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Lisbon, March 19, N. S.

THE whole Value of the Bahia Fleet which arrived the 1st Instant, is computed to amount to above 10 Millions of Cruzades, making 1100000 Pounds Sterling, the Specie alone is valued at six Millions of Crowns or 660000 Pounds, out of which above 160000 belong to the King of Portugal. The Fleet from Pernambuco having been dispersed at Sea by a Storm in the Latitude of the Western Islands, and only eight of the Merchant Ships belonging to that Fleet having entred this River on the 8th and 11th Instant, they were under very great Apprehensions here for the rest of that Fleet, from which they were freed on the 16th by the Arrival of the Man of War with 21 Merchant Ships under his Convoy, which with the eight Ships before-mentioned are all that were expected from those Parts. This Fleet is said to be very rich in Sugars and Hides, as bringing the Return of three Fleets, but the Specie is not valued at more than three Millions of Cruzades, or 330000 Pounds Sterling. The Dutch Fleet intended for the Baltick, is arrived at St. Ubes and at this Place, in order to take in their Lading of Salt, and are to be conveyed by two Men of War which

are daily expected in this River. His Britannick Majesty's Ships the *Deportford* and the *Lime-Galley* continue still in this Harbour, the former is preparing to sail in a few Days for the *Downes*, and the other will proceed shortly for the *Streights*.

Turin, March 29, N. S. On the 24th Instant the Nobility of both Sexes had the Honour of kissing their Sardinian Majesties Hands and the Prince of Piedmont's, after making their Compliments of Condolance on Madame Royale's Death: And the next Day the British Envoy had publick Audiences on the same Occasion. Afterwards the Senate and Magistrates went in Bodies to the Palace, where the Presidents of each made Speeches of Condolance. His Sardinian Majesty has given Orders for a very strict Mourning; all who frequent the Court being enjoyned to appear not only there, but at all publick Places, in long black Cloaks, Cambrick Bands, Chamoy Shooes, Weepers, &c. and without Powder: Which Rule is to be observed 40 Days. The Princess Louisa, Sister to Prince Eugene, has been extremely ill, but her Distemper having proved the Measles, she is much better since they came out, and there are no further Apprehensions of Danger.

Cambray, March 30, N. S. On the 28th Instant at Night arrived here a Courier from Vienna, with his Imperial Majesty's