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Whitehall, October 28.

THe 25 instant safely arrived in the *Downer*, the *Swallow* a Merchant man *English* built, of 180 Tuns, Captain *John Baddisson* Commander, who, as hath been said, had been engaged with an *Argiers* man of War in her Voyage from *Port O Port*, of which rencounter we have these particulars; That about the second instant, the said *Swallow* came out of *Port O Port*, in Company with a small Vessel bound for *Plymouth*, and a Flyboat bound for *Bristol*; two days after they came out, off the Isles of *Bayon*, they were chased by an *Argier* man of War of 38 Guns, and esteemed to be manned with about 220 Men; the Flyboat sayling heavily; Captain *Baddisson* feared he might fall into the hands of the Turks first, and therefore towed him about two Leagues, but the Algerine approaching, he cast him off, and prepared to receive him, and by this means gave the two small Vessels an opportunity to escape; the Turk after having given Captain *Baddisson* a broad side, and a Volly of small shot, came to rights on board him and grappled him, putting several Men on board him, but was bravely repulsed, and forced to cut his grapples, leaving six of his Men behind him; in the mean time Captain *Baddisson* had so well placed his great shot in the Enemies Hull, that he forced him to lye quiet for half an hour; soon after the Turk came up again and boarded him the second time, but was presently forced to fall off again, without being able to recover the six men he had before left on board; who had got upon the Shrowds, and had cut most of the Rigging and Sayls (two of which were killed, the other four Captain *Baddisson* gave quarter to, and hath brought home with him) when the night coming on and a fresh gale they parted, and with great difficulty the *Swallow*, her Hull being much torn with great shot, and having onely a Mainsayl and Spritsayl left, the others being burnt in the fight, performed her Voyage; in this Rencounter the Captain behaved himself, as did all the ships Company with extraordinary courage, the Captain was shot through the cheek, his Boatswain a stout Seaman, with two others were killed out right, the Carpenter and about fourteen more (having had in all on board 26 Men) dangerously wounded, who are since pretty well recovered.

This Evening the Captain being come to *Town* was presented to his Royal Highness, and by his Royal Highness to His Majesty, who received him very graciously, and as a reward of so stout and memorable an Action, was pleased to order him a Gold Chain and a Medal.

Genova, Octob. 7. Signior *Durazzo*, designed Nuncio to the Duke of *Savoy*, finding how unsuccessful all the endeavors have hitherto been for his admission, in that quality at that Court, hath at length accepted of the place of Visitor General of *Loretto*, and therefore hath desired he may have leave to return to *Rome*, in order to his setting forward from thence towards that employment.

Monsieur *Clo*, hath as is said, renewed his in-

stances to this Senate, in the name of his most Christian Majesty, to have liberty to raise Men in the Isle of *Corfica*, which that Senate had declared they could not yield to, by reason that Island was not so well peopled, as to be able to spare any of its Inhabitants; though upon this second address of Monsieur *Clo*, it is generally thought, they will in some measure condescend to it.

Signior *Magalotti* is returned from *Provence*, and is gone for *Leghorne*, to sollicite the Great Duke leave to compleat his Regiment of 2000 Italians for his Highness Territories, the greatest part of which is already raised, and lyes quartered about *Marsailles*.

Copenhagen, Octob. 14. Last Sunday the King instituted a new order of Knighthood, under the name of the *Danne Broge* (or the Danish Colours) and created 24 Knights, in commemoration of a great Battle given heretofore by *Wolde mar* the Second King of *Danemark* against the *Swedes*, upon the fight, as is said, of the Danish Colours displayed in the Heavens, &c.

Wednesday the 11 instant the Queen was delivered of a young Prince, to the extraordinary joy of this Court, his Birth having been immediately proclaimed by the great Guns from the Walls of the City, and solemnised with all other usual circumstances of publick joy.

