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Pendennis, Jan. 10.

Most of the ships which put in here on their return from the *Streights* and other foreign parts, are sailed hence, and it is hoped may ere this be arrived at their respective Ports. Here are yet in Port about Twenty sail outwards bound, some for *France*, others for the *streights*, and one Dutch ship laden with *Furrs* and *Tobacco* from *New-England* intending for *Holland*.

Madrid, Decem. 26. The Queen Regent being established in her health, has given audiences again as formerly, and applied her self with extraordinary care and diligence to the affairs of State, wherein all things appear peaceable and quiet, though there want not some persons of Eminency, who openly promote the Interest of *Don Juan*. The Duke d' *Ossuna* with much earnestness solicited by his friends for liberty to come to the Court for some few dayes only, but the Queen would not be prevailed with to grant him this favour, but let him understand that as soon as he were seled in his Government of *Milan*, she should be more easily inclinable to satisfy him in any other his pretensions, upon which news he immediately returned to *Barcelona* in Order to his speedy transportation to his said Government.

The Queen has been lately pleased to dispose of severall vacant Charges, particularly, that of Commander of the forces of *Sicily* upon *Don Antonio de Furtado*, that of Camp-master of Colonel to the Tertia of the Marine forces in *Flaunders* upon *Don Lazaro d' Aguires*, the Charge of General of the Horse in *Flaunders* has many Competitors, but is believed may be conferred on *Alexander*, the Prince of *Parma* lately returned thither from *Catalonia*, and much esteemed at the Court for his many excellent services rendered to this Crown.

Warsaw, Dec. 28. Yesterday arrived here an Envoy from *Tartary* sent by the Cham to some Northern parts, but to what Prince or upon what errand we have not yet discovered.

The same day we had Letters from the frontiers which informed us that a considerable body of the Tartars had taken up their winter Quarters near *Gaminieck Podolski* and had made themselves Masters of the Town of *Humina*, that they had been successful against the Cossacks, having defeated those of them which opposed, *Dorosensko*, and taken prisoners their principal leaders *Hanenko* and *Chimiel-niczenko*, and is much suspected that *Dorosensko* whose interest has been principally carried on by this defeat of his Enemies, had also a hand or at least a directing eye in this action, although he pretends ignorance thereof and desires not it should be believed that he has any correspondence with the Tartars.

This neighborhood of the Tartars gives us much jealousy that there is some design on foot for the disturbance of the peace of this Kingdom, which we are the more persuaded to believe upon the arrival of other Letters from the frontiers, advising us that the Princes of *Moldavia*, *Walachia*, and *Transylvania* have lately received a Command from the Ottoman Port to keep their forces in readiness to march upon the first Orders, we much apprehend they may have a design upon *Gaminieck Podolski*, and

therefore care is taken to furnish it with all necessaries, that it may not by its weakness tempt them to endeavour its surprize.

Legorn, Dec. 30. The 18th instant arrived here the *Ferrey* and *Centurion* Fregats from *Tripoli* in *Barbaria*, and *Messina*: at *Tripoli* they met with civil entertainment and were dismissed with an assurance from the Bassa of his great readiness and zeal to preserve peace and a good correspondence with His Majesty of *Great Britain*, they intend in 3 or 4 days to sail hence for *Tangier*, having under their Convoy the *Bantam*, *Phoenix*, with other ships, some of them from the *Riviera* to enjoy the protection of these Fregats.

At *Pisa* the Great Duke has been pleased to give Order for the building of a stout Gallie for the service of His Majesty of *Great Britain*, for the guard of the coast about *Tangier*, and has appointed a superintendent to take care of that work.

Genova, Jan. 1. The 19th past came into Port this States Convoy consisting only of one man of War and two Merchants ships from *Spain*, having not made so prosperous a voyage as was expected, their freight being but small either in Goods or Moneys; they left the English *Newfoundland* Fleet off *Majorca* in a storm, but under the conduct of four men of War, of whom as yet we have no farther news.

