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Moscow, September 6.

Yesterday being the Czarina's Name-Day, her Majesty received the Compliments of the Nobility, Foreign Ministers and Persons of Distinction on that Occasion, and afterwards dined in publick with the Nobility. While her Czarish Majesty's Health was drank, there was a triple Discharge of the Cannon, and the Guards made a running Fire. The Czarina presented each of the Ladies of the Bedchamber with her Picture set in Diamonds: The Foreign Ministers were invited to a grand Entertainment at the Great Chancellor's Prince Czerkaskuoy. In the Evening there was a Ball at Court, and an Illumination. To Night and To-morrow Night there will be Masquerades.

Petersbourg, Sept. 7.

Continuation of the Journal of Field Marshal Count Lacey, relating to the Success of the Army of her Czarish Majesty in Finland, after the Capitulation granted at Helsingfors.

The 25th of August we took Possession of all the Posts and Swedish Magazines: The Swedish Artillery, which we are become Masters of pursuant to the Terms of the Capitulation, consists of 90 Cannon from 24 to 3 Ponders, with all their Implements; 300 Bombs of 80 lb. 650 Bartels of Gun-Powder. The Magazines were filled with all Sorts of Provisions and Forrage. The 26th the Swedish Regiments began to embark their Baggage, but none of the Finlanders would pass into Sweden; on the contrary, they came immediately into our Camp, submitted themselves to her Majesty, and took the Oath of Fidelity in the same Form as her natural born Subjects do. There were 10 of the said Regiments which deliver'd to us their Colours and Arms, viz. 16 Standards, 30 Colours, 1 Pair of Kettle-Drums, 90 Drums, 5196 Muskets, 1569 Pair of Pistols, 91 Half Pikes, 3269 Swords, 1594 Sabres, 2800 Belts, 4671 Harnesses, 243 Tents, 1670 Buckets, 1645 Saddles and Furniture. Those ten Regiments were compos'd of two Brigadier Majors,

92 Commission'd Officers, 230 Non-commission'd Officers, 6304 Corporals, Drums and private Men, 391 Followers of the Regiments, in the Whole 7019, and there were 1789 Dragoon and Baggage Horses. After they had deliver'd to us what is above-mentioned, and taken the Oath of Fidelity, they had Permission to return to their respective Habitations. The 28th 15 Swedish Regiments of Foot embarked, furnished with proper Passports, and sail'd for Sweden. Four Regiments of Dragoons, that were not provided with Necessaries for Embarkation, obtained Leave to take their Route by Abd, with Orders to march without halting; and four Regiments of our Hussars accompanied them to protect the Inhabitants of the Country. So it is, that, by the Blessing of God, and the Success of the just Arms of her Majesty, we have obtained a signal Advantage over our Enemy, and taken Possession of the whole Dutchy of Finland, without any Loss of Blood on our Side, and with a considerable one on that of the Swedes. The Swedish Camp was very advantageously posted near Helsingfors, its two Wings were defended by the Sea; they had erected 15 Batteries upon the Mountains, which defended their Right; and although there was a Way, which leads to the Town, and to the Camp across the Defiles, we could not possibly have forced them, without receiving the whole Fire of the Batteries; Insomuch that there was but one Place on the Left to attack the Camp, where, on Account of the Morasses, the Cavalry would have been entirely useless; which we could not have undertaken without a considerable Loss, because the Army of the Enemy was but one fourth Part inferior to ours.

Turin, Sept. 22, N. S. On the 9th Instant the Spanish Cavalry began to move from Perugia and their Neighbouring Quarters, in order to join their Infantry, that is to march through the Fiulo to Fano; Pesaro, and Rimini. They give out, that they are determined to advance towards Lombardy, though the best Accounts from Rome mention, that they

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