Milan, Octob. 14. The 7 instant dyed here in Childbed the Dutchess *d' Ossuna*, Wife to our present Governor, to the great affliction of this Court; most of the Nobility have been since to condole with his Excellency upon this occasion, and to express the trouble they had for the loss of a Lady of so great worth.

From *Turin* they write, that the Duke of *Savoye* continues still at *Moncalier* in perfect health; that the Marquis *Dogliani*, whom that Duke had some time since sent to the Court of *France* was returned. That his Highness had consented to the raising of another Regiment within his Territories, for the service of his most Christian Majesty, of which the Count *de Sant' Albane* is to be Colonel. The Nobility of these Countries continue their dissatisfaction on at the late raised Troops, being still kept on foot; but begin to be at present somewhat pacified, through the assurance they have from our Governor, that they are only continued for the publick security, and that so soon as the posture of affairs abroad will permit they shall be immediately disbanded.

Vienna, Octob. 18. The Express which was sent hence to the Port, upon the death of Monsieur *Peris* the Imperial Envoy, is returned, together with several of Monsieur *Peris* his Domesticks, who all speak of the fair Reception that Envoy had had there, that he had before his death made a Treaty with those Ministers, for the renewing the present peace; and that the Grand Signior had promised to send hither a solemn Embassy to assure his Imperial Majesty, of his sincere intentions to preserve inviolably the good Correspondence establish between the two Empires.

We hear not any thing this week of the Revolt in *Arabia*, so that we are left in a great uncertain-

ty what to believe of it; the Emperor besides the Compleating all his Troops of Horse, hath resolv'd to issue Commissions for the raising of several Regiments of Dragoons.

Leghorne, Octob. 19. The 13 instant departed from hence the *Martin* and the *Leopard* Merchant men for *Venice*, and the *Society for Gallipoli*; the same day likewise sail'd the *Dragon* Frigate for *Genova*; from whence she intends for *Port Mahon*; the *Katherine* laden with Currants from *Zant*, may in few days proceed under a *Holland's* Convoy for *England*.

Paris, Octob. 31. The King hath lately declared the *Marquis de la Feuillade* Colonel of the French Infantry, in the place of the *Marshal de Grammont*, who growing old and weak, hath resign'd that Command in consideration of 400000 Livres. It is said, that the *Sieur d'Aubeville* is going Ambassador to *Portugal*, in the room of the *Sieur Sr. Romain*, who is on his return from that employment.

Monsieur Courtin is parting in a day or two on his journey for *Sweden* over Land, where he is to continue for some time, in quality of Ambassador, in the place of *Monsieur de Pomponne*, who is at present there. From *Cologne* they write, of some Propositions that have been made to that Town, (as a principal means to beget a good understanding between them and their Elector) to cause all Foreign Troops to withdraw out of that place, and to rely solely upon the Forces which the Emperor and the Circle of *Westphalia* should lend to their assistance, upon any accident that might happen, but that the Magistrates had absolutely refused to hearken to them, declaring they could in no wise forsake the Alliance of some of their Neighbours, by vertue of which, they seem'd only able to secure themselves against the designs of their Enemies.

Cologne, Octob. 23. At length we begin to find, that as our endeavors for an accommodation between us and our Elector have not hitherto met with the least success, so that we have little reason to hope, that any thing will be now concluded on; in order to the reconciling the present differences, especially when we observe so little inclination on either side, in some of the parties concerned, that by the preparations they are making, they speak their intentions to be far from what we had hoped, this makes us redouble our diligence in putting our selves into a good posture of defence, and especially in the carrying on the Fortifications, which we would fain have finish'd this winter.

We are told, that there are at length Arbiters appointed, for the final determining the affair relating to *Haxter*, which is depending between the *Duke of Wolfenbuttel*, and the *Bishop of Munster*. There hath lately been a great Fire at *Nuremburgh*, which is said, to have destroyed one of the best Churches in the Town, together with the Arsenal, and done other very considerable damage.

