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Genova, Decemb. 7.

WE have advice that Six *Algerine* Men of War have been Cruising these four or five days between this Port and the Isle of *Corfica*, and that they have taken several Barks. They attempted to land in *Corfica*, but were repulsed.

Venice, Decemb. 14. Several Vessels are arrived here this week from the *Levant*, and among these one from *Zant* with Letters, which say, They had received advice by a Ship from *Athens*, that Signior *Vener*, Captain Extraordinary of the Ships of this State, returning with four Men of War from Convoying the Vessels, which had Transported to *Troye* the Garison and *Turkish* Inhabitants of *Napoli di Romania*, had been attacked by the Captain *Bassa*, who had with him 20 Gallies, and 10 Ships; The *Turks* doubted not with this unequal Force to be quickly Masters of the *Venetian* Ships, but they found themselves extremely disappointed, for the *Venetians* made so brave a Defence, that the Captain *Bassa* was obliged to quit the Fight, and retired in some disorder. The same Letters add, that Capt. General *Morosini*, after having set several Islands of the *Archipelago* under Contribution, was returned with the Fleet to *Napoli di Romania*, whither the *Greeks* had sent several Deputies, to pray him to deliver them from the *Ottoman* Tyranny; And that those of *Athens* had made farther Proposals concerning the Annual Tribute they offer to pay to the Republick, in case they may be permitted to enjoy a Neutrality. The News we had by a Vessel which arrived here the 4th Instant from *Dalmatia*, that the Chevalier *Fanco* had, with the *Morlaques* under his Command, defeated a Party of *Turks* that were conducting a Convoy of Provisions to *Ilpo*, of whom 160 were killed upon the place, and 120 taken Prisoners, is confirmed by the Letters we have since received from those Parts. The Senate have sent the Proveditor-General of *Dalmatia* 60000 Sequins for the payment of his Troops, and other

Services of the War, which will in a short time be followed by a farther and more considerable Supply. On the 30th past 16 *Turks*, of both Sexes, who were taken Prisoners in the last Campagne, were Christned here in the Church of *St. Salvador*.

Vienna, Decemb. 8. The 6th Instant, *Eleanor de Gonzague* Empress Dowager, dyed here, aged 59 years; She was Daughter of *Charles de Gonzague* Duke of *Mantua*, and of the Princess *Mary de Gonzague*; And was married in the year 1651, to the Emperor *Ferdinand III.* who had by this his third Marriage the Archdutchess *Eleanor Mary*, married first to *Michael Wisnowitski* King of *Polnd*, and since to *Charles* Duke of *Lorraine*; And the Archdutchess *Mary Ann Joseph*, Wife to *Philip William* Electoral Prince Palatin. The Deputies from the Prince and States of *Transylvania*, as well as those from the Republick of *Ragusa*, continue their Conferences with the Imperial Ministers, to remove the difficulties which hitherto hinder the Conclusion of their Negotiation. We have advice that the Grand Visier was retired with 5000 Men to *Belgrade*, having left the rest of his Troops at *Essecke*.

Vienna, Decemb. 12. On Monday last the Body of the Empress *Eleanor* was Entered with great Pomp in the Church of the *Capucins* in this City. The last Letters from *Poland* said, That the Ambassadors from the Czars of *Moscovy* were on their way hither, and that some of their Train were already arrived at *Reissenberg*. The Emperor has sent the Baron *Zerorski* to the Frontiers of *Silesia*, to receive and conduct them at his Imperial Majesties charge to this place; After he has performed this Commission, he will immediately begin his Journey to *Poland*, to assist as the Emperor's Ambassador at the meeting of the Dyet of that Kingdom. We are told that the Elector of *Cologne* does offer to assist the Emperor with 7000 Men the next Campagne. Several other Princes of the Empire do, it's said, likewise make Overtures of sending considerable Bodies of Men to his Imperial Majesties assistance; which is the Reason that it has been resolved here not to raise any new Regiments, but only to recruit those that are already on foot. They write from *Upper Hungary*, That the Princess *Ragotzki* has sent to General *Caraffa*, to desire, on the behalf of the Garison of *Monyartz*, a Cessation of Arms for three months.

