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Vienna, Decemb. 5. N. S.

MOny has sent from hence to pay off all the Arrears due to the Troops in Hungary, to enable them to march wherever there shall be occasion. The Recruits for the Emperor's Forces are rais'd in all the Hereditary Countries with very good Success; and it is still given out, that his Imperial Majesty designs to raise several new Regiments. Letters from Constantinople of the Second of the last Month, give an account, that the face of Affairs there is much chang'd in favour of the King of Sweden, whose Interest has prevail'd against the Grand Vizir; and that the Sultan has consented to his Majesty's continuing all the Winter at Bender, notwithstanding the Vizir had order'd a Bassa to march with a Detachment to conduct that Prince out of the Turkish Dominions. The Sums appointed by the Port for the Subsistence of the King and his Retinue, which had been stop'd for some time by Order of the Grand Vizir, have been remitted as formerly. The same Letters add, that the Haughtiness of the Ministers, occasion'd by the late Success against the Muscovites, was grown to that height, that the common sort of People were no longer able to bear it, which, 'twas apprehended, might occasion a Revolt. The Grand Vizir had appointed to keep the Bairam at Adrianople, and was expected with the Cham of Tartary at Constantinople the Fifteenth of the next Month. The Swedish Envoy, Monsieur Fure, is with that Minister, by whom he has been more favourably treated than formerly. The Muscovite Ambassador is still confin'd in the Seven Towers. All the Fleet is return'd from the Black Sea to Constantinople, except six Sultans and two Gallies remaining with the Captain-Basha, who waits for the Surrender of Afoph.

Frankfort, December 16. N. S. An Express arriv'd here Yesterday from Afschaffembourg, with Advice, that the Emperor came to that Place the Fourteenth, about Four in the Afternoon, with a numerous Retinue; that the Elector of Mentz met his Imperial Majesty at the Foot of the Stairs of the Castle, and after the usual Compliments, conducted him to the Apartment appointed for his Reception. Great Preparations are made here on the same Account, where he is expected on the Nineteenth of this Month at farthest. The Elector of Treves went away Post this Morning, to meet him at Afschaffembourg; but it is not yet known whether he will continue there, or return hither with the Elector of Mentz, that the Solemnity may be perform'd with the greater Magnificence.

Tournay, Decemb. 16. N. S. The Body of the Enemies Troops, Commanded by the Chevalier de Luxemburg, retir'd the Thirteenth, with much Precipitation, to Valenciennes; as did the other Body, under the Marechal de Montequion, to Arras, being pursued by Lieutenant-General Com-

pesch, with the Cavalry of his Garrison, to the Wall of that City, and several Kill'd and Taken as they were passing the Scarps at Fampoux. It is reported, that the Enemy had a Design to draw a Line from Arleux to Valenciennes, wherein Bouchain was to be inclos'd, and to fire the Magazines of that Place, in order to attack it with more Success; but the two Incendiaries employ'd for that Purpose having been discovered and taken, it has prevented the Execution of that Project. The Number of Deserters was very great upon this Occasion, who all Complain, that they have received no Pay for a considerable time.

Hague, Decemb. 27. N. S. On Saturday the Nineteenth instant, his Highness Prince Eugene of Savoy, and his Excellency the Earl of Strafford, as likewise, the Imperial Ministers Count Goes and Monsieur Heems, were for some time in Conference with the Deputies of the States-General, after which the Prince Din'd with the British Ambassador, and in the Afternoon a second Conference was held, wherein the same Persons assisted as before, which being ended, Prince Eugene return'd to the Ambassador's House, and was there Entertain'd at Supper that Evening. The same Day arriv'd here an Express from his Royal Highness the Duke of Savoy, on his way for England. Sunday Evening the Earl of Strafford was in Conference with the Grand Pensionary. The Day following was held as usual, the Congress of the States, with all the Foreign Ministers residing here, at which time arriv'd an Express from Francfort, with Advice, that the Emperor had made his Entry there the Eighteenth instant with great Splendor, and that the Twenty-third was appointed for the Day of his Coronation; whereupon, Monsieur Heems has prepar'd a Ball and Entertainment for several Persons of Distinction. This Day about Noon, the Deputies of the States-General assembled in the Chamber of Treves, and were in Conference for some Hours with the Foreign Ministers; about which time arriv'd an Express from England, and this Evening the States-General have again held a Consultation. To Morrow Morning the Commissioners for inspecting the British Troops in Spain, will set out for Amsterdam, in order to pursue their intended Journey.

Bristol, Decemb. 13. This Day came in the West-bury Gally of this Port, Jolias Hifox Comamander, in five Weeks odd Days from Montierat. On the Fifteenth came in the Mermaid Sloop of this Port, John Gale Master, in three Weeks from Cadiz, laden with Wine and Fruit.

Plymouth, Decemb. 14. Yesterday came in Her Majesty's Ship the Medway from Spithead; and in the Evening came in the Seaborle and Delight, with six outward-bound Ships, and three with Coals from Newcastle to this Place, and three Vessels with Groceries, and six Vessels from Southampton and Pool for this Place and Falmouth, the Hope from Rotterdam, and the Transitory from Maderas for this Place. This Day came in the Winder, Italian, and Real