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Whitchall, September 17.

This day His Excellency Signior *Pietro Moscigno*, Ambassador from the Republick of *Venice*, made his Publick and Solemn Entry into this City, having been conducted from *Greenwich* to the Tower in His Majesties Barge, followed by several others of the Nobility; and at his landing saluted by the great Guns, and the Flag hung out, as is usual in such Solemnities; from thence he proceeded on in this method, with 10 Footmen of his own in rich Liveries, with 8 others belonging to two Noble Venetians of his Company, taken 4 of his Own Pages on Horseback; after them the Master of his Excellencies Horse, followed by 8 Gentlemen of his Train; then came His Majesties Coach, wherein was his Excellency, conducted by the Earl of *Anglesey*, and attended by *Sir Charles Goussel* Master of the Ceremonies, and with them two Noblemen of the Chief Families of *Venice*, viz. the *Illustrissimo* Signior *Afcario Giustiniani*, Brother to his Excellency Signior *Fulvio Giustiniani*, Procurator of *St. Mark*, and Son of Signior *Foanne Giustiniani*, who formerly resided here 7 years Ambassador to His late Majesty; and the *Illustrissimo* Signior *Andreo Trono*, with the honourable *Henry Howard*, Brother and Heir to his Grace the Duke of *Norfolk*. Then followed three rich Coaches of his Excellencies, each of them with 6 horses, and after them a Train of near 40 Coaches more with 6 horses apiece, belonging to the Nobility and principal persons of quality about this Town, most of them as well as his Excellencies own, filled with Gentlemen of good quality; who having received Civilities from that Republick abroad, did themselves the Honour to fill his Train that day. At his arrival at his House the Lord *Mohun* complemented this Excellency in the Name of His Majesty; whom with the Earl of *Anglesey* and three of his Grace the Duke of *Norfolk*'s Brothers, who that day attended him from *Greenwich*, with the Master of the Ceremonies and a bout 60 other persons of quality, his Excellency treated that Evening with an excellent Supper.

Frankfort, Sept. 4. His Highness the Elector Palatine having received information of the approach of the Lorrain forces, thought fit to withdraw his forces from the Camp at *Lamheim*, and marched towards *Oderheim*, a convenient Post between *Oppenheim* and *Alzay*, wherein to attend the motion of the Enemy. Yesterday we had News that the Elector Palatine had drawn up his forces, and encamped himself upon a rising ground near *Ingelheim*, whither the Lorrainers following him, some skirmishes passed, and some few men were killed on each side.

Hambourgh, Sept. 21. The 17th instant the Swedish forces quartered in the Duchy of *Bremen* are to meet at a place appointed for their General Rendezvous. The Field Marshal *Horne* is lately passed the *Elve*, and 'tis believed intends to be present at the Muster, which is also going in few dayes the Queen *Christina*; before whom the said forces are to be drawn up in Battalia and exercised, which done, a great part of them will be ordered to march out of the Duchy, to be disposed of to other places, for the ease of the people, leaving only a number sufficient for the necessary Guard of the Countrey.

The 17th instant all the Princes and Estates who have any interest or pretensions to the Tolls or other Revenues in the County of *Oldenburgh*, are, upon the solicitation of his Highness the Elector of *Brandenburgh*, to assemble them-

selves at *Halberstadt*, that something may be agreed upon in order to the settlement of the right thereof.

From *Stockholme* we have advice by Letters of the 5th instant, that the Solemn Funerall of the Signior *Eteming* being over, the Charge of Councillour in the Crown of *Sweden* is conferred on his Brother, and the number of 40 Senators compleas'd, by filling up all the Vacancies.

The States of the Kingdome still continue their Assembly, and have endeavour'd to reform the Luxury and Vanity in their habits, though as yet with little success. They have resolv'd in times of peace to have alwayes in readines 50000 men, which shall be dispos'd of into all parts of the Kingdome, every man being rated according to his proportion for their quartering and maintenance, and such order taken for the due payment of them in their Quarters, that they may not be burthen some to the people.

Genova, Sept. 12. The six instant the States Gallies returned from the Fair of *Messina*, with a rich lading of Silk, but met nor with the French Gallies, which we hear are put into *Civita Vecchia*, to attend for the transportation of the Duke of *Uhaltan* the French Ambassador, on his return homewards, with the Court of *Rome*, intending to put in here by the way; the Duke to be entertained by Signior *Gio: Luca Durazzo*, whose House is sitting up for his Reception.

Three Gallies of this Republick are this day sailing hence for the Island of *Corfica*, laden with provisions. Here are lately arriv'd three ships belonging to the Squadron of *Hispolito Ceurioni* from *Cadix*, from whence they privately departed, upon an apprehension lest they might have been detain'd by the Duke of *Veraguas* the Spanish Admiral, under a pretence of searching them for Brals Guns, which they were said to have in Hold.

The Marquis de *Morara* the New Governour of *Milan* continues near *Pavia*, but may in few dayes make his Publick Entry into *Milan*, where extraordinary preparations are making for his Reception. He has given the Command of the Company of *Launces* and *Carabins* of his Guard to the Marquis *di Seneal* his Son, and is much employed in taking an account of the affairs relating to his Charge. The Government of *Morara*, lately vacated by the death of the Lieutenant General, is by him conferred upon Signior *Cattaneo*, a Colonel of known Valour and Conduct.

The Constable *Colonna* had some thoughts of coming hither, but has since altered his resolution, and is departed from *Milan* to *Venice* with all his Train and the Duke de *Nevers* his Kinsman.

From *Turin* we are told, that the Duke of *Savoy* has disbanded a considerable part of his forces, and that since the Sentence pass'd by the French Ambassador in favour of the said Dukes pretensions, all things remain peaceable between *Savoy* and *Geneva*. Some misunderstandings are lately risen between the Duke and Cantons of *Switzerland*, the latter having in the last Session of their Diet concluded under their Warranty the Countrey of *Vaux*, which 'tis said belongs to the Duke, but is at present possess'd by those of *Berne*; but the Baron *di Granfy* the *Savoyard* Ambassador to those Cantons, is busily negotiating that affair, and 'tis hoped may compose the affair to their mutual satisfaction.

Dantzick, Sept. 15. Letters of the 15th instant from *Warsaw*, inform us, that the States of *Poland* had again deputed some of their Members to His Majesty to desire him