Vienna, Decemb. 15. We have advice that several *Turkish* Troops are marching from *Belgrade* and other places towards *Essecke*, to conduct Convoys to *Sigeth*, *Alba Regalis*, and *Canisaz*; And that for this purpose a great many Boats have been laden at *Belgrade* with Provisions and Ammunition, whither they are to carry up the *Danube* as far as *Essecke*; but the Garisons that have been left by the

the Imperial Generals in the New Conquests; (with whom may join the Croats if there be occasion) will be sufficient to oppose the Enemies design. The same Advices say, That the Grand Visier having left *Belgrade* provided with all things necessary for its defence, was parted from thence for *Constantinople*. They write from *Upper Hungary*, that the *Turks* have reinforced the Garisons of *Temeswaer*, *Gyula*, *Lippa*, and other places on that side. The *Imperialists* have taken two Women of Quality that endeavoured to escape out of *Montgat*; It's not yet known who they are. The great Cross that was planted the 14th of *September* last upon the Steeple of the Cathedral Church of *St. Stephen*, was yesterday towards Evening, in a great Storm accompanied with Thunder and Lightning, blown down, the Iron Work upon which it stood, being made too slight, yielding to the violence of the Wind.

Vienna, Decemb. 19. On Sunday last arrived here an Express from *Croatia* with the News, that the *Croats* having received advice that 1200 *Turks* were on their march to conduct several Wagons laden with Provisions, Ammunition, Cloaths, and some Money to *Canisa*, they with great diligence marched towards the Enemy, and fell upon them with that Courage and Bravery, that though inferior to them in Number, they killed 500 upon the place, and putting the rest to flight, took the said Wagons and 180 Prisoners. It is not certain that the Grand Visier is parted from *Belgrade* for *Constantinople*, but that he has reinforced the Garisons of *Waradin*, *Temeswaer*, *Gyula* and *Lippa*, is confirmed. Count *Teckeley* was, according to our last advice, at *Temeswaer*.

Brussels, Decemb. 24. The Commissioners of the two Crowns have begun their Conference at *Philisville*, about the Limits on the side of *Namur*; And we are told, that the *French* Intendant has declared, That the King his Master will be content with an Equivalent, either in *Hainault* or *Flanders*; that so the City of *Namur* may not be incommoded by the straitness of their Limits; Upon which, the Council of State and War here, hath been several times assembled to consider of this Proposal. Yesterday our Governor General went to *Tervouren*, to pass the Holy-days there.

Brussels, Decemb. 31. Monsieur *Tirimont* is come hither from *Philisville*, to give his Excellency an account of the Progress he has made in his Conference with the Intendant of *Mabenge*. The Council of State was thereupon assembled yesterday, where it was resolved to accept the Offer made by the *French* Commissioner, and to give that Crown an Equivalent, for the Lands they pretend to near *Namur*, between the *Sambre* and the *Meuse*. The Letters from *Vienna* of the 19th past tell us, that the *Turkish* Troops were moving from *Belgrade* towards *Essecke* to supply *Sygeth*, *Alba Regalis*, and *Canisa*, with Provisions and Ammunition. That the *Croats* had defeated 1200 *Turks* that were marching with a Convoy to *Canisa*; 500 of the Enemy being killed, and many Prisoners taken with a considerable Booty. And that another Body of *Croats* had made a great Incur-sion into *Dalmatia*.

Hague, Decemb. 27. The Count de *Cannitz*, Envoy Extraordinary from the Emperor to His Majesty of Great Britain, arrived here the 21 Instant from *Vienna*; And parted again from hence this morning for *Flanders*, intending, after he has seen the Governor of the *Spanish Netherlands*, to embark at *Ostend* for *England*. The States of *Holland* are adjourned till the 8th of the next month. The last Letters from *Berlin* told us, that the Electoral Prince of *Brandenburgh* was very ill again.

Hague, Decemb. 31. The state of the War to the next Year has been sent to the several Provinces; It's said the City of *Amsterdam* desires to have some alteration made in it. The Deputies of the States General had yesterday another Conference with those of the Council of State, to consider what hath been proposed by the Envoy of *Morocco*. The Imperial Minister here has received the News the defeat of a *Turkish* Convoy that was going *Canisa*.

