at present, he will have only the Character of Envoye Extraordinary, that he may not be troubled with points of Ceremony, which that of Ambassador would subject him to. Colonel Fitz Patrick, who has been lookt upon as a very zealous Roman Catholick, is now become Protestant, having on Sunday last received the Sacrament in the Princess of Oranges Chappel at Horslaerdyke. Mr. Sidney intends to make a Step for England, during the next Receipt of the States of Holland. The Elector Palatine is dead.

Brussels Sept. 10. Yesterday the Heer Dyckveldt parted from hence for the Hague, having adjusted the Matters he was employed in here, concerning the Moneys demanded by the Prince of Orange, for several extraordinary Charges during the late War. The Sieur Smit, Envoye from the Duke of Hanover, is arrived here to sollicite the payment of the Ac-

rears of Subsidies due to his Master. From Spain we have an Account, that the King had finally Resolved to furnish his Commissioners at Courtray with a new Power, in which the Title of Burgundy should be left out.

Brussels, Sept. 13. Since our last, an Extraordinary Courier arrived here from Madrid, who brought a new Power for the Commissioners at Courtray, and Bills of Exchange for a considerable sum of Money, to be paid to the Duke of *Villa Hermosa*. Yesterday we had a violent Storm, with Thunder and Lightning, and we have an Account, that the Passage-Boat that went from *Antwerp* to *Villabrook* was cast away, and that of above 80 Passengers, there was not one saved. The Marquis de *Bourgonanero*, Ambassador from the King of Spain to the Emperor, has all his Dispatches, and will begin his Journey in a day or two; but *Don Bernardo de Salinas*, who goes to *Denmark*, is not yet ready. To-morrow or next day at farthest, the Spanish Commissioners at Courtray will exhibit their new Powers. The troubles at *Liege* increase daily; the People continue in Arms, have committed many Insolencies, pulled down the *Custom-House*, Assaulted, and wounded the Officers, and will neither obey the Edicts of their Prince the Bishop of *Liege*, nor of the Emperor.

Bruges, Sept. 14. The States of *Flanders* have at length consented to raise 14000 Rations a day, for the ensuing year, which is 8000 less than what they gave the last. The three Regiments of Horse that were at the Rendezvous at *Demise*, are returned to their Quarters. The Forces that are in this Province, have been very punctually paid by the States, according to the settlement made since the Peace, till within these two Months, which makes the Soldiers not to complain, but puts them upon committing several disorders, its probable they would not otherwise be guilty of. The Ships that are to carry his Excellencies Baggage for Spain, lye ready at *Ostend*.

Paris, Sept. 14. The Duchess of *Orleans* has by an Express received Advice, of the death of her Father the Elector Palatine. The Prince of *Conde* continues ill of an Ague. Preparations are making, to entertain the Court with a great Ball on *St. Huberts* day.

Deal, Sept. 10. The Ships that are arrived from the *West-Indies* are the *George*, the *Golden Fleece*, and the *Success* from that Coast, and the *Cesar* from *Bantam*. We do not yet hear of the *Hunter* Frigate, who came from *Famaica*, in company of those Ships that are arrived from thence.

Oxford, Sept. 10. The 8th Instant in the Evening, his Highness the Electoral Prince Palatine, came hither in one of his Majesties Coaches from London, accompanied by *Sir Charles Cotterel*, Master of the Ceremonies. His Highness being come near the Town, *Mr. Howard*, Son to the Earl of *Carlisle*, accompanied with several Gentlemen on Horseback, met his Highness, and made him a Compliment in the name of the Vice-Chancellor, and the Heads of Houses, who met his Highness at *St. Maries*; the Prince coming out of his Coach, to Receive and Return their Compliments at *Christs-Church* the Bishop of *Oxford* received him, and conducted him to his Apartment. The next morn'g his Highness went to see the Colledges, (where he had several Speeches made to him, and at some of them, was

at the publick Prayers) the Library, and the Physick Garden, and in the afternoon there was a Convocation at the Theater, where his Highness was pleased to take his Degree of Doctor of Physick; several Gentlemen of his Retinue, having likewise Degrees given them. This day his Highness parted again from hence extremely satisfied with the Respects shown him by the University and my Lord Bishop who Entertained his Highness and all his Attendants very Magnificently during their whole stay here.

London, Sept. 11. This day Mrs. *Celier* was Tried at the *Old Baily*, for publishing a most scandalous Libel (being the Narrative lately Printed by her) and was Convicted, and Remanded to *Newgate*, in order to her receiving the Judgment of the Court on Monday next.

Whitehal, Sept. 11. The Right Honourable the Earl of *Feversham* is Declared Lord Chamberlain to the Queen, in the place of the Earl of *Offory* deceased; and the Right Honourable the Lord Viscount *Lumley*, Master of the Horse to her Majesty, in the room of the Earl of *Feversham*.

His Majesty has been Graciously pleased to Create the Right Honourable the Lady *D'Aeres*, Mother to the present Earl of *Suffex*. Countess of *Shippey*.

Whitehal, Sept. 12. Last night the Prince Elector Palatine returned hither from *Oxford*, having at *Hampton Court*, where he Dined, received the News of his Fathers Death, by his Secretary; of which, his Electoral Highness after his arrival here, gave the King and Duke an Account by *Sir Charles Cotterel*, and thereupon His Majesty sent the Earl of *Oxford*, and his Royal Highness, *Mr. Churchill*, to make his Electoral Highness their Compliments of Condolance; and this afternoon the King and Duke were to visit his Electoral Highness at his Lodgings in the *Cock-pit*; and the Queen sent her Lord Chamberlain, and the Dutchess, the Master of her Horse to Compliment him.

The Officers of the Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer, have Money in Bank to pay to Number 25, inclusive, of the Orders Registered on the Second Act for Disbanding the Army.

Whereas the Feast of the Artillery Company was intended to be held on Tuesday the 14th Instant; These are to give Notice, that the same will be kept the day following, being Wednesday the 15th.

Advertisements.

Whereas a Fair hath been formerly Granted to the Earl of *Winchelsea*, or his Ancestors to be held at *Challocke* in the County of *Kent*, upon the 27th day of September yearly; These are to give Notice, that the same is changed to the 22 day of October, and is to be held at *Wye* in the County aforesaid, yearly for ever; unless the said last mentioned day shall happen to be on a Sunday, and then upon the Monday following.

Cornelius Reichfeld, went away from his Master *John Leeger*, Chirurgon in *St. Margarets Church-yard, Westminster* on Friday the 10th of this Instant *Septemb 11*. If any Person can give notice to his Master, of the said *Cornelius*, so that he may get him home, they shall have 20 s. reward; he is Bound and Inroll'd. If he returns to his Master, he shall be receiv'd, and his former faults past by.

A Pay Gelding, about 15 hands high, with a White stripe down his Face, and a Black List down his Back, pinn'd Buttock'd, and three White Feet; lost about six days since out of *Hyde-Park*. Whoever gives notice of the said Horse to *Mr. Allen* the Under-Keeper of the said Park, shall be well rewarded.