

**Venice, Dec. 10. N. S.** A Reinforcement of 400 Foot, lately arrived from *Dalmatia*, was sent from hence this week to *Verona*. About 1000 Foot more are come to the *Lido*, part of them from *Dalmatia*, and the rest from the *Mores*, from whence more Forces are shortly expected. Orders are sent to *Paaua* to repair the Fortifications of that Place, and some of these Forces will be sent thither to strengthen the Garrison. We are expected to hear that Prince *Commerci* has attacked *Goito*, who having joined the *Danish* Forces, and the two Regiments of Foot lately come from *Germany*, is now at the head of above 20000 Men, and there is no doubt but they will take that Place, which is a Post of great Consequence for the Defence of the *Mantuan*. A strong Detachment of the *German* Forces are posted along the *Oglio*, to oppose the Passage of any Succours the *French* might send to *Goito*.

**Frankfort, Dec. 17.** The Prince of *Nassau Weilburgh*, who lately came hither from *Dusseldorp*, went the 15th to *Nemstad*, to command the Elector Palatine's Forces which are posted there. Major-General *Jordan*, Envoy from the King of *Poland* to the *French* Court, passed by here this week in his way thither. The Diet of the Circle of the *Upper Rhine* are still assembled, to agree upon the Supplies to be raised for augmenting their Forces. The Work of the new Lines in these Parts is carried on with as much dispatch, as the Season will allow of. Several Companies of Foot of the Elector Palatine's Forces are marched to *Keyserlautern*, and Orders are given to repair and augment the Fortifications of that Place, which may be of good use for covering the *Hautsruh*.

**Brussels, Dec. 19.** The States of *Brabant* met the 17th Instant, when an extraordinary Supply was demanded of them for maintaining the Forces, and other urgent Occasions, and it was proposed to raise the same by a Capitation Tax, as has been practised in *France*, which occasioned a general dissatisfaction; But the Members of this Assembly were given to understand, That their only business was to approve of what was thought convenient and necessary by the Court; So the States, who are sensible that they are not in a condition to insist upon their Privileges since they are brought under a Foreign Power, consented to the raising of 120000 Florins by a Capitation. An Express arrived here the 17th from *Ghent*, with Advice, that the Governor at *Sas Van Ghent* had caused divers pieces of Cannon to be fired upon a Fort the *French* were building near that Place; Upon which *Marshal Boufflers* dispatched one of his Aides-de-Camp to the *French* Court, to receive the King's Orders. The Levies are begun for augmenting the 6 old *Flemish* Regiments of Foot with a Battalion each, which are to be compleat by the beginning of *March*. An Officer, who is a Native of *Liege*, has undertaken to raise a Regiment of Foot of his own Countrymen. The Recruiting of our *Horle* is delayed till these Levies are finished. Colonel *Pemalosa* is made Governor of *Newport*, in the room of *Monfieur Aguiet*, who died some days ago. They write from *Liege*, that the Meeting of the States of that Bishoprick is appointed for the 2d of the next Month, against which time the Elector of *Cologne* is expected there, who 'tis said intends to demand of them a considerable Subsidy, and to propose the raising of more Forces.

**Paris, Dec. 24. N. S.** The *French* King has given Orders for making up the Reinforcement which is now to be sent to *Italy* to 30 Battalions, and as many Squadrons, who are to begin their march the 2d of the next month. The Horse are to go by the way of *Piedmont*, and the Foot to *Toulon*, from whence they are to be sent by Sea to the Coast of *Genoua*, and from thence to march to the *Milaneze*. The Officers of these Forces have desired that their march may be delayed for some time, to the end they may get ready their Equipages, and recruit their several Troops and Companies; but 'tis thought this will not be granted, the King desiring that these Troops may be in the *Milaneze* very early in the Spring; and as for recruiting them, that is to be done by making a Draught out of the Regiments in the several Garrisons, which are to be made up by the respective Towns where such Garrisons are. 'Tis talked here, that in a short time further Supplies of Men will be sent to *Italy*, this Court being resolved to make their utmost Efforts on that side the next year. The Marquis of *Dreux*, who married the Daughter of *Monfieur Chamillard*, Comptroller-General of the Fi-

nances, is come hither from the *French* Army in *Italy* to take Possession of the Office of Introdutor of Ambassadors, which he bought some time ago of the Marquis of *Blainville*. The Count de *Bezans*, who lately came from thence to give the King an Account of the Condition of the Army, is sent back with fresh Instructions to *Marthal Villeroi*. The last Letters from *Italy* give an Account, that the *French* Army continued near *St. Giovanni in Croce*, and that they were making a Bridge over the *Po* at *Casal-Maggiore*; But the Duke of *Parma* had caused the Militia of his Country to take Arms, and had posted them along the *Po*, to guard the Passes over that River. The *French* had abandoned *Borghetto*, a considerable Post on the *Po*, where they had built a Bridge, and the *German* have possessed themselves of that Town, as likewise of several other Places wherein were *French* Garrisons. 'Tis reported, that the *French* have likewise abandoned *Goito*, the Garrison whereof were to rejoin the Army, or if they could not do that with safety, to retire to the City of *Mantua*; If this be so, the Imperialists are entire Masters of all the Duchy of *Mantua*, except the Capital City, which they intend to block up this Winter. The last Letters from *Cadix* bring an Account, that the *French* Squadron commanded by the Count de *Chateaurenault* were driven back into that Port by bad weather.

