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Florence, Sept. 26.

Several Souldiers and Officers of the Italian Regiment, which has been lately Disbanded in France, are arrived at Leghorn, and other Places. The Duke of Savoy continues under his Indisposition; and the Duke of Cadaval is preparing to return to Lisbon with the Fleet. Three Slaves having made their escape from Argiers, in a small open Boat, having no Sails, and only two Oars, are arrived at Legborne, after having been 23 Days at Sea, and three Days without any Provisions.

Vienna, Octob. 4. Our Letters from the Camp of General Caprara, of the 27th past, give an account, That the Imperial Army was so considerably reinforced, that it was in a condition to march towards the Enemy, but that they wanted Wagons to carry Provisions, and other necessaries, the Country People who were coming in with them, having been forced to return home, because of the disorders committed by the Militia raised by the Palatine of Hungary, who live without any Order or Discipline; That for this reason General Caprara was obliged to continue in his Camp between Trenchin and Leopoldstadt, on the Waag. Levies are making in all the Emperor's Hereditary Countreys, to recruit the old Bodies that are on Foot, and it's said Commissions will in few days be given out for the raising of several new Regiments. The late Governor of Caschau is dead; his accusation was, That that place was lost by his neglect, from whence to many ill accidents have since resulted. Just now arrive Letters from General Caprara of the first Instant, which say, That Lieutenant-Colonel Heysser, being abroad with 1000 Imperial Horse and Dragoons, had surprized 1000 Foot and 200 Horse of the Rebels, had killed 300 of them upon the place, and had taken 45 Prisoners, and 10 Colours; That the Prisoners reported that Count Teckelsy had resolved to abandon Ajsob, Newfol, Chremnitz, and other places in the Mountains; and that the Turks and the Rebels were not separated, as had been reported, but that the Vizier of Buda had, by reason of his illness, left the Army under a good Convoy, which had occasioned that report.

Francfort, Octob. 6. On the 28th past the French Ambassadors here presented a Memorial to the Imperial Ambassadors, and to the Deputies of the Empire, in which they declare, in the name of the King their Master, That his Majesty is willing to stand to the Offers which he has made by his Ministers for determining amicably his just Rights and Pretentions, till the last day of November; but in case the said Offers are not accepted before that time, his Majesty will be at liberty to pursue his own satisfaction in such manner as he shall think fit: and the fourth Instant the French Ambassadors gave in another Memorial, by which they declare, That if the Offers made by the King the last

next Month, they shall be obliged to leave this place, after having, for the space of a Year that they have been here, done all that lay in them for the establishing a good Intelligence between his Majesty and the Empire.

Strasbourg, Octob. 9. The Marquis de Courtenvaux, Son to Monsieur de Louvois, parted from hence the second Instant for Mentz, and the same day arrived here the Baron de Monclar, the French King's Lieutenant-General in Alsace, but made no stay here. The French work with all possible application on the new Fortifications of this City, and on the Canal of Moltzheim, and give out that they will have finished all these Works before Winter. Four Regiments of Horse, drawn out of Friburg and Brisac, marched yesterday for Saverne, from whence they are to continue their March towards the Saar and Lorraine; and all the Horse which, upon the breaking up of the Camp at Landaw, were Quartered in the Villages in Alsace, are to follow the 15th Instant. From Francfort we have advice, That the French Ambassadors have declared to those of the Emperor, That if the Offers his Majesty has made for the determining the differences between him and the Empire be not accepted before the last of the next Month, his Majesty will not, after that, be obliged to stand to the said Offers.

Cologne, Octob. 9. On Friday last it was known, that our Elector had resolved to admit of the Deputation, which the City of Liege will send hither, upon condition that the said Deputies come not only from the Magistrates, but from the People, that so the Commonalty may not disapprove of what they shall do. And the same day his Electoral Highness sent to the Sieur Fodocq, the Imperial Minister, to acquaint him with the Resolution he had taken, and to desire him to give notice of it to the Magistrates at Liege. The Syndic of this City, which our Magistrates sent to the Directors of the Circle of Westphalia, is come back, and has given the Magistrates an account, That the Directors of the said Circle, have promised to have 1000 Men ready for the Service of this City, and that they will cause them to March hither whenever our Magistrates shall desire it. We do not yet certainly hear when the Bishop of Strasbourg will be here. From Munick we have advice, That the Elector of Bavaria had held a general review of his Troops, and that he had resolved to send 8000 Men to the assistance of the Emperor against the Turks. From Vienna they write, That General Caprara was encamped with the Imperial Army, between Trenchin and Leopoldstadt, on the Waag; but that he would have removed from thence, and marched towards the Enemy, had he not wanted Carriages, which the Country People had not brought in, being in as much fear of the Hungarian Troops, Commanded by the Palatine of Hungary, as they could be of the Enemy, because of the Disorders they committed.

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Cologne, Octob. 13. The Commonalty of this City, give our Magistrates frequent disturbances, and if a timely remedy be not applied, it's to be feared, they will at last bring us into great Disorders. The Count de *Starenberg*, Governour of *Philipsburg*, observing the Preparations the French make at *Strasbourg*, has put all the Country round *Philipsburg* under Water, and has made such other Provision for the security of the Place, as to be out of Year of any Force whatsoever.

Brussels, Octob. 13. His Excellency has been at *Vilvord*, which place he intends to fortifie, and to settle a Manufacture of Cloth there, and for the encouragement thereof has granted the Inhabitants very great Priviledges. His Excellency having changed his resolution of going for *Guelderland*, went yesterday to *Aeth*, to visit that Garrison, not having been there since his coming to this Government: he is expected back this night or to morrow; and then our *Majstre de Camp* General will go and visit *Guelderland*, *Limburg*, and *Luxemburg*; and as for this last place, his Excellency intends to have so good a Garrison there, and the place so well furnished with Provisions, that if the French should attack it, or block it up, it may hold out a long time.

