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Pendennis, Nov. 25.

Several of the *Barbados* Fleet are this last week put into this Harbor, amongst the rest arrived on *Friday* last the *Barbados* Merchant very leaky; the men much tired out and discouraged by their continual labour and great danger, having taken in 3 foot of water in the Hold, but were seasonably relieved by another ship of that Fleet which stood by her and conducted her into this place where she has stopped her leaks, and intends with the rest to put to sea again with the first opportunity. Yesterday came in 4 ships outward bound for several parts.

Newcastle, Nov. 26. On Sunday last the laden ships which the day before went out to sea, were by contrary winds forced to return again to this place. Yesterday morning came in 6 or 7 light ships, and one laden belonging to *Amsterdam*. 4 or 5 more appeared at the Bar, but the wind being contrary only 2 of them are since come in.

Plymouth Nov. 27. The 25th instant sailed out of this Port, the little gulf from *Ireland*, the *William* of *London* from the *Barbados*, and several other ships bound to the *Eastwards*. The Fleet from *Barbados* that were lately put into *Falmouth*, *Mounts Bay* and *Scilly*, are supposed to be past by to the *Eastward*.

Yesterday went off to sea the Dutch Merchants and *Hamburgers* which put in here in their return from *France*, and were since detained by contrary winds.

Legorn, Nov. 11. The 9th instant arrived here a small Ship of this Town in eight dayes from *Tunis*, advising us that the *Prudent Mary* and the *Virgin*, English Ships, had put in there from *Scanderoon*, and went again to sea the 26. past, on their voyage homewards.

That eleven Ships and two Barques laden with provisions, were departed from *Tunis*, bound for the relief of the Grand Vissiers Army before *Candia*, and aboard them were returned the two Chiausses sent from *Constantinople* to press their assistance.

Three French Ships newly put in here from *Cyprus*, inform us that the *Zant Fregat*, *Golden Fleece*, and *Tunis Merchant* were departed from *Scanderoon*, intending for *Smirna*, and from thence with the *London* and *Turky Merchants* to return together homewards.

A Ship of this Town arriving here from *Alexandria* informs us that the *Turks Army* being much lessened before *Candia*, had quitted three of their batteries, and 'twas believed might in little time be obliged to leave the Siege.

This day a French Barque putting into this Port, ran ashore upon the inner Mole, where she split in pieces and was lost, but the men escaped to land, and came in here. This Vessel was armed out from *Marseilles*, and intended against the Spaniards, but the last night seized on a *Genouese* Brigantine, and a *Saytia* of the same place off the *Ile of Elba*, coming from *Rome* for this Port and *Genoua*, laden with Merchandises and several Passengers, which they put on shore; their Prizes were since separated from them by storm, and as yet they have no farther news of them, their pretence for seizing them being only the resistance they made against them.

A French Barque passing from *Marseilles* to *Genoua* was lately seized by another of *Majorca*: the Vessel carried off, but the Passengers, being four English Gentlemen, intending for *Rome*, with several Germanes, were stript and put on shore within 2. miles of *Genoua*.

Vienna, Nov. 13. The Nobility of *Hungary* have in

writing presented their humble Addresses to his Imperial Majesty, desiring that the Coronation of the Empress as Queen of *Hungary*, may be solemnised at *Presburg*, according to the ancient usage. Several Electors and Princes of the Empire have by their Letters and Envoys complemented their Imperial Majesties upon the Birth of the young Arch-Duke, to whom they give the Title of *His Royal Highness*; informing likewise the Emperor that the time of their Alliance with *France* is expired, and 'tis now believed they will be induced to espouse the interest of the Empire.

The Ambassador from *Muscovy* still continues his Negotiation in this Court, pressing hard that his Imperial Majesty conjoynly with the Empire would please to interpose in the behalfe of the *Czar* his Majesty, for the promoting his Son to the succession of the Crown of *Poland*, by whose united power they might prove a strong Bulwark against the growth of the *Turkish* Empire, promising that for a qualification to this Succession, the young Prince will be obliged to profess the *Roman Religion*, and declare himself an Enemy to the *Turks*, employing all his force for the defence of *Christendom*.

The *Spanish* Ambassador has lately sent for several Officers, and to encourage them in the leaving of men to be sent into the service of his Catholique Majesty in *Milan*, made a proposal to them of giving them 14 Rixdollars for every Foot Souldier, and 42 Rixdollars for every Horseman that should be received in good Equipage in that State, to which they have not yet agreed, they demanding 20 Rixdollars for every Footman, and 60 for every Horseman.

