

is to attend the Empress in the Honourable employ-
ment as principal Lady of her Chamber.

Vienna, July 30. Eighteen of the principal Jews, Inhabitants of this place are stopped here and secured to make good any debts that shall be found to be due from any of that Religion upon their removal.

The Empress being great with Child has thought fit to confine her self to her usual place of Residence, where she intends to continue till her delivery.

The Count *de Swarzenberg* being made President of the Imperial Council in the Court, was the 28th instant admitted and installed with the usual Ceremonies.

From *Waradin* we are told, that the Grand Senior has ordered the removal of several Bassas and other Officers from their Charges, and amongst others, the Bassa of *Kanise*, all of them having been suspected to have privately fomented the late disturbances in *Hungary*, by which means the Prime Visier has taken a fit occasion to prefer in their rooms such persons as have signalized their valors in the siege of *Candia*.

From *Hungary* we are told, that the Garrison in *Eschird* seemed for some time resolved to have defended that place to the last man against the Imperialists, and did for that purpose disposed of their Engines and all their Artillery upon the Ramparts; which heat of valor lasted them but for three days, in which time they made a sally upon the besiegers, but find they lost to be great, and the execution they did very little, on the 4th day they set up the white Flag, and sent to the Camp to desire Three days Truce; but obtained only 24 hours time to treat of a surrender, in which space arrived the Prince of *Rogotzki*, who immediately concluded for the delivery of that place, out of which marched about 900 Heydukes, besides other forces; after which, four Companies of the Marquis *de Gram's* Regiment entered the Fort, under the Command of *Petter* a General of *Bataille*; the rest of the Army marching for the reduction of *Cassovia*.

Hague, Aug. 15. All apprehensions of war being now laid aside, the States have thought fit to consider of the lessening of the publick expences by dismissing the forces which were last raised for the recruits of the Army. The supernumerary Companies which were formerly put into *Maeffrich* for the strengthening of that Garrison, are withdrawn from thence and sent away to their former Quarters, leaving that place to the guard of the ordinary Garrison.

The Heer *de Groot* is gone forward on his Embassy towards the French Court, to obtain if possible, a Categorical and positive answer about the new Impositions laid by him upon the Commodities of this Countrey imported into his Dominions.

The Heer *Heinsius* after his long attendance as Resident from the States of these United Provinces in *Muscovy*, finds little effect of his Negotiation as to the mediation offered in the differences between *Swedenland* and *Muscovy*, and is accordingly resolved to spend no longer time in the pursuit thereof, but is preparing for his return home.

Letters from the Squadron of our ships before *Salce* tell us, that the Corsairs of that place seem to be very inclinable to enter into an agreement with us, and have accordingly written to the Emperor of *Morocco* concerning it, but we expect little assurance from that inconstant people.

A ship which came lately from *Santa Cruz* in *Barbary* affirms, that the Emperor of *Morocco* was with an Army of about 8000 Horse marched towards that place, and had made himself master of

the Fort called *Soes*, which surrendered to him without any opposition, but the Governour of *Santa Cruz*, though surpris'd with so sudden an invasion and wanting men, resolved however to make the best defence he was able against so powerful an enemy, but the French and Portugais within the Town, had by their Presents to the Governour obtained his leave to retire themselves from that place, and embarked themselves upon two ships which were then in that Port, with as much of their Goods, as they were able to carry off with them.

The States of Zealand are lately adjourned, having first disposed of some vacant Offices in their Militia, and particularly were pleased to conferre that of Cornet to the Troop, formerly commanded by the late Captain *Buat*, upon young *Buat* his son, and the charge of Captain of the Guard of that Province upon Monsieur *d'Overkerk*.

Paris, August 16. We have little new news from the *Vivarois*, but that since the Death of the Rebels, the Surintendant *Bazons* proceeds to make some examples of Justice, having Sentenced two to be broken on the Wheel, six to be hanged, and condemned a great number of the rest to the Gallies: an Act of Pardon is sending thither for the Rest, but as yet *de Rouure* is not discovered.

On Wednesday His Grace the Duke of *Buckingham* went to *St Germaines*, where he had his Audience from his Most Christian Majesty, and still continues, amongst other diversions, His Majesty having entertained him with a review of his Army drawn out of the Camp at *St Sebastien*.

Plymouth, Aug. 7. All the ships which went from these parts upon the Fishing trade to *Newfoundland* are safely arrived there, and hope for a good account of their voyage.

Portsmouth, Aug. 7. Yesterday were put into *Spitzhead* by contrary winds, the *Hopewel* of *London*, *John Brown* Master, and the *Lawrel-tree* of *Dartmouth*, both from *Barbados*, laden and bound for *London*, having at their departure left that Island in a good and flourishing condition.

Advertisements.

These are to give notice, that the Lords Commissioners of His Majesties Treasury have appointed Munday the one and thirtieth day of October next, at three a Clock in the afternoon, at the Treasury Chambers in Whitehal, to receive Propositions for Farming His Majesties Revenue of Excise; and have likewise appointed Munday, the seventh day of November next, at three of the clock in the afternoon at the same place, to receive Propositions for farming His Majesties Customs; and also the new Impositions laid upon Wines, by Act of this Session of Parliament. Whereof all persons who have a desire to be concerned in any of the said Farms, may take notice and bring in their Propositions accordingly.

Whereas the day for the beginning of the ancient great Horse Fair, usually held at *Malton*, in the County of *York*, in the Month of September, hath for some years last past been very uncertain, to the great prejudice of the said Fair, and of such persons as come to buy or sell there. These are therefore to give notice, that the said Fair will this present year of our Lord 1670. (and so every year hereafter) begin on the Sixth day of September.