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Rome, Sept. 12. N. S.

A Consistory was held last Monday, in which 'twas thought there would have been a Promotion of Cardinals; and this was so much depended upon, that Signior *Erizzo*, the Venetian Ambassador, had taken an opportunity some days before to recommend Signior *Delfino*, who resides as Nuncio at the Court of France, to the Pope, in order to his being made a Cardinal; But the Pope has since declared, that he has no intention of making a Promotion yet a-while, and it's said, the same will be deferred till the beginning of the Jubilee. It's discoursed, that the Duke of Savoy is not well satisfied with the Bull, empowering him to nominate to the vacant Bishopricks and Abbeyes in *Piedmont*, because there are several Clauses in the said Grant, which render it much less Beneficial than was expected by his Royal Highness. The number of Pilgrims that come hither on account of the approaching Jubilee is so very great, that it becomes burdensome to this City, and Orders are given for sending part of them into the neighbouring Villages. The Differences between the Emperor and this Court continue in the same Posture, and the Pope does still refuse to admit the Imperial Ambassador to Audience; so that it's believed his Excellency will return in a short time to *Vienna*. The new Works for the Improvement of the Port of *Anzo* are finished, having cost the Pope above 120000 Crowns, and Orders are given for making an Aqueduct, to convey fresh Water thither for the Conveniency of the Ships that come in there.

*Venice, Septemb. 18.* Signior *Soranzo*, Ambassador from this Republick to the Grand Signior, continues in the Port of *Lido* with the Men of War that are to Convoy him in his Voyage to *Constantinople*, being detained by contrary Winds; He is to touch at *Napoli di Romania* to confer with General *Cornaro*, and to deliver to him a considerable Sum of Money, which is sent by Order of the Senate to pay the Arrears due to the Venetian Fleet, and to their Land Forces in the *Morea*. Our last Letters from *Dalmatia* give an Account, that General *Mocenigo* having visited divers fortified Places, and reviewed the Venetian Forces in that Province, was returned to *Spalatro*; And that the Conferences between Signior *Grimani* and the Venetian and Turkish Commissioners for settling the Limits, were discontinued by reason of some Difficulties, touching which they expected further Orders from their respective Masters; and in the mean time Signior *Grimani* was come to *Singh*.

*Warsaw, Sept. 19.* The Conferences between the Cardinal Primate, and the other Ministers appointed by the King of Poland to treat with Baron *Werner*, Resident from the Elector of *Brandenburg*, concerning the Business of *Elbing*, are continued, and at their last Meeting 'twas agreed, that this Crown shall pay to the Elector the Sum of 300000 Dollars in lieu of all his Pretensions, on the Receipt of which, or of a sufficient Security, his Electoral Highness is immediately to restore the City of *Elbing* to the *Polanders*. This Agreement being concluded, the Cardinal Primate dispatched an Express to the

King of Poland to acquaint him with it, and the Chief Ministers of this Court have since met together to consider of the Means to raise this Sum, which it's said some Persons of Quality have offered to advance to the King at a moderate Interest. The Princes *Alexander* and *Constantine* continue in this City; It's said, the King has offered them a considerable Sum of Money for the Town of *Villa-Nova*, which they have inherited from the late King their Father. The King's Saxon Regiment of Guards, to whom the Guard of the Castle of this City was committed, are marched from hence to *Prussia*, and were relieved by a Regiment of *Polanders*. We have received Letters from the Commissioners appointed by the King to take possession of *Gaminice*, which give an Account, that the Bassa of *Gaminice* having made all Things ready for evacuating that City, he desired Hostages might be given for the due Performance of what was agreed on; for which purpose, the *Polanders* nominated Lieutenant-General *Roche* and Major *Ruman*, and the Turks two of their Principal Officers, who being accordingly exchanged, the Turks delivered to the *Polanders* one of the City Gates, and the Bassa promised to march out with the whole Garrison as soon as their Effects could be carried away. He desired some Troops of *Polanders* might be appointed to convoy him and his Garrison as far as *Raskon*, which was granted, and the Commissioners of Poland acquainted the Bassa, that they had Directions to make him a Present of 30000 Ducats as soon as he has actually evacuated the Place; And that Orders are given for delivering to the Turks the Places on the Frontiers of *Moldavia*, which are to be restored to them by this Crown pursuant to the Treaty of Peace. The Cardinal Primate has left this Place, intending to pass some days at *Radzisowitz*. General *Fleming*, and the Counts of *Lewenow* and *Denhoff*, are gone from hence to attend the King of Poland at *Teplitz*.