Besides the 14 Regiments of Foot and as many of Horse that are now in the several Garrisons, The Emperour is resolved to have 40000 men in Arms against the next Spring, to whom will be added some Regiments of Dragoons and light Horse, and a considerable body of *Crosses*. The Empress having left her Chamber, made her first Vifit with the Emperor to the Chappel de *Santa Maria de Loretto* attended by all the great persons of the Court, with the Ministers of Foreign Princes whether was also brought the young Arch-Duke carried by the Countess of *Mansfield*, who being delivered into the Arms of the Empress, was by her placed upon the High Altar, where he received the Benediction from the Bishop and Chancellor of *Hungary*; which ended, the Empress delivered him back again to the same Countess, and returned to the Court.

The Emperor intends in *March* next to make a journey into *Hungary*.

The Officers of the Army have in obedience to the Emperors Command, made their appearance at the Court, where Orders are giving to them for the hastning forwards the Recruits: New Commissions are also given out to five other Colonels: the same care being taken for the Train of Artillery, that all things may be in readiness against the next Campaigne.

The Prince *Palatin de Sultzbach* is said to have desired an Employment under his Highness the Elector of *Cologne*, as General of his Forces, pretending that in that charge he shall not be obliged to the expences of a great Train, which had much empaired his Estate during his continuance in this Court.

The Magistrates of the City of *Nuremberg*, have by their Deputies complemented their Imperial Majesties upon the birth of the Arch-Duke, and desired the Honour of having the Pictures of the Emperor and Empress, which was readily granted them, and an excellent Painter employed to draw them at the full length for them.

Paris, Decem. 3. On Tuesday last his Majesty sent for the Prince of *Condé*, to confer with him about the business of the War. His Highness has received the sum of 84000 livres towards the raising of his Forces, to which the Prince adds considerable sums of his own, advancing a thousand Crowns to each Captain of Horse, besides the two thousand from his Majesty for the raising of each Troop. This day the Prince intends to part from hence for *Burgundy*, intending to return again before the next Spring, to receive full orders for the marching of his Army.

On Tuesday and Wednesday night last several horse went out from the houses of *Soissons* and *Bouillon*, and put themselves into the Abbey of *Chelles*, to prevent a supposed design of the Duke *Mazarine*, to carry thence his Lady, but the Duke seems not to own any such intentions.

On Wednesday his Majesty went to the *Baths de Bologna*, to see 70 excellent horses lately brought him out of *Parbary*. The same day the Chief President and the Attorney General the *Sieur Talon*, attended his Majesty, to consult with him concerning several difficulties which they had met with in the execution of the New Code: The day before several Lawyers and Officers of the Courts met together to agree upon a Petition to be presented to his Majesty, for the alteration of several articles of the said Code.

His Majesty has sent to the Court at *Rome* to demand his Holiness compliance for taking the Thirds of all the Abbies in his Kingdom, which are usually laid by for reparations for the present supplies of his Expences in the Wars.

A Courier lately arrived from Monsieur *de Gremouville*, assures us that the Emperor is raising 20 new Regiments, and intends to send a strong Army the next Spring for the succor of the Netherlands.

From the Netherlands we are advised that a Party of 800 our men have put themselves into the Town of *St. Amant*, from whence they make incursions to the Walls of *Valenciennes* and *Condé*.

This week was published here a Bull from the Pope, bearing date the 18th of July last past, for a Publick Jubile, with a Command to the Arch-bishop of this place to take care that it begin the 19th of this Month.

Hague, Dec. 5. The States of *Holland* have not yet come to an agreement what Officers are to be nominated and employed in their *Militia*: *Zealand* seems earnest to make the Prince of *Orange* General, and as much desire to have the Edict recalled against the future Election of Stateholders.

The Directors of the *West-India* Company have had frequent Conferences with the States Deputies about the payment of the sum of monies granted to the Swedes for reparation of their losses at *Guiny*, to which they plead inability, till they can be secured by the state of several Millions which they pretend to from *Portugall*: in order whereunto that Ambassador has been moved for a speedy payment, who requires time, expecting special Orders from his Master as to that point.

The 3 instant the States had a more than usual Assembly, which ending, several of them in their Coaches went to the Swedes Ambassador the Count *de Donna's* Lodgings, with whom they had a long conference; The *Here Blaspi*, the Marquis of *Brandeburgh's* Minister is departed hence for *Cleve*.

