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Falmouth, Octob. 5.

Yesterday put to sea the *Town of Hlushing*, a Dutch ship which came lately from Holland, bound for *St Hubes* to lade Salt, telling us, that about 50 more vessels are fitting up, designed for the same place and the same account.

The Prince *William of Middlebourg* having sprung a Leak, put in here to mend, and is sailed with a fair wind for *Burdeaux*.

Legorn, Sept. 29. This morning arrived here the Dutch Convoy, with the *Morning-Star* and *Lyon*, Two English ships, all of them from *Smirna*: here is also arrived the *Italian Merchant* from England, and the *Lawson* from Cyprus.

A Bark arriving here in 30 days from *Napoli di Romania*, and in 14 from *Malta* informs us, that the Turks had raised lately two Forts, one at the Port *Caloquilia*, and the other at Port *Cerif*, and placed in them Garisons of 4000 men for the better securing of the peace of that Countrey, which was lately mutinous and revolting; but in *Quaglia*, *Vitolo* and *Ceri* the people are still in rebellion.

The Captain *Bassa* is with 40 Gallies gone back again to *Candia*, and has sent to *Napoli di Romania* for a considerable sum of Money for the payment of the forces in *Candia*.

Ratisbonne, Octob. 2. The States of the Three Colledges are much concerned at the late invasion of *Lorraine*, they have some time since granted the Emperor the extraordinary Contribution, called the *Roman Month*, and that upon consideration of his great expences upon the late rebellion in *Hungary*; but withall, ordering, that out of the first Moneys which shall be raised upon this account, the Duke of *Lorraine* shall receive the sum which was promised to him upon the restitution of *Hombourg* and its dependencies: they are now fallen with much vigor upon the Treaty for the raising forces for the safety of the Empire, which they hope in little time to finish.

Dantzick, Octob. 4. From *Warsaw* we are told, that the Lower House has lately pressed hard and insisted on it, that General *Sobiesky* should lay down his Office of Grand Marshal of *Poland*, alledging that one person ought not to enjoy two charges of so great importance; whereupon the Army (having been lately particularly obliged by him, for several sums of Moneys, for the supply of their necessities) have entered into a confederation, and sent several of their Deputies to the Diet, declaring that they are ready to maintain him in both his Charges, against all the opposition of his enemies.

The Militias of some of the Counties in *Poland* are raised, tis yet uncertain with what intention, but tis believed if this Diet, like several of the preceding ones, should not conclude peaceably according to expectation, they will endeavor by some other methods to settle the kingdom.

The Commons still insist upon the bringing the Grand Treasurer *Morfein* to a Trial; yet the King has shown himself satisfy'd with what has been acted by him, and has so far admitted him to his favour as to depute him amongst other persons to fetch the

Regalia from *Cracow* in order to the Queens Coronation on the 18th instant.

The Archbishop of *Gnesne*, though he has had his Audiences and a favourable reception at the Court, stands still upon his defence, and affirmed openly to several of the Senators, that he was ready to prove the truth of what he had written concerning the King, as that he had sworn to the *Passa Conventa* with a mental Reservation.

The Nobles seem wholly obedient to his Majesty, and to have no other thoughts but what do tend to the good and peace of the kingdom; and the Prince *Lubomirsky*, their Marshal or Speaker, takes care to prevent all disturbances and disagreements, and that nothing may pass but what aims at the publick interest. that he may merit the glory of being instrumental in bringing this Assembly to a happy conclusion.

The 30th past arrived here *Jean Stanislaus of Sbonzin Sbonsky*, with the Character of a Commissioner from the King of *Poland*, and sent out his Citations against the Heers *de Veer Simiffon*, *Beuninghen*, and *Winhold*, Dutch Merchants in this City, intending to proceed against them upon the account of Religion, they being suspected Anabaptists, but that the Magistrates have hitherto protected them upon account of their priviledges in favour of Trade and Commerce.

