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*Genova, January 22. N. S.*

**C**apt. Lake, Commander of the *Canterbury* Frigate, who departed hence the 14th Instant, fell in with a rich French Ship the next morning off Cape Mello, and took her after 2 hours Chase: The Prize is called the *Infanta Jesu*, bound from *Marfeilles* to this place and *Leghorne*, and her Lading is valued at 150000 Dollars; Capt. Lake hath carried her with him for *Cadiz*. The French continue their diligence to fit out their Fleet at *Toulon*, and 'tis said they will be ready to sail in a short time.

*Leghorne, Jan. 23.* The 16th arrived here the *Mazareen*, Capt. Tedder, from *London* and *Ireland*. The 20th came in a Dutch Ship called the *Courtiene* from *Holland*, who met near *Sardinia* with a French Merchant Man from *Alexandria* bound for this place, and after 2 hours Fight brought her Mafts by the Board, whereupon she yielded; but being so disabled, the Dutch Commander left his Prize at *Gagliari*; she is worth 30000 Dollars. A Spanish Bark has taken a French Satea bound hither from *Marfeilles* worth 8000 Dollars. The *Mary-Rose* Galley, Capt. Broome, failed hence the 17th of this month to *Cruise*; and the *Upton* Galley Capt. Martell, the 20th for *Messina* and *Scanderoon*. The *Beek* Galley Capt. Strutton, and *Danby* Galley Capt. Walton, design to sail hence this week, bound homeward. We hear from *Toulon*, that the French have upwards of 50 Ships careened in that Port, most of them have their Guns on Board, and 8000 Seamen are arrived there from *West-France*.

*Turin, Jan. 27.* Great Preparations are made both here and in the State of *Milan* for the next Campaign; and the Officers propose to have their Troops compleat by the end of the next month. The Duke of *Savoy* has published an Order, forbidding the Countess de *Salmour* to bear the Name and Title of Margravinne of *Brandenburgh* or the Arms of *Brandenburgh* within his Royal Highness's Territories, and all his Subjects to receive or own her in that Quality; Upon which she is retired from hence to *Milan*.

*Venice, Jan. 28.* The Ambassadors of this State intend to set out on Monday next for *England*; and part of their Equipage went away this day. The Senate have appointed some of their Body to see what forwardness the Ships and Gallies fitting in this Arsenal, are in, and to hasten their departure for the *Levant*. The Letters from *Rome* of the 21th inform us, that the Count de *Martinitz*, Ambassador from the Emperor, made his publick Entry into that City the Monday before, and had his first Audience of the Pope with great Solemnity.

*Vienna, Febr. 1.* Prince *Lewis* of *Baden* continues to have frequent Conferences with the Ministers of this Court about the Affairs of the War. Upon the Advices that come from *Turkey* of the great Preparations they are making there against the next Summer, the Emperor has resolved to reinforce his Army in *Hungary*: The States of *Austria* raise Recruits for the Imperial Forces: and

great quantities of Ammunition and Provisions are sent to *Euda* and other Places, to make Magazines for the Service of the next Campaign. Signior *Tanara*, the Popes Nuncio at this Court, who was made a Cardinal at the last Promotion, received his Cap on Sunday last from the hands of the Emperor with the accustomed Ceremonies.

*Francfort, Febr. 8.* Great diligence is used by the States of *Franconia* and *Suabia*, to have their Troops in a readiness, to march early into the Field this year. They write from *Alsace*, that a Detachment of the French Forces that have Wintered in those parts will be sent to *Piedmont*, to strengthen their Army on that side.

*Cologne, Febr. 10.* Here is a Discourse, that the Elector Palatin has made a Treaty with the Emperor, by which he promises to send a Body of his Troops to join the Imperial Army in *Hungary* the next Summer. They write from the *Upper-Rhine*, that the Landgrave of *Hesse* raises several new Regiments. Mr. *Stepney*, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of *England*, who has been some time at the Court of the Elector Palatin, is gone from thence to *Coblentz*, where the Elector of *Trier* has at present his Residence.

*Hamburg, Febr. 10.* The Matters in difference between the King of *Denmark* and the Duke of *Holstein-Gottorp*, continue in the same state of which you have already had an account, but 'tis believed they will be amicably composed by the Mediation of the Princes who interpose themselves therein; and in the mean time the Swedish Troops in the Dutchies of *Pomeran* and *Bremen*, as also those of the Princes of *Lunenburgh*, are in a readiness to march to the assistance of the Duke of *Holstein*, if it be necessary. The Elector of *Saxony* is returned from *Berlin* to *Dresden*, and there is a Discourse, that he will go to *Vienna* in a short time.

*Paris, Febr. 10.* The last Letters from *Provence* say, the Stores and Provisions sent by the Canal of *Languedoc* for the Ships now fitting at *Toulon*, were not yet arrived, and they thought it would be the beginning of *March* before the Fleet could be ready to sail. The Marquis de *Nesmond* is to go to Sea with a Squadron of 8 Men of War from *Brest*; and six Ships are fitting out to be commanded by Monsieur de *Regnaut*; and they talk of a third Squadron of 7 Frigats, which is to go out under the command of Monsieur de *Pointi*; but the several Designs they are to be employed in are as yet kept secret. The Mareschal de *Catinat* parted hence two days ago for *Piedmont*, and all the General Officers that are to serve under him, are preparing to follow; which makes us think the Campaign will begin very early on that side. Great preparations are made towards the *Sambre* and the *Meuse*; The Mareschal de *Boufflers*, who has been to visit the French Frontier Garisons in *Flanders*, is returned to *Lisse*. Here is a discourse of setting up a Lottery, 'tis proposed that the greatest Prize shall be 2000, and the least 100 Crowns, to be paid yearly out of a Fund to be