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*Genova, December 8.*

**T**his Week arrived here the *Benjamin* with Poor Jack. The *Dutch* Convoy pretends to sail in a day or two for *Leghorno*, *Messina*, and *Smirna*. The Prince of *Monaco* is come hither, intending to pass the Carnival in this City. The Senate have given Orders for the demolishing the Fortifications of *Savona*, except the Castle, in which will be kept a Garrison. The 6th instant parted from hence one of this States Gallies for *Marfeilles*, to bring from thence the Marquis de *Marini* late Envoy Extraordinary from this Republick at the Court of *France*.

*Turin, Decemb. 8.* The 6th instant the Dutches of *Savoy* was brought to Bed of a young Princess; and the same day the Marquis de *la Pisserre* parted from hence, to carry the News of it to the Court of *France*. The Pope's Nuncio and the French Ambassador have Complimented the Duke of *Savoy* on this occasion. The Cardinal *Mellini* is arrived here in his Return from *Spain*. This Court is gone into Mourning for the death of the Prince of *Conti*.

*Venice, Decemb. 8.* We have Letters from *Corfu* of the 19th. past, which confirm the Account we gave you in our last, of the arrival there of Captain General *Morofini* with the Gallies of this Republick, and that in his way thither he had taken and Demolished the Castle of *Gumenizza*. The Senate have named Signior *Girolamo Cornaro* to be Provveditor General of *Dalmatia*, in the place of Signior *Pietro Valier*, who has desired leave to return hither. By a Vessel arrived from *Dalmatia*, we have Advice, That the Bassa of *Sceutari*, having drawn what Troops he could together, marched with them towards *Cattaro*, with a design to attack that place; but that the Provveditor *Zen* having notice of it, assembled a Body of between 3 and 4000 Men; upon which the Turks retired with all the haste they could. We have an account by a Vessel come from the Coast of *Barbary*, That two Aga's are arriv'd with a considerable sum of Money at *Tunis*, to require that Government to fit out a certain number of Ships, for the Service of the Grand Signior, besides those they have already sent to his assistance; and that they were to go from *Tunis* with the same Commission to *Tripoli* and *Argiers*. A Vessel is arrived here from the *Levant*, having met 15 *Venetian* Men of War off of *Milo*, which were looking for the Turkish Ships that were bound with the Provisions they had loaded at *Cyprus* for *Constantinople*, and several places in the *Agreas*;

*Vienna, Decemb. 16.* General *Caraffa* has taken his Head-quarters at *Diofleck* a great Town in *Transylvania*, not far from *Great Waradin*; He has under his Orders four German Regiments of Foot, six of Horse, and two of Dragoons, and 8000 Hungarian Hussars and Heydukes, which are likewise quartered within the Principality of *Transylvania*, of which the Envoy who is here from Prince *Abafsi* makes great Complaints, protesting his Master will be forced to draw his Troops together to oblige the Imperialists to dislodge, but he has, it's said, been answered, that the said Prince cannot expect any favour from hence, till he has quitted his Engagements with the Turks. General *Caprara* has blocked up *Montgatz*, and intends with the first hard Frost to attack that place with his Cannon and Bombs; In the mean time several Germans that were of that Garrison have deserted, and coming into the Imperial Camp, have reported that they want in the said Castle Fuel and other Necessaries, and that the resolution of the Garrison begins very much to abate. We have an account that a Party of the Garrison of *Giula* having met some Imperial Troops who were conducting a Convoy of Provisions to *Saravus*, they fell upon them, and exceeding them very much in number, forced them to retire in great Disorder, which the Baron de *Mercy* having notice of, he sent immediately a detachment of Horse and Dragoons from *Zolnocke* to their assistance, upon whose approach the Turks fled, and were so closely pursued by our Horse, that they entered with them into the Town of *Giula*, and made themselves Masters of it, putting most of the Turks that were there to the Sword; of which we must expect a Confirmation. The Turkish Aga who is still at *Comorra*, has received new Instructions from the Visier of *Buda*, of which he has sent an account hither, but all the Advances the Turks do make towards a Peace will not be able to divert the Emperor from the Resolutions he has taken for a vigorous prosecution of the War. There is a report that *Teckelej* has been strangled at *Belgrade*.

