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Genova, December 26.

THE Soldiers that came from *Barcelona* in the Duke of *Torvis's* Gallies, Landed two days ago at *Utri*, and are marched towards the State of *Milan*. This Week was remitted hither from *Spain* 10000 Crowns for the Duke of *Savoy*. The German Troops that served the last Campaign in *Piedmont*, are now marching to their Winter Quarters. This Senate has sent 1800 men to reinforce their Frontier Garisons of *Novi* and *Ovado*.

Turin, December 30. The greatest part of the German Troops are marched from hence to Winter in the Duchy of *Montferrat*, and the rest to the other Quarters assigned them. The French have suffered very much in repassing the Mountains at this Season. The Duke of *Savoy* has with great firmness rejected all the offers made him by the French King; and the preparations are continued here with great application for the next Campaign. The Prince of *Montecuculi* is gone to *Vienna*; and it's said that Prince *Eugene* of *Savoy* will likewise be going thither in few days.

Milan, December 31. Our Governor the Marquis de *Leganes* has caused 30000 Crowns to be paid to the Catholick Swiss Cantons, on account of their Annual Pensions. Most of the Imperial Troops have taken their Winter Quarters in *Montferrat*. The Forces of this State are Recruiting; And part of the New Levies that have been made in the Kingdom of *Naples* for the Service of this State, are already arrived; and the rest are expected the next month.

Venice, Jan. 1. By Letters from the Levant of the 11th past, we have Advice, That the Doge *Morosini* was come with part of the fleet to *Porto Porro*, in the Gulf of *Egna*; that he had begun to Fortify that place, and designed to stay there till it was put into a condition of Defence, when he would return to *Napoli di Romania*. On *Wednesday* last was opened here, with a solemn Procession, the Jubilee lately published by the Pope. A great Convoy will sail from hence the next Week for the Levant.

Copenhagen, Jan. 2. About 50 sail of Merchant Ships of different Nations, as *Suedes*, *Danes*, *French*, and *Danzichers*, most of them bound with Corn for *France*, being detained by contrary Winds in the *Sound* till the Frost came on, put into this Road; designing to cut their way through the Ice into the Harbor, and to Winter here; But they had not been long arrived in the Road, when one Night thaw broke the Ice, which being driven by the Wind, forced above one half of the said Ships out to Sea; The Frost is since renewed, and it's feared we shall hear of many Shipwrecks. Just now we have Advice, That most of the above-mentioned Ships are lost, and that the rest are in great danger. The *Suedish* and *Danish* Convoy which should have gone in *August* last

from *Fleckeren* in *Norway*, was by our last Letters still in that Port, having put twice to Sea, and been as often forced back, by contrary Winds and tempestuous Weather.

Vienna, January 6. The Conferences are continued here about the Affairs of *Savoy*. Count *Breiner*, the Emperors Commissary-General, set out two days ago with a great Sum of Money for *Piedmont*; and the Recruits and Reinforcements for the German Troops will be hastened thither in order to the carrying on the War on that side with the utmost vigor; The new Levies go on successfully in the Hereditary Countries, and will be completed in a short time. The Advices from *Turkey* say, That the Grand Vizier had Quartered all his Foot in *Serbia* and *Bulgaria*, and his Horse in *Macedonia*; That the Turks pretend to be earlier in the Field the next Campaign than they have been in the former; and that the Chiam of *Tartary* would join them again with a great body of Tatars. We hear from the Frontiers, that the Enemy have of late considerably reinforced their Garrison at *Sabatx*, with a design to make Incursions into the Imperial Territories. On the other hand, our parties from *Peter Waradix* and *Illocke* are frequently abroad, and return for the most part with Booty. Here has been lately a discourse, that General *Schorring* would be removed hither from the Castle of *Brin* in *Moravia*; but we do not hear that the Orders are yet given out for that purpose. The States of the *Lower Austria* are to meet in this City on the 11th Instant, to grant an Extraordinary Subsidy for the War.

Frankfort, January 10. The Forces of *Saxony* and *Hesse*, who are Quartered hereabouts, have Orders to be in a readiness to march towards the *Rhine* and the *Neckar* in case the Frost continues, which is at present very sharp in these parts. We have Advice from *Ulm*, that in the late Conferences held there between the Deputies of *Swabia* and *Franconia*, it was agreed, That those two Circles shall bring 24000 men into the Field the next Campaign. The German Garrison at *Hydelbergh* is reinforced to 500 men. They write from *Alsace*, That the French Intendants continue to take from the Country people all their Corn, leaving them only what they think necessary for their Subsistence, in order to fill the Magazines they are making at *Strasbourg*, *Landau*, and other Frontier places; and that the French Officers doe likewise seize upon all the Horses they can find fit for Service to remain at their Cavalry.

Cologne, Jan. 12. The French continue to provide Magazines in several places on the *Rhine* and the *Moselle*; and we are told; That their Troops Quartered near those Rivers are commanded to be in a readiness to march; The Confederate Forces have the like Orders; And those posted between the *Rhine* and the *Meuse* are commanded to draw together upon the first motion of the Enemies Troops from *Luxemburg*; in order to cover the Duchy of *Juliers*; of which the French pretend great Contributions, and threaten it with Military Execution in case the same be not speedily paid.

Paris.