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Deal, Octob. 16.

Here are now riding in the Downs a Fleet of about 30 Merchant ships all of them outwards bound, some for the Ports of France and Spain, the rest for Virginia, Barbados, and other parts of America.

Cádiz, Septemb. 9 The 4th Instant Sir Edward Sprage on the Revenge being off the Cape Finis rra on his way for Algiers met with a Turkish Prize, which was a Dutch Ship formerly taken by them off the Rock at Lisbonne bound for Santa Cruz in Barbary, aboard which vessel were only 12 Turks and Moors, the chief of whom seemed confident of the readines of those of Algier to comply with the demands of Sir Thomas Allen the Admiral of the Fleet designed for those parts.

Madrid, Septemb. 19. Don John of Austria continues at Saragoza very peaceably, and using much care not to give the Court any occasion of jealousy.

The Guards continue settled, but the people not satisfied with their establishment, especially since they have been provoked by several Misdemeanors and Thefts, which are attributed to the soldiers of that Regiment: two thousand Horse are ordered to march hither from Galicia and are to be quartered about Buon Retiro.

This week it pleased the Queen Regent to nominate the Admiral, and Constable of Castille, and the Marquis d' Astorga, the Ambassador in the Court of Rome to be Members of the Council of State.

Genova, Sept. 25. Signior Frederico Imperiale being with two of the Republicks Gallies at the Island of Corsica, and having intelligence that a man of war of Barbary had on thole Coasts seized on a Christian Bait, immediately put to sea in pursuit of the Corsaire, and coming up with him, after a fierce dispute, in which many were killed on each side, seized him, having on board Five and forty men, with 3 Iron Guns, and 8 Murderers.

The 22d. Instant put in here the Admiral Gally from Naples, and this morning put out again to Sea for Spain, having on board a person eminently known for his excellency in Riding the great Horse, and is now to be employed for the Instruction of the King of Spain in that Exercise.

Adix, Octob. 2. Yesterday the 1 Instant arrived here on horseback King Casimir from Poland, attended by the Sieur de Panséle, a Gentleman in Ordinary of the Household to His most Christian Majesty, and the Deputies which were sent from the City to compliment him upon his arrival on the borders of our Territories; upon his entry, His Majesty's Lieut. Governour attended him, and as a mark of highest Honour, presented him with the Keys of the City, then the Streets made their Compliments, which were pronounced by the Sieur de Gouy the Principal of them in the name of the rest: at the same time all the Artillery and Great Guns about the Town, loudly proclaimed his welcome; the door of the Great Church to which he went under a Canopy of State which was born over him; he was met by the Archbishop d' Ambrun Bishop of this place, who presented him with a Crofs and an Eloquent Speech; which ended, he took his seat in the Church where the Deum was sung with excellent Musick; after this he took Coach and was conducted with much Ceremony to the Palace provided for his Reception and Entertainment, and was that Evening dined with several Fireworks.

This day the Deputies from the Parliament attended him with their Compliments, as did also the Magistrates and the several Companies of the Citizens.

Hambourgh, Octob. 4. From Ratisbonne we are confirmed in the report that the States have fully consented to the raising of Thirty thousand men to be a standing force to be in readines upon all occasions for the defence of the Empire, by whomsoever it shall be attacked, and have sent the Resolve made upon that point to the Emperour, and its believed, speedy Orders will be issued out to all the parts of the Empire concerned therein to raise their proportion.

The Three Colledges are suddenly to Assemble themselves for the framing and publishing an Edict for the Regulation of the value of small Moneys.

There was some time since presented to the Diet a Memorial from the Republick of Venice, with much earnestness soliciting for a powerful and general factor to be sent from the united body of the whole Empire, which might enable them to take the Field, and by open force oblige the Grand Visier to quit the Siege of the much distressed Town of Candia, but this being put upon debates, met with many difficulties; some Princes of the Empire having already contributed what they were able to their assistance, and others excusing themselves upon their disability; Inasmuch as after a long consideration, they were constrained to leave the succor of that Republick to the discretion of the several Princes and States, without giving any Rule for their proportions.

The Duke of Lorraine had by his Plenipotentiary offered so far to comply with the pretensions of the Court de Nassau as to make restitution of the Lordship of Herbitzheim, and a Moiety of the County of Saerwerden, but this is not yet accepted of, the Count seeming not willing to abate any thing of what the Duke can be obliged to by the instrument of the peace of Munster.

Letters, but of no very late date from Warsaw inform us, that the Coronation of the lately Elected King was intended to be performed with much magnificency, the foreign Ambassadors as well as the Nobility being at extraordinary expences in furnishing out their Trains and Liveries to appear with as much splendor as they were able at that solemnity.

They farther say, that Prince Michael Radzevil had made His Majesty a Present of a very rich Coach, and had some design of proposing to him a Marriage with the Princess d' Ostrog his Lady's Daughter, and Niece to the Grand Marshal, to which the greatest part of the Nobility seemed much inclinable, but 'twas believed would be diverted from his purpose, upon the great inclination he finds in His Majesty to pursue the proposal which has been already so much advanced, of a Marriage with the Princess of Austria, His Majesty having been observed to Treat the persons employ'd from Vienna upon that affair with extraordinary kindness, and to put a great esteem upon her Picture, which was sent to him in a Frame richly set about with Diamonds.

His Majesty is said to have received a Letter from the Grand Marshal, informing him, that the Tartars are returned home, they having not any other design by entering into Ukraina, then to hinder the Cossacks from submitting themselves to the Turkish power in which they pretend, that they expected the ready assistance of the Crown of Poland, for the want whereof, they seem infinitely distressed.