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Whitehall, November 29.

BY Letters from Sr. Edward Spragge, dated the 23 October, in Tunis Bay, we have the confirmation of the late Revolutions at Argiers, with this farther advice, that the 23 September Sir Edward Spragge weighed out of Argier Road, having had there very bad weather; in which the Newcastle Frigate was forced to Sea, after having loit an Anchor and two Cables. That the thirteenth of October he arrived before Tunis, and the next day sent his Majesties Present to the Dy, which was very kindly received by him; and returned to Sir Edward Spragge a Present of refreshments, with great Protestations of a sincere and inviolable Friendship and Amity, which he would always maintain with his Majesty: That he was then, the day of the date of these Letters, setting sail for Argiers again.

The same Letters farther tell us, that the Argier man of Warr, which was formerly said to have been laid up at Susa, sailing lately from thence for Argiers, happened to meet the Spanish men of Warr, having in their company another Vessel laden with three thousand and odd barrells of powder, bound from Naples to Cadix. The Argiering kept company with the Spanish all night, the next morning finding the said ship a great way a sterne of the men of Warr, she app'd her on board, and after some resistance, made themselves Masters of her and carried her to Argiers; which Prize, was the welcome to those Coasts, by reason of the great want they had of powder and all other kind of provisions for their Ships.

Lyme, November 27. This day arrived here the Concord in his place in five weeks from the Barbadoes the faster thus, that on the 20 of October last, there happened a very violent Hurricane, which continued but three hours, but in that time did much mischief, as well on the Island as at Sea several ships having been driven on shore, though some of them were afterwards with little loss got off again.

Copenhagen, November 21. Mr Bertuc Envoy Extraordinary from his Majesty of Great Brittain, having fully concluded his Negotiation here, may suddenly returne from hence. This evening we expect here Monsieur Courtin from France, on his way to Sweden.

From Holland they write, that the States General having thought fit to send the Heer Van Haven directly to the Crown of Sweden, they were about nominating another to come in the same quality hither; and that it was thought the Heer Van Worchendam might be the person.

Warsaw, Novemb. 13. From the Ukraine they write, that the advice they had received of the Army of Lithuania, which was already well advanced on their march towards those parts, being upon some discontent amongst the Officers returned back, had much discouraged our Forces there, which are very much lessened by the Garrisons they are forced to put into the several places they have lately taken from the Rebel Cossacks, and stand in much

need of a recruit; however, not to loose the great advantages they have at present, they continue their progress, for the farther subduing those Countries, and hitherto with good success; the same Letters farther tell us, that Kalnicke was Surrendered, but with no great certainty; so that we must expect a farther confirmation.

Against the 6 of January next, is appointed a Dyet to be held, here, the Letters to the several Palatinates, being already dispatched to that purpose: it is said, that their Majesties intentions are to go first to Samosch to visit the Kings Mother, and from thence to return with their Court hither.

Hamburgh, Novemb. 24. The Prohibition of Brandy Wines in Holland, hath made Copper rise here, from 60 to 100 Rixdollars; vast numbers of Kettles having been made, as well here as at other places, for the burning of Corn Brandy, to be sent into Holland and the other Provinces. Here are at present the Palzgraef of Sultzbach, and the Velt Marshal Wurtz; as likewise the Count de Conningmark, to look after the Leavies he is making in these parts for the Crown of France.

It is said, the Dukes of Lunenburgh arme again. From Poland we hear of the great success of that Crown in the Ukraine, but that they begin to be very much pinched for want of Supplies, and especially since the advice of the Army of Lithuania being gone home again, so that it is thought, they will hardly be able to finish the total subduing of those Countreys this winter.

Cologne, Novemb. 27. The Deputies of the Circle of Westphalia continue very active and diligent in their instances, as well to our Elector as Magistrates, concerning their late Project; in the mean time the Bishop of Strasburgh seems resolved to adhere to the Proposals he lately made and delivered to the Bishop of Munster, in which, our Magistrates seem to meet with much difficulty; first concerning their being obliged thereby to renounce all Foreign succors; and to cause Colonel Bamphields Regiment to retire from hence; when at the same time our Elector would continue to erect Magazines, and make other preparations, to the great prejudice of their security; secondly, to submit our difference to an Arbitrage, and to allow two or three years for the determining them; however; to morrow our Magistrates are to return their answer to the several Projects that have been of late framed.

The Bishop of Munster is still at Kendernicke; and may, as is said, continue there, till Monsieur Verjus return out of France, whither he is some days since gone, as is said, to inform that Court with the present state of affairs of these parts. Here is arrived the Prince of Nassaw Governor of Limburgh, who hath since had several conferences with the Marquis de Grana and the Popes Nuncio here, by whom he hath been very nobly entertained. We dayly here of more Forces being come into these parts; the general report being, that our Elector hath at present in his Service about 12000 Men, which he is bringing together.

Hague, Decemb. 1. Besides the Regiments of Col.