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Hampton-Court, October 14.

N humble Address of the University of St. Andrews, has been presented to His Majesty by his Grace the Duke of Athol, Chancellour of that University; which His Majesty was pleased to receive very

gracioully.

Madrid, Oct. 4. The freshest Advices we have from Sardinia tell us, the Siege of Cagliari is still continued. Supplies of Provisions and Ammunition have been fent from Barcelona, to the Forces employed in that Siege; but all other military Preparations which were making in several Ports, are ordered to be stopt; at Cadiz particularly, eight Men of War with Transports having Troops on board and a good Number of Horses, have been countermanded. Cardinal Alberoni has been very ill of a Fever, but is now on the mending Hand. The Court continues at the Escurial.

Berne, Oct. 13. The Chancellour of this State, who went lately to Neuveville to put in Execution a Convention made between him and a Commissioner of the Bishop of Basil, concerning the Privileges of the Inhabitants of that Town, is returned, having intirely finished all Matters of Dispute, and re-established a good Understanding between the faid Bishop and this Canton. A great Number of Anabaptists, which were banished some Years ago out of this Canton for Life, being returned without Leave, have been lately imprisoned here. The Sovereign Council has been feveral Times assembled, to deliberate what to do with those People; but the Vintage Season, which is now begun, having produced a Vacation in all Business here, and a Prorogation of the Sovereign Council for some Weeks, the Decision of that Affair is put off till the next Meeting of the said Council.

Mr. Dayrolle, His Britannick Majesty's Minister lately residing at Geneva, is

expected here (to Morrow in his Way to Basil, where he is to imbark on the Rhine for Holland. Letters from Milan of the 5th Instant tell us Advice was come thither that Cagliari still held out. The Governour of the Milaneze continued to put Milan and the other fortified Places of that Dutchy into a good Posture of Defence. 'Tis advised from Turin, that the King of Sicily's Troops continue in their Quarters, and that there was no Talk of their moving. The Senate of Chamberry has given Sentence for Contumacy against the Republick of Geneva, upon an old Dispute about the Right of collecting Tithes in a small Place in their Neighbourhood, notwithstanding the Letter lately sent to the Court of Turin in their Favour by the Protestant Cantons.

Venice, Oct. 8. Letters from Bologna tell us, the Pope pretends to disown that the fiezing the Earl of Peterborow, and confining him in the Castle of Urbano, was by any Authority from him, and has fent Order for his being fet at Liberty; but his Lordship resules to stir from thence, till he has received from Great Britain the King his Master's Commands. The Lords Burford and Nafsaw-Paulet have lest Rome, and came to Florence on the 30th past, in order to return to England by the Way of The End of last Month a Convoy, with Provisions, Recruits and Money, sailed for Dalmatia; and next Week another will be ready to fail. The Fleet of this Republick is now at Zant, and that of the Turks in the Sea of Sapienza. Orders are fent to Sig. Mocenigo at Verona, to entertain the Electres-Dowager Palatine, in her Passage from Dusseldorp to Florence.

Vienna, Och 9. The Repartition of the Winter-Quarters is already gone from hence, by which 26 Battallions, 7 Regiments of Horse, and 6 of Hussars, are appointed to garrison Belgrade and the other Places upon that Frontier: The rest of the Army is to be quarter'd