*Ratisbonne, Decemb. 11.* The 24th past, the Imperial Commissioners at the Dyet delivered to the Electoral Colledge a Letter from the Emperor, wherein his Imperial Majesty declares to them, that the Count de *Windisgratz* is his Principal Commissioner, as well as the Bishop of *Passau*, and ought to be treated as such, and then Complains to them of the loss of so much time, as hath been spent in disputes about matters of Ceremony, to the prejudice of those important Affairs which ought to be treated of in the Dyet; but at the same time the said Commissioners declared, that the Count de *Windisgratz* being gone to *Vienna*, the States of the Empire to avoid all farther Contests

Confests about The Naming him in the Conclusions, to be made for the Complimenting the Emperor upon the happy Succels of his Arms in *Hungary*, and the Birth of the Young Arch-Duke, might dispatch this matter before the said Count's return hither. Accordingly the several Colledges formed the next day their Conclusions to Compliment his Imperial Majesty on the occasions above mentioned, and presented the same to the Imperial Commissioners; Since which the States have begun to deliberate upon the first point of the Execution of the Treaty of Truce between the Empire and the Crown of *France*, which concerns the settling of the Limits, and having in the first place debated the Preliminary question about the place where the Conferences should be held for that purpose, the Electoral Colledge have declared that they think this City the most convenient place, but the other two Colledges are not yet come to a resolution therein. The Deputies that are here from the Elector of *Bavaria* are gone to the meeting of the States of *Franconia* which are now assembled at *Nuremberg*. The States of the *Upper Rhin* are summoned to meet the next week at *Marbourg*; Prince *Waldeck* will assist in their Assembly.

*Cologne, Decemb. 26.* The Imperial Sub-Commissioners are gone home, intending to return hither after the Holy-days, to finish the Settlement of the Affairs of this City. The Bishop of *Strasburgh* has put off his Journey to *France* till the beginning of the next Month. The Prince de *Mourback* lies very dangerously ill of a Fever. They write from *Upper Hungary*, that *Montaix* is blockaded up at some distance, by three Imperial Regiments, and that General *Caprara* intends to Attack that Fortress with Bombs, so soon as the weather will permit it. That the Imperialists have placed Garisons in all the small places about *Great Waradin*, to keep in that Garison, and that *Buda, Alba Regalis*, and the other Turkish Garisons in *Hungary*, are in great want of Provisions, and all other Necessaries for their subsistence and defence. Some Letters say, That *Tockely* has been Strangled at *Belgrade*, by Order of the Grand Signior, and that his Heart was taken out of his Body, and carried upon a Pike round the Town, to be shewn to the People, but this needs a confirmation.

*Hamburg, Decemb. 24.* The Letters we received by the last Post from *Warsaw*, inform us, that the King of *Poland* upon the Advice he had from *Mobila*, General of the Faithful *Cossacks*, that the *Turks* were come before *Niemirów*, sent Orders for the re-assembling the Forces of the Crown, which were newly separated, in order to go into their Winter-quarters, resolving to march himself at the Head of them to relieve that place, but that his Majesty receiving afterwards an account that the *Turks* were retired towards the *Danube*, and that the *Tartars* were gone home, the Troops were countermanded. These Letters tell us farther, that the Ambassadors of *Poland*, of which the Palatin of *Pesnes* is chief, had begun their Journey for *Moscow*. We have Letters from *Riga* which say, that the Commissioners the King of *Sueden* had sent to the Frontiers of *Moscow*, to Treat with those appointed by the Czars about regulating the Limits, were come back without concluding any thing, by reason of several new Difficulties that were raised by the *Moscovites*.

