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Lisbon, November 27, N. S.

Some Weeks ago arrived in this Port 2 Imperial Men of War of 70 Guns each, with three Merchant Ships under their Convoy: The latter belong to a Company for Commerce lately formed at Trieste in the Emperor's Dominions on the Adriatick, and were laden with Plank, a small Quantity of Iron and Steel manufactured, some Italian Silks, and about 800 Bags of Rice; and if they find the Market answer, they propose to settle a regular Trade with this Kingdom. They were a long Time on their Voyage, having lain at Messina 40 Days; they likewise touched at Naples, where the two Men of War joined them. These two Men of War were built at Naples, and are fine stout Ships; two of the Merchant Ships were built at Trieste, and the other bought of the Venetians. These Trading-Ships meet with but indifferent Encouragement here; their Plank and Part of their Iron they have sold to the King of Portugal's Yards; but the rest of their Cargoes remains yet unfold. Letters from Cadiz of the 16th Instant, advise, that the Harvest in the Province of Andaloufia proving short of what was expected, the Governour of Cadiz (for preventing Inconveniences which might happen for want of Bread) had issued strict Orders, that the Foreigners as well as Natives residing in that City, should provide themselves forthwith with sufficient Quantities of Wheat for the Use of their Families.

Hague, Dec. 10, N. S. Advice being come from Hanover, that the King of Great Britain designs to set out from thence the 16th Instant, in order to embark for England on His Majesty's Yacht the Carolina, now lying with the other Royal Yachts and Convoy at Helvoetsluis; the States have given Directions for

Guards to be disposed at proper Stations, to attend His Majesty from Delden in His Journey down to the Coast.

To the Colonels, Officers and Agents of the Five Regiments of Portmore, Steuart, Wightman, Bowles, and Harrison, in the late War. Whereas the said Colonels, Officers and Agents, have not adjusted and settled their respective Accounts of the said Regiments, as by an Advertisement in the Gazettes of the 9th and 13th Days of July last they were directed and required; by Reason whereof, the Comptrollers of the Accounts of the Army, and Mr. Westfaling, are disabled from making out Certificates for the Balances due to the said Regiments, pursuant to the Powers given them by Act of Parliament; now for preventing any further Delay in the finishing the said Accounts, and to the End that Certificates may be timely and regularly made out within the time allotted for the same (which by the Act of Parliament will expire the first Day of March next,) the said Comptrollers and Mr. Westfaling do hereby give Notice, that if the said Officers do not appear by themselves or Attornies and adjust their Accounts in Manner directed, on or before the 9th Day of January next, that then the Accounts delivered in by the Colonels or their Agents, attested upon their Oaths, and examined by the said Comptrollers and Mr. Westfaling, shall be received and taken as Accounts duly stated and adjusted, and the said Comptrollers and Mr. Westfaling will proceed to make out Certificates for the Balances due to the Officers accordingly.

By Order of the said Comptrollers and Mr. Westfaling.

Ja. Moody.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the East-Indies, do hereby give Notice, That a Quarterly General Court of the said Company will be holden at the East-India House in Leadenhall-street, London, on Friday the 20th of this Instant December, at 11 a-Clock in the Forenoon. That the Transfer Books of the said Company will be shut up from Friday the said 20th of this Instant December, to Monday the 20th of January next; and that the Annuity and Dividend Warrants due at Christmas, will be ready to be delivered to the Adventurers on Tuesday the 28th of January next.

[Price Three Half Pence.]

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