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*Stockholm, August 5.*

**M**onsieur de Pomponne, Ambassador here from his most Christian Majesty, continues still incognito, by reason his mourning which he had orders to go into for the Duke of Anjou, is not yet ready. Monsieur Evertschut, heretofore Resident from this Crown at Mosko, is now going thither in quality of Envoy Extraordinary from hence; it is said, his Errand is, to press them to a better observance of the present Peace; to re establish the Commerce between the Two Nations, to adjust the matter of Limits, and to demand the restoring of several Inhabitants of *Ingria*, formerly carried away, and still detained by the *Muscovites*. We dayly expect here the Sieur Petcum, in quality of Envoy Extraordinary from *Danemark*.

*Leghorn, August 17.* The three French Gallies which were here in Port, are gone hence again, as is said, on their way home; since which, arrived here three other Gallies, under the Command of *Hippolito Centurione*, who having bought here several Slaves for the recruiting his Gallies, is sayled again for the Island of *Corfica*.

We have advice of the 15 past from *Argiers*, that those People have since their great loss at *Bugia*, imprisoned the *English* Consul there, keeping him in a barbarous manner in chains; that they have but ten sayl of men of War great and small, of which nine are in Port at *Argiers*, and the other at *Susa*, not daring to stir abroad for fear of the *English* Frigats, which keep plying on their Coast; that they have lately built at *Argiers* several small Forts, for the security of the harbour and their ships that lye there.

*Milan, August 19.* The Sieur *Striglionc*, who as was said, the Nobility had made choice of to go on their parts to the Court at *Madrid*, to sollicite amongst other things, the reducing the Cavalry to the number the Queen Regent had by her Letters to our Governor formerly directed, is not yet gone, though his departure be very earnestly pressed by the Nobility, who upon his address to her Majesty in their behalf, promise themselves, a speedy redress of the several Grievances they now complain of.

The five Companies of Foot which were sent to *Final* to be transported from thence for *Sicily*, are returned hither again, upon the advice they received from the Prince *de Ligny* not to proceed. Here hath been a report of a discovery lately made of a Conspiracy at *Casal*, for the betraying that place; certain it is, one of the chief Officers of that Garrison, hath been sent Prisoner thereupon to *Mantoua*, in order to his examination.

*Umstadt, August 19.* Yesterday arrived here the Prince *de Mergentheim*, great Master of the Teutonic Order, upon the invitation of the Landgrave of *Hessen Darmstadt*, by whom he hath been since his arrival, treated with extraordinary kindness,

Great preparations are making at *Heydelbergh*, for the celebrating the Marriage of the young Electoral Prince, with the Princess of *Danemark* on the 18 of this Month, but we having as yet no advice of her departure from *Danemark*, cannot certainly fix the day for the performance of that Solemnity.

*Venice, August 21.* From *Zara* we have advice, that General *Georgio Morosini* was arrived there somewhat indisposed, through the great heats and incommodities he had suffered at Sea, insomuch that he hath sent hither for a Physitian to come to him, with all the speed that may be. They farther tell us, that the affair of adjusting the Limits with the *Bassa* of *Bossina*, goes on apace, notwithstanding the *Turks* are somewhat high and obstinate in their demands.

Here are Letters this week from *Constantinople*, which tell us, that the Grand Signior is making great preparations against the next Summer, having sent his orders to the *Bassa's* of *Moldavia* and *Walachia*, to be in a readiness with all the Forces they can bring together; they farther speak of a device the Grand Signior had lately made use of, to show his Army how much he undervalued the Power of the Sultanes; and her faction at *Constantinople*, which was, by causing about 30 persons, who were all for several crimes condemned to dye, to be dressed in very rich habits, and in that manner to march through the Army, as if they had been sent from *Constantinople*, as Deputies from that party, to Treat with the Grand Visier, in order to the accommodating those matters, whom the next morning he had ordered to be strangled, and so to be exposed in the same habits to the view of the Soldiers.

It is said, that the *Bassa* of *Smirna* finding himself to be fallen into some disfavor with the Grand Signior, and to be thereupon recalled from that Government to the Court, which he had great reason to fear, was but a preparation for something worse, had embarked himself, his goods and servants, and was retired to some private place, where he might be safe till he had procured his pardon, or else provided for his farther safety.

By Vessels come from *Zant*, we are told, that all those Coasts, and the Islands on it, are still very much infested with the Plague, insomuch, as those parts are become extream desolate, and almost left without Inhabitants, whilst those that remain alive hardly find Bread to eat, through the great want of Tillage and Commerce.

The *Bailo de Quirini* designed Ambassador to the Port, is now, as is said, to embark suddainly on the Gallies which attend here, in order to his transportation to *Constantinople*. Here is arrived from *Germany* the Prince of *Walachia* that last was, who it seems, upon some suspicion of the Grand Signiors intentions to take away his life, fled that Country, and hath ever since continued exiled; it is said he is now going to *Constantinople*, to endeavor if possible, to purchase his restoration. Yesterday the Duke *de Nevers* arrived here from *France*, and in few days the Duke of *Brunswick* is expected likewise from *Germany*.

*Hamburg, September 1.* To morrow or next day  
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