Venice, Oct. 4. Our last Letters from *Constantinople* give us but little news, onely that a severe Proclamation was there issued out, forbidding the Turks the use of Wine or *Aquaviva*, upon pain of death; and this procured by the Visier, who upon consideration of the present state of affairs, attributes, with much reason, most of the mischiefs which are daily practised, to their present debauchery.

The Visier is taking care for the Recruits of his Army, which is much lessened by the Infection.

Proveditor *Bernardo* has sent home all his Turkish prisoners, and expects suddenly the exchange of the *Venetians*.

The Captain *Bassa* has landed many people at *Candia*, where the Plague is not yet ceased. That City is now in great measure rebuilt, with a Pallace, several Mosques, and Fountains; and they are now busie in raising the Walls of the Town.

Vienna, Octob. 5. On Sunday last arrived here the Staroste *Razauki*, Envoye Extraordinary from his Majesty of *Poland*, and the next day had his Audience from their Imperial Majesties, whom he acquainted that the Queen of *Poland* was to be solemnly Crowned at *Warsaw* on the 19th of this month; whereupon the Emperor immediately dispatched his Orders and Commission to the Count *de Schafgots* in *Silesia*, impowring him to go to *Warsaw*, and in his name to assist at the said Coronation; the said Envoye farther informed, that the States of *Poland* were so well pleased and satisfy'd with the Kings Alliance by his marriage, that they were resolv'd to settle 25000 Liures a year more upon the Queen, then was ever formerly allowed to any of their Queens her Predecessors, and had assigned her Joynture upon several parts of the Revenues belonging to the Crown.

On Monday last arrived here the Count *de Vaudemons*

Vaudemont, son to the Duke of Lorraine, and had presently an Audience from the Emperor, to whom he gave a particular and exact account of the Invasion of *Lorraine* by the French; several conferences have been had upon this subject with the Deputies from the Electors of *Mayence* and *Treves*, the Deputy from *Lorain*, and the Emperors Commissioners appointed for this affair, who have purposed to enter into a new League for the defence of the Circle of the Rhine, but this is not yet resolved on.

The Marquis de los Balbaces Spinola, Ambassador from Spain is arrived at *Nieubourg*, Three Leagues from this place, where he intends to continue till he has made all due preparations for his solemn entry.

The Heer Bruininx, employed hither by the States-General of the *United Provinces*, as Resident in this Court, has had his first Audience from his Imperial Majesty, and another from the Prince de Lobkowitz.

The Count Nadasti is recovered from his distemper, and since conveyed from the Provincial house to the Castle, he continues to deny all the Charge which is brought against him, swearing, and solemnly protesting, that since the pardon which the Emperor was pleased to give him upon the conspiracy formed against him, in the time of the late Palatine *Wesselin*, he never entertained any designe against his service and interest, but was always careful to manifest his Loyalty according to his Oath of Allegiance. This notwithstanding, Two of the principal persons concerned in the late Rebellion, are brought hither prisoners from *Hungary*, who are in few days to confront him.

Genoua, Sept. 27. This last week arrived here from *Lerice*, one of the Gallies belonging to the Squadron of this place with the Cardinal *Maidalchino*, who was for some days lodged in Cardinal *Raggi's* Pallace, where he was honourably entertained, during which time he took a view of the curiosities of this place, and on Thursday last embarked again for *France* on his way to *Paris*.

The 21 instant arrived here the *New Jerusalem* from *Legorn*, to lade Goods for *Spain* and *Portugal*, but will compleat her freight at *Legorn*.

Signior *Hippolito Centurione* is still here with his Three Gallies.

From *Milan* we are told, that the Governour the Duke d' *Ossuna* had given out his Orders for the changing of all the Garrisons within his Government, which will be speedily put in execution, and has sent several Spanish Officers to *Barcellona* to raise men for the recruits of the Tercias of that Nation, but as yet we hear nothing farther of any resolution intended.

The Governour is sending Count *Hercules Visconti*, the Commissary-General of his Army to *Florence*, to compliment the Great Duke.

The Dutchess d' *Ossuna* was the 11th instant happily brought to bed with a Daughter, upon which account the Duke has received the Compliments of the whole Court.