*Hague, Decemb. 24.* The States of *Holland* have, we are told, unanimously consented to the State of the War for the year ensuing, and we are expecting to hear that the other Provinces have

done the like. The *Heer Spaen*, Lieutenant General of the Elector of *Brandenburg's* Forces is come hither from *Cleve*. The *Heer Van Stille*, the *Brandenburg* Miqister will now in few days receive the first payment of the Arrears of Subsidies due to his Electoral Highness from this State. Prince *Casimir of Nassau* is returned to *Leeuwarden*. The States of *Holland* are adjourned to the eighth of the next Month.

*Brussels, Decemb. 28.* Our Governor General returned hither yesterday from *Montacuse*. This day the Deputies who are here from the States of the Province of *Haynaut*, at present assembled at *Mons*, made some Proposals to his Excellency about raising a supply for the payment of the Garison of *Mons*, withal declared, that they will comply with whatever his Excellency desires of them. The Prince de *Racbe*, Governor of that Province has been very ill, but is now pretty well again. The Duke of *Hure* is gone to *Mons*, to preside in the Assembly of those States. They write from *Germany*, that an Alliance is Treating between the Electors of *Brandenburg* and *Saxony*, and the Princes of *Lunenburgh*, and that the first of these Princes has declared, that he will assist the Elector *Palatin* with all his Forces if there be occasion for it. The Count de *Forne*, who was lately sent hither by the Prince of *Orange* is returned to *Holland*.

*Whitehall, Decemb. 20.* His Majesty of His Royal Grace and Favour, hath Constituted the Right Honourable *Theophilus* Earl of *Huntingdon*, Lord Chief Justice and Justice in Eyre of all His Forests, Chaces, Parks and Warrens on the South-side of *Trent*, which Office became Vacant, by the Earl of *Chesterfield's* Surrender thereof into His Majesties Hands.

*Whitehall, Decemb. 23.* Yesterday Signior *Zeno* and Signior *Giustiniani*, Ambassadors Extraordinary from the Republick of *Venice*, had Audience of the Queen Dowager, at *Somerset-House*, being Conducted by Sir *Charles Cottrel* Master of the Ceremonies, in her Majesties Coach, followed by many other Coaches with six Horses apiece; and this day their Excellencies had Audience of their Royal Highnesses Prince *George*, and the Princess *Ann*, of *Denmark*, being Conducted by Sir *Charles Cottrel*.

#### Advertisements.

STolen or strayed about the 23d past, from Ambrose Fuller Horse-courser at Fadington beyond Northampton, a dark brown Gelding, upwards of 14 hands high, 6 years old, a thorax mane, a cut tail, a white spot on the near side at the girt-place about the breadth of a Farthing, trots and gallops well. Whoever gives Notice of him to Mr. Peter Newlyn at the Frying-Pan and Sawe on London-bridge, or to Ambrose Fuller aforesaid, shall have a Guinea Reward; or whoever brings him to either of them, shall have Two Guinea's Reward.

STolen the 29th past, in Oxford, a black Mare, about 13 hands high, past 6 years old, with a small Star in the forehead, a thin tail, with many grey hairs on the top of it, and her heels then inclined to be sore. Whoever shall give Notice of the said Mare to Mr. George Boulton Merchant in Aldermanbury, London, or to Mr. Walter Coombes near the Angel Inn in Oxford, shall have a Guinea Reward.

STrayed or stolen out of the Glébe of Radwinter Parsonage in the County of Essex, from Mr. Robert Sandford Rector of the same, the 23d instant, a black brown Gelding about 14 hands high, whisk tail, not very long, a little Goose-rump, trots hard, no pace, no white about him, about 9 years old. If any person give Notice of him to Mr. Mount near the Three Kings in King street, London, or to Mr. Anderson at the Crown-Inn near Aldgate, or to the aforesaid Mr. Sandford, he shall have 20 s. Reward.