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11 o'clock on Tuesday the 13th
About Special Affairs &c.

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Florence, November 25. N. S.

Letters from Leghorn give an Account of the arrival of a *Flushing* Caper into that Port, who brought with him a *French* Bark he had taken, which was bound for *Tetum*, and had on board 10000 Dollars in Money, besides Goods. A violent Storm has driven ashore near *Leghorn* 2 *French* Ships and a Bark, one of the Ships was broke in pieces, and the Storm continuing, there was little hopes of saving the other 2 Vessels.

Venice, Dec. 1. The *Germans*, since the taking of *Bergfort* by the *French*, have removed the best part of the Provisions they had at *San Benedetto*, which is now too much exposed to the Enemy to be a proper Place for a Magazine. They continue to make Excursions into the Enemy's Country, and a Party of *Hussars*, which was lately sent out into the *Cremone*, brought home 24 Mules laden with Goods of value. Count *Gustavus*, General of the *Danish* Forces which are in the Emperor's Service in Italy, is gone for *Copenhagen*. Letters from *Mantua* say, the Duke of *Vendosme* has sent two Detachments to fortify *Bonporto* and *Nonsanto*. They write from *Rome*, that the Difference between Cardinal *Grimani* and the *Spanish* Ambassador is adjusted, through the Mediation of the Ambassador of *Venice*.

Thorn, Dec. 4. The King of *Poland* returned hither the 21st of the last Month from *Saxony*. The Great Council of the Nobility, appointed to be held here the 27th, met accordingly that day, there being present many Deputies from the *Greater Poland*, and the Duchy of *Lithuania*, and but few from the *Lesser Poland*; The former appear generally disposed to declare War against the *Swedes*, but have been prevailed with to hear the Proposals of the Emperor's Envoy, who offers his Master's Mediation for accommodating Matters, before they take any Resolution of this kind; and in the mean time the other Party hopes to be strengthened, by the Arrival of many of the Deputies who are not yet come. The *Sieur Oginsky*, who commands a considerable Body of the *Lithuanian* Nobility, which is in Arms against the House of *Sapieha*, declares for War, and is on his way hither; but the Cardinal Primate, who is yet absent, is inclined to a Peace, and the same is earnestly desired by the Country, which is almost ruined by the Quarters and Contributions it is forced to give, as well to the *Saxon* Forces and those of the Crown, as to the *Swedish* Troops. The King of *Poland*, upon the Complaints which have been made to him by the States of *Prussia*, has resolved to ease them, by sending home two or three *Saxon* Regiments, and sending 4 more into *Lithuania*. We hear that some dispute has happened at *Posen*, between the *Saxons* quartered there and the Inhabitants, and that a Colonel of Foot and several Soldiers were killed. The Waters of the *Weissell* being now swelled to their former height, so that *Swedish* Boats with Cannon and Ammunition may pass along very easily, their Troops are moving nearer to *Warsaw*, whither they have already sent Commissaries to demand Quarters and Provisions for their Subsistence, wherewith they also charge the Country through which they pass to supply them. The King of *Poland* has made the Bishop of *Warmia* Great Chancellor of the Crown, the *Sieur Czerniewsky*, who was the Crown Referendary, Vice-Chancellor, and the *Sieur Czewsky* Referendary in his room.

Copenhagen, December 12. An *English* Merchant Ship called the *George of Ramsgate*, arrived here two days ago from *Riga*, being bound with Naval Stores for *Amsterdam*; the Master reports, that before he came away, they had advice, That the *Muscovites* had invaded *Norway*. The *Muscovite* Ambassador at this Court says, he has an Account, That his Master's Forces are returned from *Ingria* into *Livonia*, and have taken and plundered *Holoway*, and despatched a Party of 500

Swedes, commanded by the Son of Major General *Schlippenbach*.

