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Plymouth, Feb. 28.

ON Wednesday last arrived here an Hamburger of 250 Tuns with Ballast, bound for *Nantes*, which on the Monday before was met and boarded by a sloop of 10 Tuns, 8 Oars, 30 men, and one Gun mounted; the men affirming that they belonged to *Nieuport* and *Ostend*, who plunder'd her of her Cables, Sails, and Rigging, with all her Provisions, Books and Money, which they carried away with them, steering towards the Island of *Guernsey*. Yesterday put into this Harbor a ship from *Barbados* bound for *London*, having left the Lord *W. Illoigny* with a Fleet under his command, sailing for the *Leeward Islands*, for the settlement and encouragement of those Plantations.

Newcastle, Feb. 28. On Wednesday last sailed out from hence a Fleet of 80 sail of laden Colliers, which were Yesterday morning followed by 20 more, but the wind coming Southerly, we suppose may have put some stop to their Voyage.

Rye, Feb. 29. This day put in here a Privateer of *Ostend* where he is by Order stopped for some time. A French Fisherman coming in this Tide, informs us that a Merchant ship which he affirms to be French, was lately in his view cast away off *Winchelsea* Castle, but to what place she was bound, or from whence he knows not.

Newcastle, Feb. 29. Since the departure of the laden Fleet, some of them have been seen put back to the Northwards by the violence of a Southern wind; Twenty sail of light ships are now arrived at the Barr, and more daily expected.

Portsmouth, Mar. 1. Sir *Thomas Allon* with his Squadron is still riding at *Spithead*, and with him Monsieur *de la Roche*, with another French man of War. A great Fleet of Merchant ships are now riding at *Caws*, bound to the Westwards. There is lately arrived at *Spithead* the Society from *New England*, very richly laden.

Madrid, Feb. 8. The 27th past, His Majesty quitted his Chamber, having by the advice of His Physicians kept within 40 days after his distemper of the Small Pox over, and is now in perfect health without any marks of the disease appearing in his face.

Yesterday *Don Juan* being by the Council and Ministers of State fully satisfied in all his demands, accepted of the Government of the *Netherlands*, and the next day attended her Majesty, declaring his resolution to employ all his study and endeavours for the defence of them, and received farther assurances from the Queen of a full satisfaction of his desires, taking his leave with full satisfaction, and is now preparing for his departure, having given order to the Duke *de Veraguas* to command a part of the Fleet to attend him upon the coasts of *Biscay* for his transportation, together with the forces he intends to carry over with him. Care is also taken for the defence of our Frontiers, and the forces formerly employ'd towards *Portugal*, ordered forthwith to march for *Catalonia*.

Here is now arrived at this Court an Ambassador from the Great Duke of *Muscovy*, who intends to morrow to make his publick Entry, but as yet his Negotiation kept secret.

Legorn, Feb. 13. Some few dayes since arrived here several Ships belonging to the *Holland* Convoy, in one whereof was embarked their Resident with his Family, intended for the *Ottoman* Court.

The 6th instant put in here the Admiral Galley belonging to the Republick of *Genova*, in three dayes from that Ports, having conducted hither Signior *Galcott* with his Family, intending for *Naples*.

The Abbot *de Tellier* is here arrived on his way from *Rome*, intending to embark himself for *Genova*, and from thence to continue his Journey by land to *Paris*.

Naples, Feb. 7. The 28th past sailed from hence a large Vessel well laden with all sorts of Ammunition, bound for *Spain*, for the Service of His Most Catholick Majesty whereon is also imbarqued an extraordinary Rich Coach and a Sedan, being sent as a Present from the Viceroy to his Majesty.

The good news of the Kings recovery from the small Pox, has been received as it ought, with much joy and satisfaction, which was abundantly testified by the Viceroy, who upon the news invited to his Court all the Lords and Ladies of Quality about the Town, whom he Treated with an excellent Feast, spending the Evening with the usual Diversions upon such occasions.

A Quarrel having lately happened between the Duke *de Gaetano* and the Marquis *Caraffa*, the Viceroy having timely notice given him thereof, was pleased to confine them to their Lodgings to prevent farther inconveniencies, and is now taking care to reconcile them.

We are here much concerned at the rude behaviour of the *Banditti* in *Apruzo*, who from thence frequently commit Riots in the Countreys adjacent, to their extraordinary prejudice; they are grown lately very numerous, appearing in a warlike posture, and are well fortify'd and furnish'd with Victuals and Ammunition, by which they hope to defend themselves against what forces can be easily sent against them: The Vice-Roy has been pleased to invite them in upon promise of pardon, and assuring them of employments in the war, but we have little hopes that this fair way will tempt them to come in, their Captain an old man of 70 years of age, encouraging them to stand stoutly upon their Guard, himself declaring his resolution to hazard his life in their defence, which gives us cause to suspect they are encouraged by some greater power upon some design of importance.

Genova, Feb. 17. Part of the *Polland* Convoy which lately arrived here from *Cadix*, brought with them, besides rich Marchandises, the sum of 800 thousand Crowns in monies, but the rest of them being not yet in view, nor as yet any certain news arrived of them, tis believed some Gallies will be sent out to enquire after and conduct them in. The Abbot *de Tellier* is suddenly expected here from *Rome*, the Couvent of *St. Francis* is preparing to receive him, and a Gally dispatcht to *Legorne* to transport him hither.

From *Milan* we are informed of the arrival of part of the Baron *de Keysersteins* Regiment, commanded by his Sergeant Major the Baron *Rodolph d'Edlin*. The rest of the Regiment, with the other forces lately raised in *Germany* by the *Spanish* Ambassador being suddenly expected to follow them.

The last week arrived in Post at *Milan* the Marquis *de Grana* from *Vienna* intending for *Madrid*, and *Don Louis Poderico* lately Vice-Roy of *Galicia* on his way for *Naples*, having both of them before their departure from thence made their Visits to the Governour *Don Loys Pons de Leon*.

The Prince *de Trivulzio* having left this place as she intended, is safely arrived at *Milan*, with the Prince her Husband, having been met upon the way and conducted in-