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Genova, January 21.

WE have an account of the death of Cardinal *Reggi*, who died the last week at *Ravenna*. It's said the Pope has declared Signior *Agostino* Imperiale General of his Gallies. We have

Advice from the *Levant*, That the Plague continues to rage very violently at *Constantinople*; and that the scarcity of Provisions encreases daily, by reason most of the Vessels bound thither with Provisions from *Egypt*, *Smirna*, and *Candia*, fall into the hands of the Christian Privateers who Cruise in the *Archipelago*. That the principal Ministers of the *Port* do all they can to obtain a Peace, as the only means to re-establish the Affairs of that Empire; but at the same time do not neglect to make the necessary Preparations for the supporting the War, in case their Proposals of Peace should be rejected; And that the chief Officers of the *Seraglio* have largely contributed to the Expence thereof. By a Vessel from *Tunis* we are informed, that they were fitting out there three great Brigantines to Cruise in these Seas.

Venice, January 24. The preparations for the next Campaigne are carried on by this State with the greatest application imaginable. The Towns of the *Terra Firma* are required to raise a certain number of Foot; *Brescia* is to furnish 600, *Bergamo* 300, *Verona* 800, *Vicenza* 500, *Rovigo* 200, and the others proportionably, besides which, the Governors of the several places have directions to raise what Men they can for the Service of the Republick, which with these and the other Levies that are making by order of the Senate, will have an Army of above 30000 Men in the Field the next Summer. The Prince of *Hanover*, who came lately from the *Morea*, where he Commanded the Forces of *Brumstick*, now in the Service of this State, is going home, but with a resolution to return hither against the next Campaigne. We have advicc by a Vessel which arrived here this week from the *Morea*, that Captain General *Morosini* continued at *Napoli di Romaniaa*, greatly advancing, by his presence, the new Fortifications on the Hill *Palanida*, and the other Works that are making for the security of that City. That Signior *Venier* was gone to cruise with a Squadron of Men of War in the *Archipelago*. And that the Serasquier of the *Morea* was returned to *Corinth* from visiting the Turkish Garisons in the *Morca*. The Letters from *Dalmatia*, tell us, that the *Morlaques* had again made an incursion into the Enemies Country, and had brought back good store of Booty. The Elector of *Bavaria*, the Duke of *Mantua*, the Prince of *Savoy*, and the Prince of *Brandenburg* *Bareit* are arrived here to pass the Carnival in this place.

Madrid, Jan. 16. The King has named the Marquis *de Cogolludo* to go his Ambassador to the Pope. The Count *de Melgar*, late Governor of *Milaga*, continues under his Confinement. The Count *d'Agulart* General of the Fleet, and the Duke *de Veraguas* General of the Gallies of Spain arrived here this week. The Count *de Villarmayor*, Ambassador from the King of *Portugal*, to the Elector Palatin, after having stay'd two days at *Alcala de Henares*, continued his Journey towards *Barcelona*. It has been published at *Cadix* and *Seville*, that the *New Spain* Fleet will depart in the month of *February* though, it's thought, it will be *April* before they can be ready. The Council will, in few days, name a new Viceroy of *Peru* in the place of *Don Melabior de Navarra*.

Lemberg, Jan. 4. Since the Ratification of the League with the *Moscovites*, there has hardly passed a day without some Conference or other, either with the Ambassadors to regulate several matters concerning the execution of the Treaty, or among the chief Commanders of the Army, to order the Preparations for the Campaigne, at which latter the King is for the most part present. The Envoy from the Cham of *Tartary* is still here; he has made some Overtures for a Peace, but they have been rejected. An Envoy is coming hither on the same Errand from the *Turks*, and there is no doubt he will have the same Success. The Envoy the King is sending to reside at *Moscow*, will begin his Journey thither very suddenly. The News continues that the *Cossacks*, in the Service of this Crown, have defeated a Convoy of Provisions that was going to *Caminnic*.