Vicenza, Dec. 6. On the 27th past Mr. *Stepney*, Envoy Extraordinary from Her Majesty of *Great Britain*, had Audience of the King and Queen of the *Romans*, to Congratulate them upon their happy Return, and the King's Successful Campaign. That evening the Arch-Duke gave the Emperor and the whole Court an Entertainment in his own Apartment with an Opera and a Ball, where the Emperor and the Empress were pleased to dance; and the Arch-Duke did the Honour to Mr. *Stepney*, who was present there, to compliment him upon the Bravery which Her Majesty's Forces at Sea and Land had shewed the last Campaign. The *English* Gentlemen who are now in this Town had the particular Civility shewn them, of being admitted to this Entertainment. On the 30th *Te Deum* was sung here, with a treble Discharge of our Cannon, with 3 Volleys of small Arms, for the Success at *Vigo*. The Prince of *Lichtenstein*, Marshal of the Emperor's Court, made a great Entertainment on this Occasion, to which he invited Mr. *Stepney* and the *English* Gentlemen. Orders are sent to Major General *Solari* to march from *Kuffstein*, on the Borders of *Tirol*, where he is at present with 1000 Imperialists, being part of those which he brought with him out of *Saxony*, and to post himself between *Saltsbourg* and the *River Enn*, where he is to be joined by the Recruits designed for *Italy*, which he is to mix with the old Soldiers, and to form them into Battalions, to be commanded by the Officers that came from *Italy* to raise these Recruits, and others that were upon Half-pay. The rest of the Forces which are to be employed against the Elector of *Bavaria* are getting together with all possible expedition; and we have an Account, That the *Saxon* Troops designed for the same Service entered into *Silesia* the 23d past, and are by this time marching through *Bohemia* towards *Paffau*. Letters from *Poland* say, the Secretary of the Embassy appointed by that Republick to offer their Mediation to the King of *Sweden*, who had been sent a second time to his Camp, to know if he would receive those Ambassadors, was returned to *Warsaw* with another denial, that Prince persisting in the Arguments he gave before, for his refusing to look upon them as Ambassadors of the Republick, they not being chosen by a General Diet, or to accept the Republick's Mediation, all he has done, whether it allows of the Hostilities committed against him by the Forces of the Crown.

Ratisbonne, Dec. 10. The Imperial Diet has at present under Consideration several Points relating to the Empire's entering into the Grand Alliance. We have different Reports about the State of the Elector of *Bavaria*'s Health, some affirming that he has a violent Fever; and others that it is only a great Cold. He is now at *Donauesberg*, with the Electress. He has sent a Detachment of 6000 Men to the Upper Palatinate, out of which 1500 Horse and Dragoons have been sent into *Franconia*, where they obliged the Village belonging to the County of *Pegnitz* to furnish them with Provisions, from whence they proceeded to the Margraviate of *Ansbach* with the same Design, but finding the Inhabitants ready to oppose them, they retired into the Upper Palatinate. That Elector has also put a Regiment of Foot into *Standau* and another into *Brand*, two considerable Places on the *Rhine* which belong to his Electorate, and they will be reinforced by 2 Regiments more that are on their March; The rest of his Forces are quartered between the *Rhine*, *Danube*, and *the*. It is said he has declared, that he will march in Person against the Imperial Troops upon the first notice he shall receive of their having made an Invasion into his Country. The Imperialists on the other hand have their Preparations for that purpose, a Battalion of their Foot having taken Post at *Paderborn*, and another at *Soest*

are marching, in order to act on that side; and at the same time Count Solari, with another Body of the Emperor's Troops, will make an Attempt upon the Elector's Territories, on the side of *Salzbourg*.

Berlin, Dec. 12. It is said the King of Prussia will make new Levies, in order to augment the number of his Forces on the Lower Rhine, and in Prussia. We hear a Marriage is concluded between the Electoral Prince of Hanover and the Princess Royal Ulrick Eleonora, the King of Sweden's youngest Sister. Letters from *Thorn* give an Account, That Monsieur du Heron, the French Envoy, was sent from thence with a Guard into Saxony, and would be carried as far as *Philipsbourg*, where he would be left at liberty to return to France.