Paris, Decemb. 28. The 22d Instant, the King held Mass in his Chapel at Versailles, and dined Publickly. The same day the Earl of Arraz, Envoy Extraordinary from His Majesty of Great Britain, to make the Compliment upon the Birth of the Duke of Berry, had his Audience of Leave. And the Count de Lobcowitz, the Imperial Envoy, had Audience of the King, to acquaint him with the death of 1 Empress Dowager. The 24th, the Count de Rivera, Envoy Extraordinary from the Elector of Bavaria, Compliment his Majesty upon the Birth of the Duke of Berry. Christmas day his Majesty, who had likewise assisted at a three Masses of Midnight, heard High Mass in his Chapel and a Sermon in the afternoon. The King has named 1 Marquis de Villars, Son of the Marquis of that Name, who was formerly Ambassador in Spain, to go and make 1 Compliments of Condolence at the Court at *Vienna*, upon the death of the Empress Dowager.

Paris, January 1. Te Deum has been sung in several Churches of this City, to give God Thanks for the King's Recovery. The same will in few days be performed at *Notre Dame* with very great solemnity, at which, it's said, His Majesty will be present.

Whitehall, Decemb. 24. Sir Charles Cottrill having humbly Petitioned the King for Leave (1 reason of his Age) to resign his Office of Master of the Ceremonies, His Majesty hath been Graciously pleased, in consideration of his faithful Services to His Royal Father, Brother, and Himself, to receive his Son Charles Lodewick Cottrill Esq; in the said Office, and to constitute his Grandson John Dormer Esq; Assistant Master of the Ceremonies in his Place.

Advertisements.

A Catalogue of English Books, consisting of Divinity, History, Physick, and Variety of other Subjects, to be exposed to Sale, by way of Auction, on Monday 10th day of January next, at Jonathan's Coffee-house Exchange Alley in Cornhill, London. Catalogues are distributed at the Coffee-house aforesaid the place of Sale, at 1 Samuel Wallis's at the Heart and Bible at the West end the Royal Exchange in Cornhill, at Mr. Welds at the Cro between the two Temple-gates in Fleetstreet, and at 1 William Motts at the Queens Arms in the Pall-Mall, Booksellers.

Robert Williams, a Welchman, born at or near Lin Church in Denbysire, speaks bad English, light in about 25 years old, Run from his Colours out of Captain Thomas Weld's Company in the Regiment of Sir Edward Hales, and Robbed his Quarters of one Silver Tobacco Box, William Spering engraven on it, a little Trunk, and two Parcels of his Landlords wearing Apparel. Whoever apprehends the said Person, or gives such Notice (that may be taken) to the Officer that commands, in Chief the Quarter in Southwark, shall have two Guinea's Reward.

Lost upon Christmas-day, about Six of the Clock in the Evening, in or near St. Martins Church, a Sable-Tippet with black satin strings. Whoever shall bring it to Mr. Fargiter the Goldsmith's Shop near Northumberland-house, shall be well Rewarded.

A Young Man, named John Rouse, of a middle stature about 23 years old, having black frizled bushy hair, a black Suit, and a brown frize Coat grey Stockings speckled with black, his two upper teeth before standing over one another. Run away the 20th Instant with 40 l. which he received from Mr. Barnes the Lincoln Carrier. Whoever brings him to Lincoln Carrier aforesaid at the Red Lion Aldersgate Street, London, or to the George Inn in Stanford in Lincolnshire, shall have two Guinea's Reward.

Lost two days since, out of the House of Mr. Dehave at the upper end of St. Martins-lane in the Fields, Silver Caudle Cup with two Bars gilt with Gold. Whoever shall give Notice thereof, or of the Person that took it, the said Mr. Dehave, shall have two Guinea's Reward.

Lost a White Spaniel Birch spotted with Red, both his Ears Red, a White Collar round her Neck. Whoever has taken her up, or can give Notice of her (so she may be restored to the Quartermaster of Sir Edward Hales's Regiment in Southwark, shall have 20 s. Reward.