**Members chosen for the ensuing Parliament.**

*Suffex*, Sir *William Thomas* Bar. Sir *Henry Paken* Bar. *Worshire*, The Rt. Hon. the Lord Viscount *Irwin*, The Rt. Hon. the Lord *Fairfax*. *Norfolk*, *Roger Townesend* Esq; Sir *John Hallam* Bar. *Somersetshire*, Sir *Philip Sydnam* Bar. --- *Palmer* Esq; *Bristol* Town, Sir *Jessie Jeffreys*.

A General Court of the English Company Trading to the East-Indies will be held at *Stammers-hall* on *Tuesday* the 23d of this Instant *December*, at 10 in the forenoon, the same being a Quarterly Court; Also a Quarterly General Court of the General Society will be held at 11 of the *Lot* the same day, and at the same Place; and the *Travels* Books will be shut up from the 23d Instant to the 13th of *January* next.

**Advertisements.**

THE Annual Feast of Gentlemen Educated at *St. Paul's* School, London, will be held on *Monday* the 26th of *January* next at *Maccas-hall* in *Cheapside*. Tickets are delivered at *Guraway's* Coffee-house in *Exchange-alleys*, at *Mr. Keston's*, *Book-Bur*, in *St. Paul's* Church-yard, at *Nando's* Coffee-house, at *Mr. Tooke's*, *Book-seller*, both near *Temple-bar*; and at *Oliver's* Coffee-house at *Westminster-hall* Gate.

☞ The new Edition of *Suidas* in 3 Vol. Gr. Lat. with large Additions, Indexes, and all other useful Improvements, by *Mr. L. Neocorus*, is carried on with all possible expedition, and (thanks to the Learned World) meets with great Encouragement; and a List of the Subscribers will be printed. The Subscription Price (already published in the Proposals) is 20s. for the common Paper, and 30s. for the large. To prevent any Gentlemen being deceived, the Undertaker *John Owens* thinks himself obliged to publish to the World, That Subscriptions will be taken after the first of *January* next, for any Persons who shall not have paid their Subscription-money to him, or left an order for the Payment of it at his House at *Oxford*, his Lodging at *Mr. Disbrow's*, *Goldsmith*, at *Cambridge*, or the *Oxford Arms Inn* in *Warwick-lane*, London, (except they live in *Scotland*, *Ireland*, or any Foreign Country) shall exclude the benefit of the last Proposal; and after that time the above-said Undertaker promises, That this Book shall not be sold under 6 farthings per Sheet common Paper, and 2 d. half penny large, for so many Sheets as it shall contain.

☞ The *Funeral*; or, *Grief A-la-mode*: A Comedy. As it is Acted at the Theatre-Royal in *Drury-Lane*, by His Majesty's Servants. Written by *Mr. Steele*. Printed for *Jacob Tonson* within *Grays-Inn-Gate* next *Grays-Inn-Lane*.

☞ *Altemeira*: A Tragedy. As it is now Acted at the New-Theatre in *Lincoln-Inn-Fields*, by His Majesty's Servants. Written by the Rt. Hon. *Roger* late *Earl of Orrey*; and Revisit by the Hon. *Charles Boyle* Esq; Printed for *John Nutt* near *Stationers-hall*.

THE Commissioners in a Commission of Bankrupt against *Edward Simmons*, Citizen and Vintner, (who lately followed the Trade of a Silkman in the Poultry) London, intend to sit at the Irish Chamber in *Guildhall*, London, on *Wednesday* the 31st Instant, at 3 in the afternoon, where all the Creditors of the said *Edward Simmons* are desired to meet, and come prepared to prove their Debts, and pay their Contribution-money. AND the Commissioners do hereby further give notice, That the said Commission is only against the said *Edw. Simmons*, and his separate Estate; and that the joint Debts owing to the said *Edward Simmons* in Partnership with *Mr. James Parker*, are to be paid to the said *Mr. James Parker*.

WHEREAS a Commission of Bankrupt hath been awarded against *Edmund Watts*, late of *Ludgate-hill*, London, Thread-maker; All Persons that owe him any Moneys, or that have any Goods or other Effects of his in their hands, are forthwith to pay and deliver the same to *Richard Hodgson* at the 3-Nuns, and *Key* *Stevens*, both Merchants on *Ludgate-hill* aforesaid, and send them to the said *Key*.