Some few days since arrived here a Feluca from *Barcelona*, telling us that the Duke de *Sessa* had taken possession of that Viceroyalty, and had received the Compliments of all the Nobility of those parts, who seem much satisfy'd with his promotion to that Charge: by the same Feluca we are told, that Segnior *D. Pagano Doria* who Commands the Duke of *Turks* Gallies, having intelligence that a small Turkish Corsair plying about these Coasts had given chase to several vessels, and taken divers Fishermen, immediately sent out some of his vessels in the night, who seized upon the said Corsair and made prisoners a considerable number of Turks.

A principal servant of the Duke d' *Ossuna* arriving here upon this Feluca, brings Letters from *Don Pagano Doria*, importing, that the Duke d' *Ossuna* being near *Madrid*, had received dispatches from the Court at *Madrid*, and Orders to repair with all convenient diligence to his Government of *Milan*, in obedience whereunto, he immediately returned to *Barcelona* and caused his Train and Baggage to be embarked upon the feet Gallies of the Duke of *Turks* which attended him in that Port: upon which news Prince *Doria* immediately gave Order for the preparing his Pallace in this City, that it may be in readiness to receive and entertain him if the weather should oblige him to put into this Port.

The Marquis de los *Ba bacos Spinola* is in the meantime preparing for his Embassy to the Emperours Court at *Vienna*, for which Employment and Character he has received his Commission and dispatches from the Queen Regent his Mistress, and waits only the arrival of the Duke d' *Ossuna* to take the Charge of that Government.

From *Turin* we find that the young Prince of *Piedmont* is not yet recovered from his distemper, which has put the Court into great apprehensions, but is hoped by the care of the Dukes Physician *Molinetti*, who was sent from *Venaria* to *Turin* upon that account, the danger of his disease may be much abated.

The young Prince of Parma having spent some few days in that Court incognito, after having taken a view of a great part of Europe is departed thence on his way homewards.

This last week the Monastery of *St. Augustin* by some accident taking fire, was almost all of it burnt down, the violence of the wind frustrating all endeavors that were used to preserve it.

Vienna, Jan. 4. The Prince d' *Aversperg* is upon the Emperours Command retired to his Estate at *Laubac* in *Carniola*, but before his departure wrote a very submissive Letter to His Majesty, who seems to be troubled that the Crime he is charged with is such, as to oblige him to a separation from his person, but the nature of it is yet kept concealed, having been only communicated to the Emperours Confessor and three of his Council; the Prince de *Lobkowitz* does for the present supply his room as principal Minister of State.

The Turks seem to be not at all well pleased with the Match and Alliance with *Poland*, in so much as the Turkish Aga in his Audience told the Count de *Montecuculi* the President of the Council of war, that the making of this League could not be but expounded an infringement of the peace between the two Empires.

His Imperial Majesty has been lately much indisposed in his health, which his distemper was judged by his Physicians to be a double Tertian, for which they ordered him to be twice let blood, since which, he in few days recovered, and on the 27th past, gave a solemn Audience to the Plenipotentiary Ambassador from the King of *Poland*, and at the same time signed the Articles of Marriage between the King and the Arch-Duchess his Sister, presenting the said Ambassador with a Cross of Diamonds to the value of 10 thousand Crowns.

Since this the Ambassador is returned to *Poland* to give the King his Master an account of this affair, and to acquaint him that the Arch-Duchess his intended Queen may with the Emperess her Mother begin her journey for *Poland* about the end of this Month.

The Turks continue in *Hungary* to threaten the people into a submission to the Ottoman power, in so much, as one Village in the Ile of *Schut* has been prevailed with to swear Obedience and do Homage, which has wrought upon the Deputies of the several Provinces to press His Imperial Majesty to send a considerable force into the Country to confirm the people in their obedience to him, and to defend them against the violencies of the Turks, of whom a considerable party appeared lately near *Filack*, from whence many of the Great Guns were fired against them, but the Hussars being allarmed immediately drew together into a body and fell so furiously upon the Turks that they forced them from their Quarters in much disorder, leaving 26 of their number dead upon the place, and several prisoners.

