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Prague, Oct. 17.

IT was some time since reported at Court, that the Peace of Hungary was as good as concluded, but at present we hear nothing more of it. The Turkish Chiaus, that arrived lately at Vienna, made very advantageous offers in the name of the Grand Signior, to divert the Emperor from joyning with the Poles and the Moscovites. The French proceedings in Alsace, where they have obliged all the Towns to swear Allegiance to their King, does very much perplex this Court, and occasions some apprehensions of a new War with France; however the reform of the Troops is resolved, and will be speedily executed. The Emperor is sending young Count Lobcowitz to the Court of Bavaria, to reside there. The Queen of Poland, the Emperors Sister, is brought to bed of a son. We are told that the Elector of Saxony has some thoughts of coming hither to visit the Emperor, where the Duke of Neuburg is likewise expected. The Plague is somewhat abated at Vienna.

Hamburg, Octob. 11. We are told that the King of Denmark has accepted the Mediation of the Dukes of Lunenburg for the composing matters with this City, and that Commissioners are to meet, for that purpose, at Winsen, a place on the Elbe, four Leagues from hence. A Danish man of War is come into the Elbe.

Hamburg Octob. 10. On Saturday morning the Deputies which this Senate had sent to the King of Denmark came back, they were not admitted to see the King, but had Audience of Count Alfeld the Chancellor, who told them that the King demanded three things of them. First, That they should yield Homage to him and his Heirs, as they had done to his Ancestors. Secondly, That they should make reparation for some indignities and affronts, of which these were only mentioned. 1. That, some years since, certain Trees, which were Boundaries between the Territories of his Majesty and those of this City, had been cut down. 2. That in a place of this Town, called the Schauenburgs Hoff or Court, which belongs to the King of Denmark, the Officers of this City had seized on a Malefactor. And 3dly, That the Sieur Garmers (who has been banished from hence some time) once *Sindicus* of this City, had in a Letter, he formerly writ to the King of Denmark, used *Regia Dignitas* instead of *Majestas*. The Third demand was, That this City should never assist the declared Enemies of Denmark. Whereupon the Senate was assembled most part of Sunday, and yesterday met the 144 who are the representatives of the Commonalty, to resolve what Answer to return to these Demands. In the mean

time our Magistrates having had an Intimation, that it was probable they should be first attacked on the side of the Steene Port (where, near the walls, are many delightful Houses and Gardens of pleasure) they, about 10 days since began to inclose them within a great and long Fortification, on which they have wrought with so many hands and so continually, that a few days more will make it tenable. On Saturday the Danish Resident here, in the name of his Master, required the Magistrates to discontinue that work, and allowed them very little time for their Answer, which is not yet given, but on the contrary more hands have been employed on that new Fortification. Within these three days have been received into this City, of Horse, Dragoons, and foot, 2000 of the Duke of Zell's Troops; the Officers took, on Sunday, an Oath of Fidelity to the Town; and the common Soldiers had, this morning, a Months Pay advanced. The Danes yesterday drove away some Cattle from under these walls, and it is just now reported, that the Country people and Fishermen are forbid to bring their provisions hither to Market.

Brussels, Octob. 13. This morning early their Royal Highnesses parted hence in their Coaches to Willibrook, where the States Yachts lay ready to carry them to Holland. Last night his Excellency returned hither from Ghayn, having settled the Affairs of Flanders to his satisfaction. There is a discourse that we shall suddenly have a new Governor, and that the Duke of Lorraine, the Duke of Neuburg, and the Prince of Parma are in nomination.

Brussels, Octob. 17. Since his Excellencies return from Flanders he hath had several conferences with these States and the Members of this City, about settling the payment of the 15000 Rations for the Army, which they so long since granted, and meets with much difficulty in it, which his Excellency is so much dissatisfied at, that he seems resolved, if he continue in this Government to remove his residency to Ghayn. Don Baliharzar Fuenes, Mayor, will now very suddenly go to Holland, where he is to reside as Envoy Extraordinary from the Crown of Spain. We are expecting our Letters from Madrid with some impatience, because of the considerable changes it's believed have been made at that Court since Don Juan's Death. All the Gates of this City have been kept shut this morning upon an accident which happened last night, which was the taking of Mademoiselle Taxis violently out of her Coach, and carrying her away to some private place, who is not yet heard of, though it's reported that the persons that took her, put her into the hands of a Spaniard, who immediately married her. Our Letters from Hamburg say that that City was not yet besieged, and that there were great hopes of an accommodation.

Utrecht.