Brussels, Octob. 16. We have Letters from *Lille*, which give us an account, That the *Marschal d'Humieres* is returned thither, and hath ordered all the old Troops that are Quartered in the new Conquests, with the Fuseliers on Horse-back, to March towards *Lorrain*, and the *Franche-Comte*; and from *Alsace* they write, That the *Baron de Monclair* has commanded several Regiments from *Friburg*, *Brisc*; and other places in those parts, to march towards the *Saar*, and the Country of *Chirney*, which gives us apprehensions that the French are preparing for some great design on that side. Our Letters from *Cologne* tell us, there is some disorder in that City, occasioned by the differences between the Magistrates and the People. Our Spanish Letters of the first Instant, brought us little considerable: The Bills of Exchange, which his Excellency expects, are promised by the next, and they tell us, That the *Marquis de Liebe* has declined the Government of *Naples*, and that the *Duke d'Uceda* is made *Viceroy of Galicia*. Our Letters from *Vienna* give us an account, That the Imperial Troops had fallen upon a Detachment of the Turks and the Rebels; That they had killed 300 of them upon the place, and had taken eight Colours, which had been brought to *Vienna*; That the Emperor's Troops continued to march with all diligence for *Hungary*, and that the Emperor was going to raise several new Regiments.

Hague, Octob. 13. The States-General having written to the Elector of *Brandenburg* concerning the assist of *Orange*, have received an answer from his Electoral Highness, who declares he is very much concerned at these Proceedings of the French, and that he will not be wanting to do whatsoever lies in him for the obtaining the Prince of *Orange* satisfaction therein. From *Hamburg* they write, That the *Dukes of Lunenburg* do labour very earnestly to compose the differences between the King of *Denmark*, and the Duke of *Holslein*, that so the ill consequences, which the March of the Danish Troops into *Holslein* to Winter there, will have, may be prevented. On Friday last arrived here

the *Heer Canterstein*, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *Sweden*.

Paris, Octob. 17. The 15th Instant their Majesties arrived at *Fountainbleau* from *Chambor*, having been met by the Dauphin and Dauphiness five or six Miles from thence. Two days since the *Sieur du Bois*, an Ecclesiastick, was seized, and carried to the *Basilie*, for he same cause that several others are there for, viz. their speaking or writing against the late Declaration of the Clergy. We have not of late had any particular account of the state the present differences between our King and the Pope are in, but many apprehend they are as far from an accommodation as ever, and that things will at last come to extremities. It is believed Monsieur du *Quesne* is by this time arrived at *Thoulon*, from whence we have advice, That the *Algerines* have lately taken two Barks very richly laden, belonging to *Marseilles*.

Piimouth, Octob. 6. On Wednesday last arrived here His Majesties Ships, the *Guernzey*, and the *Mermaid*, and yesterday they both Sailed again, the *Guernzey* for *Jamaica*, and the *Mermaid* for *Virginia*.

HIS Majesty being very well satisfied with Mr. Thomas Warren's Art of Embalming, has been pleased to Order him to be Sworn His Majesties Apothecary in Ordinary, which has been done accordingly.

Advertisements.

LOst at Newmarket, on Tuesday the third Instant, about twelve of the Clock, a white young Greyhound Bitch of his Majesties, with a black spot between her Ears, another on each of her sides, and another near her Stern. Whoever gives notice of her to William Chiffinch Esq; shall have two Guineas Reward.

These are to give notice, that one Ralph Gill, being lately in Custody of a Constable in Stow, in the County of Gloucester; for certain high Crimes, made his escape on the seventh Instant, being about 17 years old, of a fair Complexion, full Face, flaxen Hair; a mixt coloured Cloth Serge Coat on, and a grey Serge Cap; being a Jufty Youth of his age, and is said, since his escape, to have on a dark brown Livery, Lined with Red. Whoever gives notice of the said Youth to Mr. Dix, Constable of Stow aforesaid, or to Mr. Edward Hill, a Shoe-maker over against Hungerford Market, so that he may be secured, shall have a very good Reward.

Thomas Followfield, a Butcher, newly come out of the Country, a Clownish Fellow, indifferent tall, with Pock-holes in his Face, a down Look, lightish brown Hair, stooping in the shoulders, about 24 years of age, with brown Cloth Cloaths, a grey Serge Wattlecoat, and Silver Galoom Cuffs. Whoever apprehends him, and gives notice thereof to Mrs. Mary Smith, at the Corner-House on the Right Hand of *Germin* Street, shall have 20s. Reward.

Stolen on the seventh Instant out of the Grounds, belonging to *Syuda*, in *Ospring* in *Kent*, a Bay Gelding, useful only for Plow and Cart, about seven years old, 14 hands and a half high, having a black Man and Tail. Whoever gives notice of him to Mr. Walmley at the Red *Evans* in *Ospring* aforesaid, or at *Toby Collier's* Coffee-house at *Pyegones*, near *Smithfield*, London, shall be well Rewarded.

Stolen or freed on Wednesday the fourth Instant at night out of Mr. Smith's Grounds, at the half-way-house to *Hamstead*, two Geldings, the one a bright bay, 15 hands, eight years old, a star and a blaze down his Face, three white Feet, several Saddlespots, and a whisk Tail: the other a black Gelding, with a star in his Forehead, about 14 hands, Cloudy headed, with a bruth Tail, and all his Paces. Whoever gives notice of them to *Joseph Lyon*, at the three Sugar-Loaves in *St. Giles's* in the Fields, shall have 40 Shillings Reward.