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Lisbon, December 10.

ON the 4th Instant, being the Queen of Spain's Birth-day, their Majesties received the Compliments of the Nobility and Foreign Ministers on that Occasion, and afterwards dined in Publick. Besides the new Colony his Majesty proposes to establish in the Province of Matto Grosso, about 15 or 20 Leagues from Paraguay, there is likewise a Project on Foot to send some People to settle in the Southern Quarter of Maranhaon; and, 'tis assured, this new Project will be immediately carried into Execution. The Fleet bound for the Bay of All Saints, put to Sea a few Days ago with a favourable Wind.

Malaga, Dec. 27. Some Spaniards, in the Neighbourhood of Gibraltar, having lately been detected in trading with the Inhabitants of that Place, contrary to positive Orders from Court, they were immediately hanged up, as an Example to others. The King of Spain's chief Reason for having his Commands so strictly complied with in this Case is, in order to prevent the Plague's being brought into his Dominions by his People's purchasing Goods landed at Gibraltar from the Coast of Africa.

Naples, Jan. 2. The Queen, who some Days ago was very much indisposed, is now perfectly recovered. An Account of the Affair that lately happened between some Neapolitan and Genoese Ships in the Port of Civitta Vecchia, having been laid before the King, his Majesty thinks his Flag was greatly insulted on that Occasion, and seems determined to demand Satisfaction for the same of the Genoese. The almost continual Rains we have had here for this Week past, have overflowed most of our Rivers, and laid a great Part of the Country under Water.

Florence, Jan. 6. The Report of a Reduction of the Troops in this Dutchy, is now confirmed; and, 'tis said, the same will take Place soon after Count Richecourt's Return from Vi-

enna. Prince Esterhasi, and the Princess his Spouse, who arrived here about a Fortnight ago, set out on the 28th of last Month for Bologne, from whence they were to proceed to Milan.

Stockholm, Jan. 12. We hear from Gothenbourg, that our East-India Company's two Ships, bound for Canton in China, put to Sea on the 3d Instant with a favourable Wind. The Letters we have lately received from the different Ports of this Kingdom, bring nothing but melancholy Accounts of the great Damages that have been done to the Shipping all along the Coasts, by the late dreadful Hurricanes.

Warsaw, Jan. 13. Advice being received here, that the Plague is broke out in some Parts of Wallachia, the General of the Crown Army, in order to prevent its Spreading, has caused a large Body of Troops, consisting of several Regiments, to march thither, and form a Line in such Manner as to cut off all Communication with the infected Places; and the same Precautions are also taken upon the Frontiers of the Ukraine.

Copenhagen, Jan. 15. The Differences which have lately arisen between our Court and the Regency of Kiel, on Account of the Cutting the Woods in Holstein, are as good as adjusted; and they talk of recalling the Body of Troops which marched some Time ago to the Frontiers of that Dutchy. The Ships which have been for some Time past equipping here for China and Tranquebar, but to Sea a few Days ago.

Munich, Jan. 15. They are making great Preparations at Court, for the Reception of the Elector of Cologne, who is expected here some Day next Week.

Frankfort, Jan. 19. This Afternoon the Elector of Cologne arrived here with a numerous Retinue: At his Entrance into this City, he was saluted with a triple Discharge of the Artillery upon our Ramparts. His Electoral Highness alighted at the Hotel of the Teutonick Order, where he was soon after complimented by a Deputation from the Magistrates. His Highness

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