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Madrid, Jan. 20.

THE King of Spain has resolved to reinforce his Army in Catalonia with 8000 Foot and 5000 Horse, and to that end new Levies are making in the several Provinces of this Kingdom. Orders have been sent to Cadix for fitting out the Spanish Armada with all the diligence possible. The Genes-ships that were lately seized in that Port on account of the French Effects they had on board, continue still under Arrest; and 'tis said that a Million of pieces of Eight has been already taken out of them, which its believed, will be confiscated to the Kings Use.

Turin, Jan. 23. General Caprara returned hither the last Week from Milan, having concerted with the Governour of that Duchy, divers Matters relating to the preparations to be made for the next Campaign. An Envoy arrived here from the King of Spain, who had on Sunday last his publick Audience of our Duke. The German Troops quartered in Montserrat have so posted themselves as to block up the Garrison of Casal, and some of their Parties have made Excursions, and taken several Prisoners under the Cannon of that place. The Recruiting of our Troops goes on with good Success.

Turin, Jan. 30. The Duke of Savoy is gone to view the Garrison and Fortifications of Coni. The Count de Brenner, Com-ma-ny General of the Emperors Forces in Italy, arrived here this Week from Vienna, having brought with him a considerable Sum of Money for the payment of the said Troops; who expect a great Reinforcement against the Spring, and among other Regiments which the Emperor designs to send hither for that purpose, there will be two of Hungarian Husars, consisting of 1000 men each.

Venice, February 5. The Senate is treating with several Officers about a Levy of 3000 Germans for the Service of this Republick. The great Convoy designed for the Levants lies now ready waiting only for a fair Wind.

Copenhagen, Febr. 6. The Letters from Norway of the 22th past advise, That de Bart was killed at Flecken with a Squadron of 7 Men of War. 'Tis said, that a Reform is going to be made in the King of Denmark's Troops, to wit, of 6 men out of every Company.

Vienna, Jan. 30. The new Levies that are making in the Hereditary Countries to recruit the Emperors Forces, will be completed in a short time; The Imperial Chamber of Finances has given out Money to the respective Officers for remounting the Cavalry; Some Persons are treating with to furnish Horses for the Train of Artillery which they are to have ready by the end of March; and great quantities of Provisions are ordered to be bought up to fill our Magazines in Hungary. The design against Gyula goes on; General Heustler, who is to Command the Troops designed for this Expedition, was to be the 25th of this month on the Frontiers. The Enemy are very quiet in their Winter-quarters; but our Advices from Turkey continue to speak of the great Preparations they are making for the next Campaign. General Schoning, who has been some time a Prisoner at Brin in Moravia, was brought hither this Week, and is kept under a Guard at a private House: It's believed he will shortly obtain his Liberty.

Vienna, Feb. 6. The States of Bohemia, Silesia, and Moravia, have almost completed their Quorums of the Recruits that are to be raised in the Hereditary Countries; and all things are preparing here for an early Campaign. Yesterday Died here the Count de Comingsseke, Vice-Chancellor; and it's believed, that the Count de Windischgratz will be named by the Emperor to succeed him in that Office. A great quantity of Corn is ordered to be bought up in Bohemia, which will be sent to the Upper Rhine for the use of the Troops employed on that side. The frost is broke, which 'tis feared will disappoint the intended enterprize against Gyula in the Upper Hungary. The last Letters from Warsaw tell us, That the King of Poland was recovered of his late Illness.

Frankfort, Febr. 14. It has Thawed for several days, and the Rivers are now open again. Magazines are pro-

viding here and at other places for the Confederate Forces. They write from Alsace, that the French send great Stores of Ammunition to Philipsburg, and their other Frontier Garisons: And that the City of Strassbourg is obliged to raise a new Regiment of Horse for the Service of the French King.

Cologne, Febr. 16. The Count de Comingsseke, Governour General of this Country under our Elector, having received advice several days ago, that the Cologne Regiment of Horse, which lately entered into the Service of the States General, had mutined in their march between Nimwegen and Bolduc, and that most of the Troopers had deserted, and were dispersed, he has published strict Orders for the apprehending such of them as shall be found within the Dominions of his Electoral Highness of Cologne; And we are told that the Elector Palatine has given the like Orders within his Territories. We hear from Lige, That the Chapter was to meet the 22d instant, to fix the day for their proceeding to the Election of a new Bishop in the place of John Louis d'Eldeven, Bishop and Prince of Lige; who died suddenly on the first of this month, in the 77th year of his Age.

Hamburg, Febr. 9. Here happened the last Week a new and great disturbance, occasioned by the irreconcilable Animosity, which has continued for some time between the two Parties of Meyers and Horbius, which went so far, that some Persons were killed, and others wounded; and the Magistrates, to prevent farther Mischiefs, were obliged to call the Militia to their Arms; but the Party of Meyers being much the stronger, the Tumult was at last appeased by the Resolution of the Senate, to banish Horbius, his Wife and Children, out of this City.

Paris, Febr. 5. Upon the News of the Death of the Bishop of Liege, a great Conference was held at this Court; and it was resolved, that the Cardinal de Bouillon should forthwith repair thither to assist at the new Election as great Provost of the Cathedral Church of St. Lambert. Yesterday the French King made a Promotion of Knights of the new Order of St. Louis, being 51 in number, whereof 46 are Officers of the Marine, and 5 of the Gallies. The same day was Published an Order of the Archbishop of Paris, requiring publick Prayers of 40 hours to be made for obtaining a Peace.

Paris, Febr. 8. The Misery still continues, or rather encreases daily in all parts of this Kingdom; Some Vessels with Corn are arrived at Dunkirke, and other of our Ports, but the Supply they bring is very inconsiderable, considering the great and general scarcity the People suffer under; And we hear, that divers of the Corn ships expected from the North are cast away. The Farmers General have complained of the great Losses they have sustained since the War, and have obtained a Defauktion of several Millions.

Paris, Febr. 12. The Duke de Longueville, who retired divers years ago to a Convent in Normandy, having resigned his Title and Estate to his younger Brother who was killed in 1672, died there on the 4th of this month. The French King has declared that he will go to Compeigne, to take a Review of the Troops of the Household, and has set the 15th of the next month for his departure; in going thither the Court will stay two days at Chantilly, and as many in coming back, and the whole Journey will be of about 20 days. The Cardinal de Bouillon parted from hence yesterday on his Journey to Huy, from whence he intends to send to Lige to desire a Passport for his fare going thither to assist at the Election of a new Bishop; and in case it be refused, he will protest against the said Election.

Paris, Febr. 15. The French King has likewise made a Promotion of 292 Officers of his Land Forces to be Knights of the Order of St. Louis: His Journey to Compeigne is fixed for the 15th of this next month.

Brussels, February 7. The French continue very quiet in their quarters, without making the least show of attempting any thing. On Thursday last Monsieur Dickvelt went hence to Valenciennes, with the Duke of Holstein Plein, and came back at Night. The Duke of Wharmburg returned Lige on the 5th, and Yesterday