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Milford, Dec. 15.

TWo days since sailed hence Three ships of Bristol bound for the *Streights*, and one ship of *Dartmouth* which formerly put in here from *Malaga* laden with Wine and Fruit, and at the same time sailed also a Fleet of laden Colliers bound for *Plymouth* and other parts about *Land*, having been long detained here by contrary winds.

Plymouth, Dec 21. Here are now in Port about 30 fail of ships waiting the opportunity of a fair wind; yesterday some of them adventured out to sea, but the wind coming about the Eastwards forced them back again into the Harbor.

Gracovia Decem. 2. In the last Council held here by His Majesty, wherein was debated the Marriage with the Emperors Sister, the Grand Marshal, and the General with the High Treasurer seemed not to favour this alliance, with the Emperor, fearing he might not give us the assistance we expected, if a warr should happen with the Turk; but others of the contrary opinion, closed with His Majesties intentions, which were earnestly though more privately persued by the Vicechancellor, who was thought the fittest person to be Employed as Ambassador to *Vienna* to perfect that Negotiation: the King went since to *Cheftokowa* a Religious Convent in the midst of a Fort about 18 leagues distant from this place, where he intends to expect the Answer which will be given to his said Ambassador; since this it has been proposed to the Chancellor of *Lithania* and others to undertake the charge of conducting the Arch-Dutchess the future Queen into *Poland*; that the Marriage might be consummated before the great assembly of the States designed to be held in *March*, but this being an Employment of extraordinary Expence has hitherto been waved by them all, so that is believed this Honor will be wholly left to the Vice-chancellor.

From *Ukrania* we find that *Dorofensko* refuses to give obedience to the Ottoman Port, as he has fully signify'd also by his late Letters to his Majesty, brought hither by his Envoyes, who, howsoever his Majesty be satisfy'd with the reality of their message or the truth of the said Letters, are here received with all suitable respect, and had Audience given them in His Majesties Cabinet, who was pleased to give a Gracious Ear to the report of all their grievances.

We still find that there is a Civil war fomented between *Dorofensko*, *Chimelneski*, and *Hienenski*, the principal heads of the several parties in *Ukrania*, who have had several encounters with various success, each party augmented with a considerable number of Tartars, by whom and the Turks these disputes are supposed to be underhand fomented, but especially, by the Turks, to the end, that when the Cossacks have sufficiently weaken'd themselves by their civil dissensions, they may with the more ease make a prey of them.

Madrid, Dec. 4. The Conde de *Molina* lately employ'd under the Character of Ambassador into *England* is by Her Majesties favour made a Member of the Council of war. The Duke d' *Ossuna* has thought fit to accept of the Government of *Milan*, whose present Governour the Marquis de *los Balbaces Spinola* is upon his arrival to depart thence on an Embassy to *Vienna*, for which a Commission and Instructions are preparing, and the Marquis de *Malagon* to be recalled. Don *Pedro de Leva* Son to the Count de *Bagnols* is to have a Commis-

sion for that Company in the Regiment of Guards which was commanded by the Count de *Trenfalida* the said Don *Pedro* being design'd for *Milan* where he is to Command as General of the men at Arms.

The Duke d' *Albuquerque* may at the expiration of his Vice-Royalty of *Sicily* about three months hence be expected home, by which time the Prince de *Ligne* may arrive there as his successor.

The Bishoprick of *Girgenti* (formerly *Agrigentum*) in that Island, amounting to the yearly value of 5000 pounds Sterling is said to be kept void for Father *Nisard*, lately the Queens Confessor, in case his other pretensions in the Court of *Rome*, meet not with the success which he has expected.

Legorn Dec. 9. Yesterday came on shoar here the Lady *Camilla Pallavicini* the interde Spouse of Don *Gio Battista Rospigliosi* the Popes Nephew, and was at her landing saluted with Fifteen Chambers and Seven Great Guns from the Castle; some little time she spent in taking a view of the Town, in which space she received the Compliments and some Presents sent to her by the Grand Duke, and returned again to the Genouese Gallies which attend her in her voyage, where she is expecting a fair wind and good weather, having on board with her a part of her portion in *Contanti* to the sum of a million of Crowns, and is to have a like sum paid after the death of her Father.

The *Baniaw*, *George*, and *Industry* intend to sail together homewards in few days.

The Great Duke with his Court is yet at *Florence*, and may continue there till the 20th instant, intending then to depart thence for *Ambrogiana*, where he intends to continue and pass the solemnities of the ensuing Festival of *Christmas*.

Genova, Dec. 12. The 6th instant the lesser Council in presence of the whole Colledge proceeded to scrutiny, and made choice of the most excellent Signiors *Nicolo Grimaldi*, *Barnaba Genirione*, and *Gio Battista Sioi*, Senators, and Signiors *Giulio Bovere*, and *Augusto Saluzzo* Procurators, to take the care of the Government of this Republick for the two following years, the whole City seemingly much pleased with the choice, as of persons of known valour and great integrity.

From *Milan* they write, that the present Governour expects daily to be eased of the care of his temporary employment, having been informed, that the Duke of *Ossuna* having upon some disgust made a resignation of his Vice-Royalty of *Catalonia*, with intention to throw off all publick employment, has been overperswaded by his Relations to alter his resolution and shew his obedience to the Queens pleasure in accepting the Government of *Milan*, in which he hopes so far to merit the Queens favour, as by this method to open himself a door into the Council of State.

The Religious of the Convent of *Nostre Dame de Lerette* have in testimony of their satisfaction and joy for the promotion of Father *Bona* a Member of their Order to the Dignity of Cardinal, thought fit to give publick testimonies thereof by Bonfires and Fireworks, and on the Sunday after the Receipt of the news with a solemn Mass and *Te Deum*, concluding the Evening also with Fireworks; the like joy was shown also by the Religious of *St Ambrose* of the Cistercian Order.

Cardinal *Litta* the Archbishop of *Milan* upon the news of the Popes approaching death, hastned away immediately for *Rome* to assist in the Coronation of the Elect of