*Copenhagen, Sept. 29.* An Express arrived here the 27th Instant from the Duchy of *Holstein*, with an Account of the Number of the Forces of *Sweden* and *Holstein* that are in that Duchy, and of the new Forts that are building by the Duke of *Holstein's* Orders. The Council has thereupon been several times assembled, but 'tis not said what is the Result of their Debates. The King continues his Resolution of going to *Holstein* in the beginning of next month. The Duke of *Wirtemberg* has taken a Review of the Forces quartered in the Neighbourhood of this City, and is gone to do the like in the Provinces of *Funen*, *Zeeland*, and *Jutland*. The new Levies in this Country are continued, out of which two Regiments of Horse and two of Foot will be formed, and 10 Men are to be added to each Company of the old Regiments of Foot. The King has made several new Regulations relating to his Household, and the Administration of his Revenues. He has ordered, That whereas during the late King's Reign, the Generals and other Great Officers, and the Foreign Ministers, did frequently eat at the King's own Table, none shall be admitted there for the future but Princes of the Blood, and that the Foreign Ministers shall be entertained by the Marshal of the Court. An Order is published, Requiring all those who hold any Estates from the Crown, to come and renew their Leases before the First of *January* next, on pain of forfeiting them. It's said, the *Sieur Jessin* will be sent to France, to succeed the *Sieur Meyercron* Envoy Extraordinary from this Crown, who is recalled from that Employment. The French Ambassador here intends towards the middle of the next month, to make Sale of the Ships and Goods, which were taken from the *Dantzickers* about two years ago by the *Chevalier de Barz*.

*Vienna, Sept. 23.* The Imperial Court is expected here the 25th Instant, and will return to *Ebersdorf* the 27th. On the 26th the Count d'Oring, Ambassador to the Grand Signior, is to have his Audience of Leave of the Emperor, and he designs on this occasion to go to the Palace with the same Train and Equipage (which is all made after the Turkish fashion, and very rich) as he intends to have at his Entry at *Constantinople*; His Excellency will be going from hence in few days, and

and a Guard of 2 Troops of Horse, and 3 Companies of Foot, are ordered to attend him as far as Salentkemen, near which Place he is to have a meeting with the Turkish Ambassador, whom the same Guards are to attend in his journey hither. The Emperor has appointed an Envoy to go and Compliment the Duke and Duchess of Lorraine upon the Birth of their Son. It's said the Emperor intends to take some Troops of the Duke of Saxe-Gotha into his Service, and to send them to Hungary. Our Letters from thence give an account, that some Difficulties happening between the Imperial and Turkish Commissioners for settling the Limits, they agreed to adjourn their Conferences till such time as they can receive further Orders from their respective Masters; and it's said, Count Marquisly, the Imperial Commissioner, will come hither himself to receive the Emperor's Directions.

**Frankfort, Sept. 30.** The Sieur Obrecht, Plenipotentiary from the Most Christian King for adjusting the Pretensions of the Dutchess of Orleans on the Palatinate, is returned hither from Strasburg, in order to renew his Conferences with the Imperial and Palatine Commissioners. The Elector Palatine is at present at Schweizingen, but will return in few days to Weynheim, and from thence to Dusseldorp. The Repairs of the City of Heidelberg are in great forwardness, and it's said, the Elector Palatine has sent for the Persons that were Professors and Readers of the University there, and declared to them, that he intends to restore the said University, and to confirm the Grants made to them by the Electors his Predecessors, of several Lands, the Revenues of which amount to about 5000 Florins a year; But he designs, that as well the Papists as the Lutherans and Calvinists, shall be Tolerrated there, and that there shall be Professors and other Teachers of each of these Religions.

**Hamburg, October 2.** The Conferences for settling the Succession of the Duchy of Mecklenbourg-Gustrow are broke off. The Building of the Forts in the Duchy of Holstein, is continued by the Holsteiners with great diligence; The Danish Forces, which drew together some days ago near Husum, came only with a design to view those Works, and retired to their Quarters without giving the Holsteiners any disturbance.

**Brussels, October 6.** The Elector of Bavaria is perfectly recovered of his late Indisposition. His Electoral Highness has received a very kind and obliging Letter from the King of Spain, writ in his own hand, which came by an Express who brought likewise other Letters from Madrid, dated the 21st of the last month, giving an Account, That the King of Spain is in very good health; That the Countess of Berghs, First Lady of the Bedchamber to the Queen, was preparing for her return to Germany, and 'twas said, the Emperess had made her one of the Ladies of her Bedchamber. 'Tis expected, the next Courier from Spain will bring Orders to the Count de Bergeick, who lately resigned the Office of Surintendant of the Finances, or Treasurer to the King of Spain in the Spanish Netherlands, to resume the same. Sir Hill, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Great-Britain, arrived here this week from Loo.

**Loo, October 4.** On the 25th of the last month His Majesty and the Duke of Cell returned to this Place from Dieren, and the next day part of the Duke's Retinue, with his Servants and Hunting Equipage, were sent back to Germany. On the 29th, the King gave his Highness the Diversion of Hunting the Wild Boar; and the Duke having taken his Leave of the King, went from hence yesterday, early in the morning, on his return to Cell. The Earl of Jersey arrived here this afternoon from England.

**Dieren, October 6.** The King came hither yesterday in the evening from Loo, having Hunted in his way, and killed two Sags. His Majesty intends to return to Loo on Friday next.