From *Turin* they write, that the Duke of *Savoy* has sent an Engineer, *Vodan*, to take a view of the Fortifications of *Vercelli*, and several other places under his Dominions, who at his return is to give his Highness an account of what is farther fit to be done for the strengthening of them, and of his design for the enlargement of the City of *Turin*.

The Venetian Ambassador in that Court has ended his visits, and taken leave of the Court, and is gone thence by the way of the *Po* on his return for *Venice*.

Brussels, Octob. 15. A Courier lately arriving from *Spain*, gives us an account, that the Countess de *Monterey* was gone from *Madrid*, and lodged the 26th past at *Burgos* on her journey hither, taking

the way of *France*: upon the first news of her approach, his Excellency intends to meet her upon the frontiers.

A considerable number of the Foot in every Province within this Government is lately reformed; a Muster is shortly expected of the remaining forces, and an establishment for their constant pay, which will be a means to keep the soldiery in better discipline and to preserve the Companies full and intire, which are many of them much lessened through the defect thereof.

In *Antwerp* a Council is lately met, consisting of an Herald at Arms, Two Members of the Council of *Brabant*, a Greffier, a Fiscal, and others, to put in execution a Placart which was published about 100 years since, against all excesses in Coaches, Servants, Liveries, Apparel, &c. upon which account they have proceeded against several persons.

Paris, Octob. 15. On Saturday last several Companies marched away towards *Lorraine* for the recruits of the Army, which is now almost entirely possest of that Countrey.

His Majesty intends on Sunday to return to *Versailles*, and has declared his resolution to pass the *Christmas* in this City, and to continue here till the beginning of *February*.

Some days since happened a great fire at the Town of *Chastillon*, in the Sovereignty of *Dombes*, belonging to *Madamoiselle d' Orleans*, which in little time consumed about 400 houses and Two Churches.

Hague, Octob. 17. His Highness the Prince of *Orange* is preparing for his voyage into *England*, expecting daily the arrival of the Yachts which are to attend him for his transportation.

The Council of State have employed Two of their Deputies to *Maastricht*, to take a view of all the stores as well as the strength of that place, and to put it into such a posture as to enable it, upon occasion, to endure a long Siege; several fresh Companies of Foot are also to be sent thither with recruits for the present Garrison, which is to be increased to the number of 8000 or 9000 men. The *Rhinegrave* who designed to continue some time here, is desired also to repair thither to take care of his Government, and tis believed he will find it convenient to continue there all the winter.

The Heer *Beverning* will suddenly receive his dispatches, and may about *Alhallontide* set forwards on his Embassie for *Spain*, and intends to pass by sea as far as *Bilboa*, or *St Sebastien*.

Several of the Domestick servants which lately belonged to the Prince de *Tarante*, are arrived here, finding little encouragement to continue in his service, without parting with their Religion.

His Excellency the Count de *Monterey*, Governour of the Spanish *Netherlands*, has lately sent to inform the States, that Bills of Exchange are sent over from *Spain*, for the payment of the Subsidies due to the Swedes.

The Heer de *Groot* received not his Orders from the States to proceed in his Commission, till after the departure of the French Court to *Chambourg*, so that nothing can be done effectually in that affair till the return of his most Christian Majesty.

Lime, Octob. 8. This last week arrived here the *Hope*, the *Rose*, and the *Charity* of this place from *Rotterdam*; the 5th instant the *Elizabeth* of the same place from *Hambourg*, and yesterday the *Greyhound* from *Dublin*, and the *Mary* from *Morlax*.

An Advertisement;

ON Michaelmas-day last, went away from Mr. John Phillips Braiser, at the Bible and Candlesticks, near Holborn-bridge, a Boy aged Ten years, pale-faced, red hair, indifferently short, in a Dammy Doublet, a pair of Serge Breeches, an old sad colored Cloath-Coat, with an old Black Hat, turned Russen on the crown and edges. Give notice to the said Mr. Phillips, and you shall be well rewarded.