'Tis much discours'd here that the Bishop of *Munster* continues his preparations for War, having ordered the raising of several Troops of Horse and Dragoons, and privately entertaining many Officers.

From the *Texel* we are assured of the safe arrival of our Fleet from *Muscovy*. The 2 ships that were missing, and something doubted, being also come in without any damage, as are also at the *Niz* several other ships from *Riga*, *Danzick*, and other places of the *Eastern* seas.

Bruges, Decem. 7. The Count *Marfin* arrived this last week at *Brussels*, and hath been civilly received by the Marquis *de Castel Rodrigo*. The French have lately put strong Garrisons into the Castles of *Gemblours*, and some other considerable places not far distant from *Namurs*, which will much prejudice that City, by hindring their supplies of provisions.

Three dayes since about 4000 French horse appeared near *Gaunt*, forcing in Contribution from the Country. On Monday last a party of them seized on the *Gaunt* Boat, intended to this place, but the Passengers escaped to the other side of the water, but left behind them a considerable sum of monies with some goods, which became a prey to the Enemy.

This day arrived here the Count *de Mountrey* the Spanish General in these parts, attended by fifty of his Guards, and as many other persons of his Retinue, and with him the Bishop of this place, who is believed may succeed in the Archbishoprick of *Cambray*, lately vacated by the decease of *Gasper Nessius*.

From *Lille* we are told that the French have been very busie in making several thousand pair of shoes, to secure persons that goe upon ke from falling, which makes us believe they have an intention to attempt somewhat as soon as the hard weather will give them opportunity.

Some few dayes since arrived at *Erussels* a Courier in nine dayes from *Madrid*, bringing with him an Order to the Marquis to prepare for the Reception of *Don Juan*, who is specially designed thither, accompanied by the Prince of *Parm*, the Marquesses *d'Aytona* and *Leganes*, and the Baron *de Batteville*. The Marquis is preparing to leave *Brussels*, being by the Council of *Spain* nominated a Plenipotentiary to assist at the Treaty between the two Crowns.

This week has been published a severe Placat in all the French Garrisons, in the name of his Most Christian Majesty, declaring the confiscation of the Estates both real and personal of all persons lying within the precincts of their Garrisons, whose proprietors will fully absent themselves, not submitting to, nor paying the Contributions charged on them by the Garrisons: and strict Orders are thereupon sent out to all Parishes concerned, to give in within three dayes the particulars of all Estates within their Parishes, with the Names of the Owners and places of their abode, under pain of firing and plundering.

It estcomes, Nov. 27. Yesterday an *Ostend* Privateer after 2 days stay in the Road to refit, went out to sea, but in her way met with an *Hamburgh* Hoy bound for *Ireland* laden with Paper and Iron, whom he treated somewhat rudely beating the Master and the Men, and taking from them part of their Cloaths.

Yesterday arrived another ship of 10 Guns with Spanish Colours laden with French Wines, Brandy, & aper and other Commodities, the Captain giving out that he has lately taken 3 Prizes and sent them to *Ostend*.

This morning we are informed that an English Vessel laden with Brandy, French Wines, Prunes and other Commodities, was stranded on the South side of this Island, but the men saved, and 'twas hoped most part of her Cargo.

Tarmouth, Nov. 27. The Fleet of 100 sail of light ships which lately past by to the *Northwards*, are this day by contrary winds put back again into these roads, and with them are come in 4 or 5 laden Colliers. Yesterday came in a *Kerch* from *Rossterdam* laden with Merchants Goods; several ships are here fitting up for *Bourdeaux*, and may put to sea with the first opportunity.

Weymouth, Nov. 27. Yesterday set sail with a fair wind a Merchant ship bound for *London* formerly forced in by contrary weather. From *Croswick* we have the good news of the arrival of a ship belonging to this place which we supposed had been cast away.

The *Jacob* of this Town is now put forth into the Road, and may sail with the first fair wind, intended for *Malaga*.

Advertisement.

WE are desired to give Notice to all Masters of Ships and Scamen, trading to the Port of Newcastle, That the upper Light house is lately removed by the Master and Brethren of the Trinity-House there, more Northward then it formerly stood, and directs into the best of the Channell into the said Port. And that there is a point of Sand which strikes directly over from the place called the *Hird*, within the *Barre*, almost full Northward to the place called the *Black Middings*, wherof they are desired to take Care.