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Falmouth, November 13.

THe 7 instant put to Sea out of this Port, about 60 Sayl of Merchant Men bound for several Ports in France; and the 10 arrived the *Hope of Boston*, in Company of three or four other Vessels from *Burdex* laden with Wines; the Seamen tell us, that they had a little before their departure from thence, such violent storms in those parts, accompanied with Haile and Rain, that much dammage had been done to the Vines, insomuch, that it was calculated at above 20000 Hogsheads of Wine, that would be lost by this extraordinary accident. This day put to Sea His Majesties ship the *Falcon* for the *Dynes*.

Venice, Octob. 31. The Captain Bassa continues still about *Candia*, where he is sitting his Fleet of Gallies, and furnishing them with Slaves and other necessaries which at present they want; when that is done, he intends to pass into the *Archipelago*, by order from the Port, the Inhabitants of those parts presenting daily new complaints to the Grand Signior, of the hard usage they receive from the Christian Gallies, who have of late much frequented those parts, with great interruption in their Trade and Commerce.

The Grand Signior hath declared his intentions to pass this winter at *Adriantople*, seeming resolved not as yet to venture his person at *Constantinople*, as it is said, the Grand Visier had persuaded him, who is extraordinary zealous for the composing those differences, and seemed to think, that the Grand Signiors presence would be a great means to arrive to such a Composure.

This Senate hath resolved that the Baylo de *Molina* their Ambassador at the Port, and lately deceased there, shall be entered here with all the Pomp and Solemnity due to his great worth and merit, as the charge of the State, desiring in that manner to express the fence they have of the good services of this Minister.

Our affairs in *Dalmatia* go on very prosperously, so that it is not doubted, but we shall in a short time, see a happy conclusion of them. The Gallies of *Mattha* have lately taken several Vessels laden with Ammunition, and other Provisions for the Turkish Fleet, which will doubtless occasion a great want amongst them, of necessaries for their Gallies.

Ratisbonne, Octob. 31. This Dyet hath for several days been busied about forming Instructions for the *Marchal de Camp*, that is to Command the Forces they are raising for the publick security of the Empire in which much difficulty hath been occasioned by the different opinions of the Deputies, some being of mind that it was altogether necessary, that the said General should have full power to bring the said Forces together, in case of any danger which he saw threaten the Empire, others on the other side, thinking that power too large, and that it ought to

be more restrained; upon the whole, after much debate, it was concluded, that they should regulate themselves on this occasion, according to what had been practised in the late War of Hungary against the Turks.

The affairs of *Cologne*; and the great preparations that are in most parts making, are at present the subject of all mens discourse here.

Leghorne, Novemb. 2. The Cardinal de *Medici* continues still indisposed, having been advised by his Physicians to change the Aire, and to remove to some place which might be more agreeable to his health. Here are arrived the Cardinals *Ghigi* and *Rospigliosi*, intending in few days for *Florence*, to visit the Great Duke, who we are told, had sent to invite them in the most obliging manner to his Court.

Genova, Novemb. 4. This day parted from hence the Prince *Doria*, with four Gallies for *Leghorn*; to receive there the Princess, second Daughter to the Prince *Rossano*, lately Married to him by Proxy at *Rome*, from whence she comes accompanied by the Prince *Famphilio*, and several other persons of eminent quality.

By a Vessel arrived from *Naples* we have advised, that Don *Pedro d'arragon*, Viceroy of that kingdom, having had information of the preparations that the Grand Signior continues to make against *Spring*, and particularly, that he had ordered a reinforcement of his Gallies, had not onely countermanded his directions for the removing, as was said, the Troops out of the Sea Port Towns, to their former quarters, but was ordering more Forces to be in a readines to march towards those parts, which seem to lye most exposed to the attempts of any Enemy.

Metz, Novemb. 16. The 14 instant arrived here from *Strasburgh* the Princess *Palatine*, Daughter to the Elector *Palatine*, accompanied with the Princess *Palatine* her Aunt, having been received and Complimented, as well on the part of the Duke of *Orleans*, as by the Magistrates of this place, and by them Conducted to the apartment prepared for her, in the Kings Palace here. Yesterday her Electoral Highness went to perform her Devotions at the Cathedral Church of *St. Estienne*, where the Archbishop of *Ambrun* Officiated at the Service of the day; and this morning the Marshal *Du Plessys* Married the said Princess as his Royal Highnesses Proxy, in whose name he afterwards presented her with several Jewels of an extraordinary value.

Paris, Novemb. 18. It is confidently said here, that Monsieur de *Louvois* hath orders from the King, to dispatch 40 Commissions more for Horse; and 300 for Foot; and that the Count de *Sobomberg* is to command a Body of 15000 Men. Our last Letters from *Madrid* tell us, that the Queen Regent had acquainted the Council of State, that according to the intentions of the late King her Husband, expressed in his last Will and Testament, for the bringing this King their Son into the Council, so soon as he should arrive to the age of ten years, she had resolved that he should have a place appointed