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Genova, Octob. 9.

This week arrived here the *Good-will*, the *Loyal Subject*, the *Batchelor*, the *Scanderberg*, and the *Lucy Ketch*; As likewise the Dutch Convoy, with one great *Genouefe*, all from *Cadiz*, from whence they have brought two Millions in Money, and one in Merchandize. The sixth Instant at Midnight happened here a very great Rain, which lasted about two hours with that violence, that it filled the Cellars and under Rooms in this City with Water, and overflowed the *Custom-House* and *Porto Franco* at least a Foot and an half; Many People were drowned, and towards the Water side not only the Houses, but the Walls of the Town were in much danger, the Water being there above seven Foot high. The Damage is Calculated at above 300000 Dollars, besides that sustained in the Country, which is very considerable.

Warsaw, September 30. We have an account of three Rencontres which the Forces of this Crown have had with the Enemy, since the beginning of this month; The first was with 1200 *Tartars*, whom Colonel *Polley* with 600 Horse surprized near *Lockovitz*; many of them were killed, and the rest, except about 100, made Prisoners. The second happened near *Polositz* where 2000 *Tartars*, returning from an Incurtion they had made into the Territories of this Crown, were defeated by 800 Polish Horse, who were sent with a sum of money to be distributed among the Cossacks Commanded by General *Mobila*, above 500 of the Enemy were slain upon the place, 200 taken Prisoners, and the rest put to flight. The third was between the Enemy and Colonel *Apostel*, he was detached with 2000 Cossacks towards *Moldavia*, and passing the River *Pruth* advanced towards *Fassi* the Capital City of that Province, and ravaged all the Country thereabouts, upon which the *Hospodar* drew what Troops he could together under the Command of *Serdan* his Lieutenant General, who being reinforced with a body of Turks, Commanded by a *Bassa*, fell upon the Cossacks, but were so well received by them, that above 800 of the Enemy were slain, and several Prisoners taken. Our Army according to the last Letters we had from *Lembourg* was marching towards the *Seraskier Soliman*, who had with him about 30000 Men, so that we expect to hear of a Battle between them. The King of *Poland* has resolved to send a great Embassie to the *Czars* of *Moskovy* to compose the differences about the Limits. The Polish Court was the 18th of this month at *Kjais*, where their Majesties intended to stay two or three days, and then to continue their Journey towards *Russia*.

Venice, Octob. 12. On Wednesday last *Te Deum* was sung in the Church of *Sr. Mark*, at which the Doge and the whole Senate assisted, as likewise in all the other Churches of this City, for the Victory lately obtained by the Forces of this Republick against the Turks, Commanded by the Captain *Bassa*, and the taking *Zarnata* and *Calamata* in the *Morea*;

Of which we have received the following Relation. Captain General *Morosini* resolving to encourage the People of the Province of *Maina* in the disposition they appeared to be in to cast off the *Ottoman* Yoaik, had no sooner put *Coron* into a posture of defence, but he sent the *Maynotes* who came upon the taking of that place into the Service of the Republick with some other Troops to attack *Zarnata*, one, and the strongest, of the 3 Fortresses built by the Turks since the War of *Candia*, to keep those people in awe, and some days after, having caused the Army to reembark, the whole Fleet Sailed from *Coron*, and arrived the next day at *Chitie*, which is about five miles from *Zarnata*, and was there joyned by the Ships that had on board the Troops of *Saxony* consisting in 3000 Men; From thence the Fleet Sailed towards *Calamata*, near which place the Forces Landed again. In the mean time the Captain *Bassa* having put ashore what Men he could out of the Turkish Gallies which he left at *Napoli de Romania*, securing the Port with great Chains, and having joyned with a great Body of Horse and Foot, marched towards *Calamata* to keep the *Maynotes* from revolting to the Venetians; which Captain General *Morosini* having advice of, he sent an Officer to the Garrison of *Zarnata*, to let them know that if they did not immediately Surrender the place, they must expect to be treated in the same manner they of *Coron* had been; The Garrison desired they might send to the Captain *Bassa*, to acquaint him with the condition they were in, which was permitted, but the Officer not returning at the time they expected, they Surrendered the place on the 11th of *September*, 600 Men marching out with their Arms and Baggage; but the *Agā* that Commanded them, fearing he should be ill treated by the Captain *Bassa*, stayed in our Camp. In the place were found 55 pieces of Cannon with a considerable quantity of Ammunition and Provisions. The Captain *Bassa* being now advanced with 10000 Men, within five miles of *Zarnata*, Captain General *Morosini* resolved to fight him, and accordingly marched towards the Enemy; feigning at the same time a design of making a descent to give them a diversion in some other place, for which purpose he caused some Troops to embark, and Commanded the Fleet to keep along the Coast. Our Forces being come near the Enemy on the 14th past, were drawn up in Battallia by General *Dogenfeldt* on an advantageous ground; And on the other side the Turks were in a posture to receive them; Their Horse fell upon our Left Wing, and at the same time a great Body of their Foot advanced towards our Right at the head of which was the Prince of *Brunswick*, but found so brave a resistance, that they were forced to retire; They presently after returned and charged a second time with greater fury than before; and the Fight was maintained with great Courage and Resolution on both sides, till the Enemy not being longer able to keep their ground, fell into disorder, and soon after dispersed and fled. The number of their slain was very