Hambourg, Jan. 10. The Deputies from the Neighbouring Princes here assembled for the stating the pretensions to the County of *Oldenbourg*, contested between the King of *Denmark* and the Duke of *Holstein* are not yet entered upon the examination of that affair, in which the Commissioners from the Elector of *Brandenbourg*, and the Duke of *Lunenbourg Wolfembutel* are the principal agitators; nor is the Emperours Deputy yet arrived, till when, tis believed this conference will not begin.

From *Ratisbonne* they write, that many Compliments and Civilities have passed during the late Festival between the Deputies of the three Colledges and the Prince and Bishop of *Aichstat* His Imperial Majesties Commissioner and Plenipotentiary at the Diet.

As yet it is not agreed upon in the said Diet, whether the Act for the raising forces for the common safety of the Empire shall be executed according to the instrument of Peace or some other Rule proposed

for that end, in which affair the Deputies have required a convenient time to apply themselves for farther information to their Superiours, and in the mean time are framing a Project of the method which is to be observed when the Forces shall be raised, and in a posture to be drawn together upon any Expedition.

From *Malmuyen* in the Province of *Schonen* we are informed that the Deputies from the States and Towns of those 3 Duchies which were formerly given up by the Crown of *Denmark* to *Sweden*, were there met at the General Diet; where appeared also with much solemnity two Senators from the Crown of *Sweden*, in quality of Royal Commissioners, who at their approach to the Town were met without the Gates by the Heer *Dachberg* the Governour of that place, and received within the Town by the Militia and Citizens in armes, and saluted with 24. Volleys of Cannon.

From *Stockholme* we are informed, that an assembly of the States of the Kingdom of *Sweden* was summoned to be held about the beginning of this year, to consider of the best wayes and Methods of preserving the publick peace, especially with reference to the disputes with *Muscovy*, which are not yet composed whatsover means has been hitherto used for that End.

Paris, Jan. 22. The King continues his resolution of giving a visit this Spring to those places lately conquered by him in the *Netherlands*, and in the mean time is using the remedies prescribed by his Physicians for preventing the vapors which have some times troubled his head.

From *Rome* we have news of the arrival of the Cardinals de *Retz* and de *Bouillon*, and of our Ambassador extraordinary the Duke de *Chaulnes*, but cannot collect that the Conclave are yet near an agreement for the election of a new Pope.

From *Nancy* they write, that the Duchess of *Lorraine* has been lately ill of the Small pox, which at the beginning gave the Court much reason to fear the issue, but she has since been so favourably handled by it, that she intends in few days to quit her Chamber without receiving any marks of the distemper.

From *Savoy* we are informed that the Prince of *Piedmont* having run through a dangerous distemper, is upon a fair way of recovery. The Abbot de *Servient* has been Treated in that Court with much civility, and has made the Prince a Present of the rich Sword and Belt trimmed with Jewels which was sent to him by the Dauphin, which was received with great esteem, and the Envoye rewarded by the Duke of *Savoye* with a Diamond of a very considerable value.

Advertisements.

The Officers of the Receipt of His Majesties Exchequer having paid the 1422 Order Registered on the Act for Eleven months Tax, shall proceed to the payment of the subsequent Orders to that number as the Money shall be brought in; and those persons that are concerned in the precedent Orders to that number of 1422, which are yet unpaid, are desired to bring in their Orders that they may receive their Moneys according to the respective days on which they became due.

Lost from *St James's Park* a couple of very small *Leas*, one a black Dog with Tan'd legs, the other a white one with black spots and a red head, both belonging to His Majesty, who soever shall bring news of them to the Porters Lodge at Whitehall shall be rewarded for their pains.