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Naples, August 30. N. S.

OUR Viceroy has received Orders from the Court of Spain, to make new Levies of Men in this Kingdom, for Re-inforcing the Spanish Troops in Catalonia and Milan. The Corsairs of Barbary and other Privateers very much infesting this Coast, it is under Consideration here, to fit out several Vessels and arm'd Barks for the Security of our Navigation.

Rome, Sept. 8. The Pope seems at present very much inclined to make a Promotion of Cardinals, there being many Places Vacant; The Emperor has named the Abbot *Grimani*, and the French King the Bishop of Orleans, to be advanced to that Dignity, but the King of Spain has not yet declared the Person to be promoted at his Nomination. The Cardinal *de Faurbin* continues his Endeavours to engage the Pope to employ his Offices for procuring a Peace, and has on this Subject had lately several Conferences with the Chief Ministers of this Court. We have an Account from Sicily, that the King of Spain has made Messina a Free Port.

Turin, Sept. 17. The Garison of Casal is to march out next Monday; and the Troops of the Allies now Encamped near the Town, are ordered to Piedmont. The French are still Posted at Dignon. The *Vandois* continue to annoy the Enemy very much with their Excursions.

Venice, Sept. 17. The Senate having resolved to send a great Re-inforcement to their Army in the Levant against the next Year, are now treating with divers Officers who are to make Levies for their Service in Germany and Italy. The Ambassadors of this State to the King of England, continue the Preparations for their Journey, but have not yet fixed any time for their Departure.

Vicenza, Sept. 17. We are in a great Expectation to hear some considerable News from Hungary: The last Letters from the Imperial Army, which were of the 7th Instant, telling us, that the Turks, according to all the Advices they had received, intended to attack the Fortres of Lippa, and our Forces marched with all the Diligence they could to succour the Place, and

to fight the Enemy if they persisted in that Design.

Frankfort, Sept. 25. The Deputies of the Circles of *Francia* and *Saxonia* are to meet here the next Week, to regulate the Winter Quarters for the Confederate Forces on the Rhine; in the mean time the two Armies continue in their former Camps.

Cologne, Sept. 27. The Armies on the Rhine are now going to break up, and to march to their Winter Quarters; The French intend to lodge 10 or 12000 Men along the *Moselle*. The States of this Diocess are still assembled at *Bon*, and have resolved to give his Electoral Highness the Supplies he Demands.

Brussels, September 28. The Forces of *Hesse* and *Lunenburg* began to repass the *Meuse* at *Vifer* the 24th of this Month, in order to their return to Germany; but the Troops of *Brandenburg* will continue some time longer in the Country about *Liege*, to give a Jealousie to the Enemy; who, to observe them, keep a good Body of Men between the *Sambre* and the *Meuse* towards *Philipville*, under the Command of the Marquis *de Harcourt* and another at *Bastogne* under *Monfieur de Precontal*, to cover the Dutchy of *Luxemburgh*. We have advice that 8000 French Horse arrived last Sunday at *Barva*, being detached from the *Mareschal de Villeroys*'s Army (which lies at *Leuze*) with Orders to Canton themselves in the Villages between *Mons Va-lencinnes* and *Maubeuge*; The *Mareschal de Villeroys* has likewise sent Detachments both of Horse and Foot from his Army to Re-inforce several Garisons. The Army of the Allies continues at *Lennick St. Quentin*; Its believed they will keep the Field yet this Fortnight or three Weeks, and that they may not suffer by the Weather, Baraques are preparing for the Foot, and the Horse will be Canted in the Neighbouring Villages. The Soldiers of the late Garisons in *Dixmuyde* and *Doyse*, who were dispersed up and down in the French Conquests, are, as we hear, to Rendezvous at *Courtray*, and to march from thence to *Ghent*, where they are expected in few Days. We shall have a strong Garison here this Winter, and some of the Regiments that are to compose it, are already arrived. They are hard at work at *Namur* to repair the Fortifications of that Place.

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