Vienna, Jan. 26. The Popes Nuncio at this Court, having by an Express from *Rome* received an account that the Ambassador of *France* had declared to his Holiness, that the King his Master, to preserve the Peace of Christendom, was willing to change the Truce into a perpetual Peace, provided it be concluded before the end of *March*, has thereupon had twice Audience of the Emperor, and several Conferences with his principal Ministers, after which he dispatched an Express to the Popes Nuncio at the Court of *France*. A House is preparing here for the *Moscovite* Ambassadors, who are expected in few days, their Secretary being already arrived, to give an account of the Number of their Attendance, and to settle some matters about their Reception. The Letters from *Five Churches* of the 24th instant tell us, That Major General *Flumgen*, Governor of that place, being informed that the *Imperialists* had in their late Excursion left two great Mills standing in the Neighborhood of *Sigeth*, where the Garison, as well as the Inhabitants, did grind all their Corn, had sent

sent out 400 Horse, under the Command of the *Sieur Orlich*, who burnt the said Mills, and between 50 and 60 Houses that stood thereabouts, having beat back the *Turks* that sallied upon them out of the Castle. Our Advices from the *Ottoman* Territories assure us, that the *Turks* make great Preparations for the next Campaigne, and that the Grand Signior will command in Person his Army in *Hungary*.

Ratisbonne, Jan. 24. The 17th Instant; the Deputies of the Elector of *Mentz*, Director of the Empire, proposed to the Diet, to deliberate upon the Points that concern the execution of the Truce; The several Colledges have been since assembled upon this Subject, but have not yet taken any Resolution in the matter. The States of *Franconia* are separated, but with a Resolution to meet again at *Nuremberg* the 15th of the next month. The last Letters from *Hungary* told us, that the Garrison of *Alba Regalis* seeing the Convoy of Money and Provisions, which they had so long expected, did not arrive, grew very mutinous; And that the *Spahis* going in a Body to the *Bassa*, had declared to him, that if they were not very suddenly paid what was due to them, and supplied with Provisions, they would abandon the place; and that the *Bassa* had thereupon sent Deputies to *Belgrade*, to hasten the Succors. Other Letters say, That the *Turks* were drawing together near *Essecke*, and that they had prepared a great Convoy for the Relief of *Alba Regalis*, *Sigeth*, and *Canisa*. The Imperial Garrisons on this side the *Drave* are likewise in some want of Provisions, the Country round them being so ruined, that they cannot be supplied from thence, and therefore a Convoy will be sent to *Five Churches* and *Coposwar* from *Stiria*. The Count de *Nostitz* the Imperial Minister at *Stockholm*, has concluded a Treaty, in pursuance of which, the King of *Sweden* is to assist the Emperor the next Campaigne with 3000 Men.

Hamburg, Jan. 30. The Magistrates of this City have lately raised a Company of Grenadiers, and 100 Gunners, and have ordered several Houses to be pulled down which stood too near the Outworks of the Town. The Count de *Roye*, who lately commanded the King of *Denmark's* Forces, is gone to *Postdam*, to make the Elector of *Brandenburgh* a Visit. A Regiment of Horse, and another of Foot, are raising in the Country of *Lunenburgh*, as is said, for the Service of the Republick of *Venice*. The Letters from *Poland* tell us, That the King had written Circular Letters to the several Palatinates, containing the Reasons upon which he had resolved not to call a Dyet this year.

Paris, Febr. 8. The Court returned yesterday from *Marli*. It's said the King will take a Journey to *Compeigne* presently after *Easter*. The Pope's Nuncio had a long Audience of the King on Sunday last. The Officers of the Marine have Orders to repair forthwith to their several Ports. We are told from *Rome*, that the *French* Ambassador had had a second Audience of the Pope, upon the same Subject he had his former. The Duke de *Craqui* continues very ill.

Whitehall, Febr. 4. This Evening the Body of the Lady *Ann Sophia* was privately Entered in the Vault of the Royal Family in King *Henry VII's* Chappel, having been received at the West-gate of the Abby by the Lord Bishop of *Rocheſter* Dean of *Westminster*, and the Prebendaries, attended with the *Quire*, with the usual Ceremony.

