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Lisbon, July 12. N. S.

ON the thirtieth of the last Month an Act of Faith was held in this City by the Inquisition; four Men and a Woman were burnt for Judaism; who all died Christians, and denied their Accusation. The Armies on the Frontier on both sides are retired into Quarters of Refreshment, and the Earl of Gallway is expected here to Morrow. All Accounts from Spain vary so much, that there is no Judgment to be made of them; but by all appearance the Duke of Anjou will endeavour to maintain himself. The Marquis de Bay has detached six Battalions of Guards, and five Regiments of Horse, for Catalonia, where it is reported, we have had some Advantage. The Turkey Fleet came into this Port on the tenth, and will sail within fourteen Days for Great Britain. Count Taruca designs to embark with that Convoy.

Vienna, July 17. N. S. Two Maids of Honour attending her Imperial Majesty having some time since made known their Resolution to prefer a religious Retirement to the Pomp and Glory of this World, they have both at last executed their Design, and have entred themselves among the bare-footed Carmelites. One of them was received about a Fortnight ago in a Nunnery at Neustadt, which is situated on the Frontiers of Hungary, about ten Leagues from hence. The Empress-Dowager and the two Arch-Duchesses her Daughters accompanied this Lady thither, and assisted at her Reception. The other was cloathed here in Town on Sunday last with great Ceremony, having had the same Honours paid her as are usually given to an Arch-Duchess of Austria, when she is Married. She was richly adorned with the Empress's Jewels, and was carried from the Palace of the Favourite to the Nunnery in the Emperor's Coach of State; the Lady to be admitted into the religious Life, sitting in the Coach with the Emperor and Empress. When she alighted at the Church-door, she was conducted up to the Rails of the Altar between the two Empresses, and there placed on the right Hand, at a Desk for Prayer, the Emperor and both the Empresses being seated at a little distance to the Left. When divine Service was ended, the Empresses led the Nun out of the Chappel into the Nunnery, and there cloathed her in Sackcloth, and put on her Sanials. The Nun having put on the Habit of the Order, the Function was concluded with a Sermon suitable to the Occasion. They write from Arad on the Frontiers of Transylvania, that a Party of Rascians having been commanded out of that Garrison to clear the Country of the Malecontent Parties, they fell in with some Greek Waggons laden with Merchandize, and conveyed by some Turkish Soldiers. The Rascians pillaged the Waggons, killed an Officer and some Soldiers of the Convoy, and returned to Arad with their Booty. A few hours after their Arrival they were followed by some Turkish Officers, to complain of the Violence that had been done them; upon which a Council of War was immediately called, and the Leader of the Rascian Party, and two other Officers, were condemned to Death, and the Sentence put in Execution in presence of the Turks, who expressed their Satisfaction with the readiness of the Germans to do them Justice.

From the Camp before Tournay, July 29. N. S. On the twenty sixth at Night we attacked the Kayclin that covers the Gate of Valenciennes between the Cittadel and Le Schelde, which our Men carried after a very short Dispute, and lodged themselves there. Lieutenant-General Winthers, notwithstanding the Contusion he received when he last mounted the Trenches, commanded this Attack. The twenty seventh in the Evening we

attacked the Hornwork on the Left of General Schullenburg's Attack, and the detached Bastion on the Right of the Hornwork, both which we made our selves Masters of with very little Opposition. The Enemy soon after made a Sally upon our Men, as they were lodging themselves on the Bastion; but the Duke of Argyle, who commanded this Attack, and received a slight Wound, bringing fresh Succours to them, repulsed the Enemy with considerable Loss, and we finished our Lodgments. Yesterday Morning they made another Sally upon the same Bastion, but with no better Success; whereupon about seven in the Evening they beat a Parley, and desired to Capitulate for the Town. Hostages were exchanged accordingly, and the Enemy sent out Brigadier du Metz to the Duke of Marlborough, and Brigadier Diverny to the Prince of Savoy. Brigadier Primrose was sent from Count Lotum's Attack, and Brigadier Sabine from General Schullenburg's in their room. The Articles for the Surrender of the Town were agreed upon late this Evening, pursuant to which the Lifle Gate is to be delivered to us to Morrow Morning, and the Garrison is to retire into the Cittadel the next Day.

Hague, July 30. N. S. Monsieur Hop, Son to the Treasurer of that Name, arrived here this Morning, and brought a Letter from the Field Deputies to the States-General, with the agreeable News of the Garrison of Tournay's having desired to Capitulate. Advices from Italy tell us, That the Duke of Savoy's Army had begun to pass Mount Cenis the 11th of this Month; that the 13th the Foot was entirely got over; and that on the 14th the Army continued its March towards the Maurienne. They add, that General Schullenburg was advancing at the same time with six thousand Men through the Valley of Aosta and the Tarantaise; and that General Rhebinder remained with fourteen Battalions at Mount Genevre, to observe the Duke of Berwick, who was posted near Briarçon with forty Battalions to cover the Place, as believing the Duke of Savoy's true Design to be upon that Town.

An Abstract of the Articles which were demanded by the French, and of such as were granted or rejected by the Allies for the Surrender of the Town of Tournay.

- I. That the Roman Catholick Religion shall be preferred entire in the Towns of Tournay, and of the Tourneis, Mortagne and St. Aman, and all Ecclesiastical Persons maintained in their present Stations, and the Exercise of no other Religion to be allowed in those Parts. *Answered, Religion shall be preserved entire, and that Point shall be regulated in the Capitulation with the Town.*
- II. That the Bishop and all the Ecclesiasticks, Secular and Regular, shall be continued in the Possession of the Rights and Immunities they at present do, or ought to enjoy. *Answered as the precedent Article.*
- III. That six Days be granted to advise the Marechal de Villars of the Condition of the Place, except Succours, and receive the King's Orders; during which time there shall be no Act of Hostility committed, or Work carried on by either side; and to prevent Disorders, the Allies shall only possess themselves of the outer Gate of Sept Fontaines; and the inner Gate of Sept Fontaines, and the Gate of the half Moon shall be guarded by the Garrison. *Answered, The Besieged shall deliver the Gate of Lifle to the Allies to Morrow, being the thirtieth Instant, and shall retire into the Cittadel the Day following.*
- IV. That all Sick or Wounded Officers and Soldiers, of what Degree or Quality soever, shall be conducted with Surgeons and all Necessaries to Douay or Valenciennes.