Vitto, Octob. 27. The *Bishop of Munster* is sometimes at *Kendernich*, and sometimes at *Breuil* with our Elector, where he hath offer'd his Mediation, in the affairs of this place; and hath made several Propositions in order to the beginning a new Treaty, which might be more equal than what hath hitherto been propos'd by our Elector, from whence some seem to flatter themselves still with hopes of an agreement; but whilst we find that these parts fill daily with Soldiers, and some Foreign Troops, we cannot think but ere are other designs in hand. To morrow the *Bishop of Munster*, accompanied with the *Bishop of Strasburgh* is expected here. The Towns of *Francfort, Ulm, Nuremburgh, Strasburgh,*

&c. have forbidden all Foreign Leavies within their respective Territories, upon pain of death.

Brussels, Octob. 30. His Excellency the Count de *Monterey* is expected the 4 of the next Month at *Antwerp* from *Limburgh* and *Gelderlant*, and will be the 6 here. We have advice, that the States of *Utrecht* are sending a Deputation to the States General, to press them to raise 20,000 Foot more, and 6000 Horse; it is thought, the States of *Holland* will likewise at their first meeting, propose something of the like nature.

The affairs of *Cologne* are daily more and more embroiled; they tell us from thence, of 4 Regiments that are coming down out of *Bavaria*, to joyn with the rest of their Electors Forces; they likewise speak of some French Troops that were marching that way under the Command of *Monsieur de Chamilly*.

Hague, Novemb. 2. On Thursday last the Council of State, his Highness the Prince of *Orange* being with them, were present in body in the Assembly of the States General, to whom they made several Propositions concerning the Militia, &c. To morrow we expect the content of the States of *Groningen*, in the matter relating to French Wines, upon the arrival of which, that affair will come to a final resolution.

The *Heer van Werchendam*, and the *Heer Terburgh* are returned from *Zealand*, whither they were sent to confer, as was said, concerning the affairs of *Cologne*; what they have advanced in that affair, those States having formerly made some difficulty in it, is not yet said. The States have, as we are told, issued out orders to all their Commanders and Military Officers, to repair immediately to their respective Commands.

The *Heer vander Myl*, who as was said, was lately wounded in Duel, continues still very desperately ill. *Monsieur de Witt*, Brother to the *Raede Pentenary* of that name is gone, together with an other Councillor of State to visit the places on the *Rhyn*, and may, as is thought, step to *Cologne* to take an account of the affairs of that place.

London, Octob. 23. This day one *Richard Filkin* was set upon the Pillory in *Fleet-street* near the end of *Shoo-lane*, between the hours of Eleven and One, with a Paper over his head expressing his Crime, for an Affront and Injury there done to his Excellency the Lord Ambassador *Coventry*, at his setting forward on his Extraordinary Embassy from His Majesty to the King of *Sweden*; and the said *Filkin* was afterwards whipped from thence back to the Goal of *Newgate*, according to the Sentence given at the *Sessions House* in the *Old-Bayley*, at the Gaol-delivery there holden for the City of *London* the eleventh of this instant Month.

Whitehall, Octob. 29. This Evening *Sr. Robert Southwel*, His Majesties Ervly extraordinary to the Count de *Monterey*, Governor for his Catholick Majesty of the *Spanish* Neatherlands, took his leave of His Majesty in order to his journey to *Brussels*, which he is to begin to morrow.

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These are by Order of the Lords Commissioners of His Majesties Treasury to give notice, that their Lordships have lately given instruction and order to the Trustees, for sale of His Majesties Fee-Farm-Rents, to contract with those persons who have Orders charged on those Rents at seventeen years purchase, accounting the Principal and Interest due upon their Orders, where Interest is payable on them, as one half of the Purchase Money, and in like manner to contract for Rents in Joynture to the Queens Majesty at eight years and a half purchase, the one Moyety to be accounted in Orders as aforesaid, and in both cases, the other Moyety to be paid in Money.