It having been always the Custom when any Letters are sent from any Part of England or Ireland; to go first to London, or Dublin, and afterwards to some other Part of England, or Ireland, to receive the Postage of the said Letters to London, and Dublin, at the Country Stages where the said Letters are first delivered, and also the Postage to Dublin for all Letters written at London to go to Dublin, and afterwards to any other Part of Ireland, and the Postage to Dublin for all Letters written in any Part of Ireland which are to come for England; These are to give Notice, That all Postmasters whatsoever, both of England, and Ireland, are ordered not to demand the abovementioned Postage any more; And also all Letter Receivers in and about London, and all Officers at the General Post-Office in London, have the same Directions given them.

The Master, Wardens, and Assistants of the Trinity-House, London, do give Notice to all Masters of Ships and Vessels, who in Trading to and from the Northward, have Occasion to pass through the Chanel at *Winterton-Nesse*, that the Small Light-House there having been washed down by the late bad Weather, they have caused a Mast or Pole, having a Lanthorn at the Top, to be fixt the present erected in its room, till the said Light-House can be new plac'd.

Advertisements.

There is now prepared and ready for the Press, the Lord *Dyer's* Reports; with References to all the Books of Reports now Extant, as may be seen by a Specimen thereof now Printed, Allowed and Approved of by the Judges. All Gentlemen who are willing to have the said Reports of the Large Paper, are desired to give in their Names to *Samuel Keble* at the *Turks-head* in *Fleetstreet*, before the first day of *March* next, there being no more designed to be printed of the best Paper, than what are bespoken.

A New black Trunk with white Nails upon the top of it, 1686 about three quarters of a yard long, lockt up, and full of Writings, was taken out of a Gentleman's Bed-Chamber near adjoining to *Southampton-houle*, after Five in the Evening, and before Nine on Saturday the 5th of this Instant; The said Writings are of Value to the Owner, and of none to any else. Whoever shall bring the said Writings to *Mr. Child's* Goldsmith at *Temple-Bar*, shall have Five Guinea's Reward.

On Monday, the 14th Instant, will be sold, by Auction, a Collection of the choicest and most valuable Books of the Common and Statute Law, at the Auction-House in *Ave-mary-lane* over against the *Black Swan*. Catalogues of which are given by *Mr. Wilkinson* in *Fleetstreet*, *Mr. Powell* over against *Lincolns-Lan-gate*, *Mr. William Miller* at the *Acorn* in *St. Pauls Church-yard*, at *John's* Coffee-house in *Fullers-Rents*, and at *Bridges's* Coffee-house entering into *Popes-Head Alley*.

Very good and new *Saint Jovin Seed* is to be had at *Mr. Jacob Bobarts* at the *Physick Garden* in *Oxford*.

The 8th Inst, the House of *Mr. Abraham Lethieullier* was broke open in *Devonshire-street* without *Lilhopl-gate*, and taken from thence upwards of an 100 l. in money, one Silver Plate, and five Spoons marked *E. P. M.* one gilt Spoon no mark, one Silver Tankard marked *Abraham Lethieullier*, two Salts, and a Pepper-Box, 12 Pewter Plates marked *L.* a Grey Drapde-Berry-Coat with short Sleeves, Gold and Silver Campaigne Lace on the Cape, and lined with blue Rataene, a Tobacco-stopper the shape of a Horses Foreleg, with a Silver Shoe, &c. and some Linnen. Who-soever shall give Notice of the Persons that stole them to *Mr. Lethieullier* aforesaid, shall have three Guinea's Reward, and 5 l. more if the Whole be recovered, or in proportion to what is.

Samuel Wood, having light-colour'd Hair, fair Complexion, about 15 years of age, having a Livery of dark grey Cloth lined with deep blue Shalloon, with grey hair Buttons, blue Stockings, a black Hat, with a gold-coloured Herband, Run away the 5th Instant. Whomsoever can discover the said Boy so as he may be taken, and give Notice to *Mr. Dod* a *Haberdaisher* of Hats over against *Turnstile* in *Holbore*, shall be well rewarded.