Frankfort, December 15. The Winter Quarters for the Imperial Forces are fully settled, and are disposed in such manner, that they cover the Country from the Enemy's Incurtions, and three Regiments of Hussars, which lay near *Philipsbourg*, are marched into Quarters towards *Keyserlauteren*, from whence they make Excursions into the Country of *Metz*, with very good Success. The Matter touching the Propriety of the Town of *Rhinfelds*, which has been for a long time in dispute between the Landgrave of *Hesse Cassel*, and Prince *William* of *Hesse Rhinfelds*, is adjusted, and the Landgrave is to remain in Possession of the Town, and its Dependencies, and to give that Prince a Yearly Pension of 15000 Crowns. The Landgrave is at present at *Rhinfelds*, giving Directions for putting that Fortrefs in the best posture of Defence that may be; his Foot are quartered in and about that Town, and his Horse are cantoned near *Castelhausen*, where they have plenty of Forrage. The French Forces commanded by the Marquis de *Villars*, which were cantoned about *Sabern*, have taken their Winter Quarters at *Strasbourg*, and in the Neighbourhood of that place.

Paris, December 15. N. S. Orders are given for raising Recruits for the French Army in *Italy*, which is so much impaired by the last Campaign, that 17800 Men will be needful to make up the several Regiments to the Numbers they consisted of when they were sent thither. Commissions are also issued for raising several new Regiments. The French King has appointed the Duke of *Burgundy* to command his Army in *Flanders* next Summer, and the Marshals of *Villeroy* and *Boufflers* to serve under him; It is said, this Army will consist of 200 Battalions of Foot, and 300 Squadrons of Horse. The Marshal de *Villars* is to command upon the *Rhine*. The Marshal de *Catinat*, and Monsieur *Rosen* Lieutenant General, being dissatisfied with their Treatment from the Court, have, under pretence of their Age and Infirmities, desired leave to quit the Service, which has been granted. The King of *Spain* arrived at *Toulon* the 23d past from *Antibes*, the 2d Instant he came to *Salon*, and the 3d to *Arles*, from whence he intended to proceed the next day on his Journey to *Spain*. The Count de *Tallard* marched from *Metz* the 30th past with the Forces under his Command, 12 Pieces of Cannon, all 24 Pounders, and 4 Mortars, and entered into *Nancy* the 3d. The King had before sent the Sieur de *Callieres* to dispose the Duke of *Lorraine* to consent to it, which he refused, and insisted upon the Consent which the King had given, that he should observe an exact Neutrality, but this being refused, he retired on the 2d with the Dutchess to *Lameville*. The Count de *Tallard* put a strong Garrison into *Nancy*, and returned with the rest of his Forces to *Metz*, from whence he parted the 6th Instant, in order to come to the French Court. Our last Advices from *Italy* say, the French have taken the Post of *San Benedetto* from the *Genoises*. It is said, that there is Advice from the *Havanna*, that Monsieur du *Casse* having landed there the Duke of *Albuquerque*, the new Vice-Roy of *Mexico*, with the Forces he had on board his Squadron, failed from thence for *Cartagenas*; but in his Passage met with the Squadron of English Men of War commanded by Vice Admiral *Bombow*, with whom he maintained a running Fight for 8 days together, and at last got off, with the loss only of an English Ship which he had taken some days before.

Hague, Dec. 19. N. S. On the 13th Instant being the Day of publick Thanksgiving for the happy Successes of the last Campaign both by Sea and Land, there was a very fine Firework on the *Esplanade* in this Town, whereat the States General and the States of *Holland* and *Westfriseland* were present, being seated on two Scaffolds which had been prepared for them; and in the Evening the Princess Dowager of *Friseland* entertained the Persons of Quality in Town with a Ball. A Squadron of Dutch Men of War, with several Regiments on board them, is ready to sail from the *Texel* upon some secret Expedition. Eight Men of War are ready to be sent to *Lisbon*, and divers Merchant Ships

bound to *Portugal* are making ready with all possible diligence, in order to take the Opportunity of going thither under their Convoy. The Earl of *Windsor*, who is going with a Compliment from Her Majesty to *Great Britain* to the Court of *Hanover*, and has been here dangerously ill, is in a fair way to Recovery.

St. James's Dec. 10. This Day the Right Honourable John Lord *Pawlet* was, by Her Majesty's Command, Sworn one of the Lords of Her Majesty's most Honourable Privy-Council, and took his Place at the Board accordingly.

