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Deal, Nov. 19.

THe 16 instant in the morning, a Dutch ship, called the *Lyon of Hulsing*, bound for the *East-Indies* ran on ground upon the *Goodwin sands*, where she fired several Guns to signify her disaster, and immediately many *Suroqs* were sent out from this place to assist her, but the Master of the ship refused to let any thing be taken out to lighten her or to suffer any of the passengers to go on shoar, hoping to have got off with the next Tide; the next day finding his danger to encrease, he was prevailed with to send off Eight Chests of Plate with some Bales of other Goods, which were brought first to *Sandwich*, but since sent hither to be secured, that evening the wind blew so hard, that no boats durst venture out, at which time the ship had lost her Main Mast, and the sea running high, beat over her, this last night she was by the violence of weather staved in pieces. Two boats of this place, who about that time adventured as near as they were able to the wreck, saw at least 30 men on the shrouds, but were not able to fetch them off.

About 30 or 40 sail of the Dutch Fleet outwards bound, were yesterday forced back into the *Downs* by contrary winds.

Rome, Nov. 8. The late contention between the Extraordinary Ambassadors from *Florence* and *Savoy*, has drawn many persons, both Officers and others into this place, to offer their services.

The Great Duke of *Florence* is so much dissatisfied with the pretensions of the *Savoy* Ambassador, that he has been pleased to declare, that he would (if occasion were) hazard his whole State, rather than suffer any injury to be done him: several of the Popes soldiers having been discovered to have lifted themselves under the Ambassadors Colours, are by the Popes order committed to prison, and are like to be severely punished. The Popes interposition has prevented the ill consequences that otherwise might have attended this dispute, in which both the Ambassadors began to draw great numbers of men to their assistance; they have since upon the Popes desire avoided all occasions of meeting, the better to prevent disturbances, in so much as the Ambassador from *Florence* going to visit the Duke de *Gaetano*, the *Savoy* Ambassador being at the same time abroad, was persuaded to turn out of his way into another street, rather than by meeting to hazard an encounter.

Cardinal *Nerli* is lately dead of a Feavor, in the 76th year of his age; and without a Will; to the advantage of his Family, who by this means share amongst them an Estate to the value of 60 thousand Crowns a year; *Philip Nerli* the Heir of that family, and lately of age, is possessor of the Priory lately void by the resignation of *Magalotti*, to a very considerable value, and is resolved to take on him the habit of *St Stephen*. Cardinal *Corsino* is like to succeed in the Archbishoprick of *Florence*.

Cardinal *Risponi* is lately fallen ill of a Feavorish distemper. Cardinal *Acciaiuoli* is gone upon his employment, as Legate to *Ferrara*; and Cardinal *Visconti* has taken his leave of the Pope in order to his journey to his Archbishoprick of *Montreal* in *Sicily*.

The Pope enjoys well his health, and is not a little pleased with the acclamations of the people which fill his ears as he passes between *St Peters* and the *Vatican*, out of the great hopes they have that he will make good all his promises to them, in easing them from the burthens which have long layn upon them.

Genoua, Nov. 8. Two Convoys are here ordered to be fitted up, one for *Spain* and *Lisbonne*, which may be going hence within two moneths at the farthest, and another for the *Levant*, which may put to sea about a moneth after.

The beginning of this week a small Fregat was armed here and sent out with *Majorca* Colours, in pursuit of a Bark laden at *Legorn* by some Jews, and bound for *Argier*, which was lately forced to put in here by ill weather, but went off again undiscovered. Here is newly arrived a Dutch Pink from *Legorn* to lade Rice for *Amsterdam*, and one *Genouese* in 17 days from *Alecan* laden with Salt: the *Rotterdam* Convoy is daily expected here from *Marfeilles*.

Monseignor *Mari*, Clerk of the Chamber to the Pope, some days since arriving here from *Rome*, fell into a violent distemper, of which he died yesterday.

From *Milan* they write, that the Duke d' *Ossuna* the Governor is resolved to take suddenly a review of all his Cavalry, out of which he intends to reform 300, but with them and some others which are to be drawn out of the other Regiments, to form Ten new Troops, which shall amount to 700 horse, and to reduce all the other Troops to the number of 40 soldiers apiece, besides Officers; amongst other persons which are nominated Captains of the said Ten Companies, are the Nephews of the Cardinals *Borromeo* and *Litta*, and a brother to the Patriarch *Borromeo*, who had some time since a Commission from his Catholick Majesty for one of the first Troops that should become vacant.

Some days since died at *Milan* the Count *Galeazzo Trotti*, Camp-master-General of the Army, in the 78th year of his age; a person of excellent virtue, and great conduct, and generally much lamented; his son the Popes Nuncio to the Republick of *Venice*, came by post to *Milan* some days before his death, where is also arrived the Duke of *Nevers*, and his Sister the Dutchess of *Mazarine*, who intend after some few days stay to pass from thence towards *Flanders*.

The new Chancellor of *Milan* is lately arrived there from *Spain*, and has taken the usual oath upon his entry on that charge.

Legorn, Nov. 10. The 4th instant arrived here the *Hampshire*, *Censurion*, and the *Nonsuch* Fregats from *Porto Maon*, from whence Sir *Edward Spragge* was gone with a Squadron towards *Argier*, but intends about the 30th instant to return towards *Malaga*, before which place he has ordered a general Rendezvous of all the ships under his Command. Captain *Beach* with three Fregats sailed hence the 8th instant (tis believed) to joyn with the other Squadron before *Argier*.

Great preparations are making at *Florence* for a solemn funeral for the late Great Duke. A ship arriving some days since from *Tunis*, left Four French men of war at *Porto Farina* with their prize: some