**Hague, October 6. N. S.** The States-General have received a Letter from the Duke of Lorraine, notifying to them the Birth of his Son. The States of Holland and Westfriland met this day, and Deputies from the College of the Admiralty of the State are come hither to confer with them. The Sieur Geldermalsen, Envoy Extraordinary from the States-General to His Majesty of Great-Britain, is returned hither from Loo. Don Quiros, the Spanish Ambassador, is gone from hence to Amsterdam.

**Deale, September 28.** Yesterday came into the Downes, His Majesty's Ship the Rye, from the River. The same day sailed from the Downes, the Plymouth, Capt. Wythington Commander, the Perry and Lane, Capt. Morgan, the Harwich Prize, Capt. Jackson, and five other Merchant Ships, bound to Virginia; The Lucretia, Capt. Saywell, and the Oxendon,

Capt. Pearce, for Jamaica, The Falconberg, Capt. Luke, and the Linnet, Capt. Hilliard, for Guinea; The Thomas and Katherine, Capt. Rudstone Commander, for Cadiz; and divers other Merchant Ships bound for the Streights and the West-Indies making in all about 30 Sail.

**Westminster, Sept. 28.** The Parliament met this day, and was further Prorogued to Tuesday the 24th of October next.

*A General Court of the English Company Trading to the East-Indies, will be held at Skinners-hall on Tuesday the 10th of this instant October, at 10 in the forenoon, to proceed in the further consideration of the By-Laws.*

*Notice is hereby given, That the English Company Trading to the East-Indies, pursuant to an Order of the General Court of the said Company, will on or after the 20th day of October instant take Money at Interest upon their Common Seal, of the Members of the said Company, or any other Person, for 6 Months, after the rate of 6 per Cent. per Annum; and that the 2 per Cent. for  $\frac{1}{2}$  years Annuity, and  $\frac{1}{2}$  years Interest of the 25 per Cent. paid in for Trade, both due on Michaelmas-day last, will be allowed to those of the Company who shall Lend as far as 7 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  per Cent. on their Capital Stock.*

*Notice is hereby given, That the Mali-Tickets and Benefits contain'd in the Sixtieth Payment, amounting to Ten thousand Pounds each Payment, (besides Benefits and Interest) are in course, and will be paid to the Bearer with Interest at the Office near His Majesty's Exchequer appointed for that purpose; The Interest of each Payment ceaseth, when Notice is put up at the said Office when such Payment is payable, pursuant to the Act of Parliament in that behalf.*

#### Advertisements.

☞ **The First Ten (or the General) MAPS** of the New Sets lately proposed to be Published at Oxford, will be ready to be delivered the first Day of Michaelmas-Term upon Payment of the Retidue of the Subscription-Money. And that New Subscriptions for 16 Maps more, (which will contain the particular Description of all the several Countries of Present and Ancient Europe, except the British Isles, and which will, it is judged, be finished by Candlemas next,) will be taken till the 18th of December next, by A. Churchill in Pater-noster-row, T. Bennet in St. Paul's Church-yard, London, and J. Crooke at the Theater in Oxford.

☞ **The History of the Works of the Learned;** or An Impartial Account of Books lately printed in all Parts of Europe; with a particular Relation of the State of Learning in each County: For the Month of Sept. 1699. To be continued Monthly. Done by several Hands. Printed for H. Rhodes near Fleet-bridge, T. Bennet in St. Paul's Church-yard, A. Bell in Cornhill, and D. Midwinter and T. Leigh in St. Paul's Church-yard.

☞ **The Royal Lustring-Company** will expose to Sale, a Parcel of Broad and Narrow Alamodes, Renforces, and Lustrings, on Thursday the 12th Instant, at 10 in the morning, at their House in Austin-Friers, where the Goods may be seen the Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday before the Sale.

**A** General Court of the Proprietors of the Glass-works, Invested in the Honourable Craven Howard Esq; and other Trustees, will be held at Monceire's Coffee-house in Thread-needle-street, behind the Royal-Exchange, on Wednesday next the 4th Instant, at 10 in the forenoon, to consider about the disposal of the remaining Stock, and other Matters.

**T**HE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against Roger Darby, late of London, Packer, intend to meet at the Irish-Chamber in the Guildhall, London, on Friday next the 6th Instant, at 3 afternoon, to admit Creditors to prove Debts, in order to a speedy Distribution of the said Darby's Estate; And will also sit there at the same hour every Friday after till the 27th Instant, when a Dividend will be made; before which time all Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money, or they will be excluded the said Dividend.

**A** Commission of Bankrupt being lately awarded against William Evans and Fisher Hinde, late of Manchester in Lancashire, Haberdashers of Hats and Copartners; All Persons who owe them any Moneys, or that have any Goods or other Effects of theirs in their hands, are not to pay or deliver the same to any Person but such whom the Commissioners shall appoint.

**L**ost some time since out of Sir Edw. Bennet's Grounds of Chiselmist, near Eltham in Kent, a grey, Red-biten, round truss Gelding, about 13 hands, full aged, Trots only, with a whisk Tail, a reddish Spot in a Circle of Black on his near Shoulder, and no hair on it, most used at Cart. Whoever gives notice of him to Mr. Monk at Chiselmist aforesaid, shall have a Guinea Reward.