Sheriffs for

Suffex,	John Butler Esq;
Dorset,	Edward Clavel Esq;
Stafford,	Humphrey Hoags Esq;
Pedford,	Thomas Johnson Esq;
Suffolk,	John Carrants Esq;
Nottingham,	Burlace Warren Esq;
Carnarvan,	John Thomas Esq;

Whereas Her Majesty is Pleased to Order, That sad of the Quarter-Masters of Dragoons as were upon Half-pay, and are not yet provided for, shall now be taken Care of and Employed in Her Service: This is to give Notice thereof to the said Quarter-Masters, That they repair to the Secretary at War's Office, in order to such Provision.

The Commissioners for Stating the Debt due to the Army, &c. having given Notice in the Gazette of Thursday the 3d Instant, That there are several Debencures for the Principal and Interest Money due for Transport Service remaining in their Hands uncalled for, do hereby give further Notice to all Persons concerned, to apply for the same to the said Commissioners, at their Office in the Piazza, Covent-Garden, on or before the 21st Instant, at as before desired, to prevent the Inconvenience which may attend their neglecting so to do.

A General Court of the Governour and Company of the Bank of England, (being one of the Quarterly General Courts appointed by their Charter) will be held at the Bank on Wednesday the 16th Instant, at 10 in the Forenoon.

Advertisements.

The Anniversary Feast of the Gentlemen Educated at Merchant-Taylors School, will be held at Merchant-Taylors-Hall to morrow being the 15th Instant. (Stewards are provided for the Year ensuing.) Tickets may be had at Mr. Walford's, Bookseller, at the Prince's-Arms in St. Paul's Church-yard, Mr. Johnson's, a Hofer, at the Golden-Key against Peter-lane-end in Fleet-street, Robin's Coffee-house in Exchange-alley, the Loose-stone Coffee-house in Cannon-street, and at Oliver's Coffee-house by Westminster-Hall Gate.

Whereas Mr. John Downe, aged about 80 years, living beyond Stone-bridge near Hyde-Park, has been missing ever since Thursday the 10th Instant; He hath a dark-brown short Wig, a Blemish in one Eye, a Scar upon his Forehead with an Olive-coloured Cloth Coat. Whoever gives Notice of him, or that his Relations may see him, or know where he is, to Mr. John Downe Jun. at the Golden Sugar-Loaf in St. James's-street, or against the Italian Chocolate House, shall have their Charge paid, and a reasonable Reward.

A Good House and Land, of about 200 l. per Annum, called Hays-Park-Hall, in Middlesex, about 11 miles from London, and one from *Uxbridge*, is to be sold to the best Purchaser: Information whereof may be had of Mr. John Varnam next to Fishmongers-Hall in *Thames-street*.

The Commissioners in a renewed Commission of Bankrupts against Thomas Goodwin, late of *Mendham* in *Suffolk* County, intend to meet on Tuesday the 22d Instant, at the Hall-moon in *Harleston*, to make a Dividend of the said Bankrupt's Estate, when and where the Creditors of the said Bankrupt must meet and prove their Debts, and pay their Contributions money, or they'll be excluded the said Dividend.

Taken by two Highwaymen on *Enfield Chase* the 4th Instant, about 4 in the Afternoon, a Strawberry Gelding near 14 hands and half, 6 years old, with a skew bald Face, (the white coming over his off Eye) white on all his Feet, 2 in his Paces, and newly burnt for the Lampus. Whoever gives Notice of him to Mr. Ainge at the White-Horse in *Coleman-street* London, shall have a Guinea Reward and Charges.

Stolen or Strayed the 30th past, from *Thos. Reynolds* at *Chert Sutton* near *Maidstone* in *Kent*, a bay Mare 14 hands high, bald Face, a Wall Eye on the near side, white Hair on the Withers, and on the further Thigh behind, one hind Foot white, and a bob Tail. Whoever secures and gives notice her to the *George Inn* in *Southwark*, or at the *Post-house* at *Maidston*, shall have a Guinea Reward.