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Moscow, October 21.

THE Marquis de Botta received Yesterday, by an Estafette, his Letters of Revocation, but does not intend to present them 'till some Days before her Czarish Majesty's Departure from this Place, which is fix'd towards the Middle of next Month, her Majesty proposing to celebrate the Anniversary of her Accession to the Crown, the 25th of November, at Petersburg.

Florence, Nov. 3, N. S. General de Gages has acquainted the Pope, that he had received, by a Courier, particular Orders from the King of Spain to evacuate all the Ecclesiastical State, which he would comply with without Delay. This was likewise confirmed by the Courier dispatch'd to the Pope from the Nuncio at Madrid. They are very attentive at Rome to see how that General will go about to execute his Orders. 'Tis certain that there are at Imola, Faenza, and other Towns of the Romagna, Spanish Commissaries, who are making Provisions as if their Army was to return soon into that Province, to take Winter-Quarters there. Letters from Bologna of the 30th of October say, that General Gages having been informed, that a Detachment of the Queen of Hungary's Troops had taken Post at Crepolano, whereof some Parties very much troubled his advanced Guards, sent the Night between the 27th and 28th of October, a Detachment of Foot and Carabiniers to dislodge them, who engaged the Hussars, and killed and took some of them Prisoners; which however did not hinder, at the same Time, another Piquet of Hussars from carrying off a Spanish Lieutenant-Colonel near the Chartreuse of Bologna. The next Day the Austrians received a stronger Reinforcement; and took Post again at Crepolano, and even all the Horse of Count Traun's Army is now on that Side of the Panaro, to be nearer at hand, so as to be able to follow the Spaniards, in Case they should have a Mind to enter Tuscany at Scarica Basino (first Post of the Territory of Bologna, coming from Florence.) A Spanish Courier, charged with three Thousand Sequins for the Army, was carried off, and there is no News of him. General Gages, to keep a free Communication between Florence and Bologna, has sent 400 Foot and 30 Horse into the County of Cartiglion de Gatti, where there

is a Road leading from the Graffagnana into the Mountainous Part of the Bolognese. Several Officers of that Detachment are arrived at Verfica, (a Free County of the Empire of the Florentine Family of Bardi, situated in the highest Parts of the Appenine Mountains belonging to Tuscany) to buy Victuals there, and reconnoitre the Roads, through which one may in a few Hours come to Prato; but having been informed, that at a small Distance there were Piquets of Tuscan Militia, and that others were coming to reinforce them, and that Prato and Pittoya were garrison'd, they return'd to Castiglion de Gatti, after having left at Verica 25 Soldiers, and taken Possession of the Defiles, upon Pretence of hindering their Deserters from passing on to that Side, or the Parties of Austrian Miquelets of the Graffagnana from going that Way into the Bolognese. The 25th a Detachment of the said Miquelets and Croats of the Garrison of Montalfonso of Graffagnana, appeared in the Town of Massa Carrara, and carried away all the Horses and Servants, which the Duke de Montemar, in his Way to Genoa, had left there. By meer Chance they mis'd his Silver Plate, which was in the same House. The Spaniards have put small Detachments of their Soldiers into all the Places of the Bolognese, bordering on Tuscany, and they do not seem to fear much the Grand Duke's Militia posted on our Frontiers. The Regency has put a Stop to the Transport of the Artillery which was to be conducted to the Fortrefs of San Martino, to take off all Pretext, which might induce General Gages to send a greater Number of Soldiers to the Frontiers of this State.

Chambers, Nov. 5. The Badness of the Weather, and the severe cold Nights we have had of late, have induced the King of Sardinia to cantoon his Troops in the Villages near this Town and Montmeillan, which last continues the main Post and Rendezvous, in case the Spaniards should make the least Motion, or attempt to advance towards Savoy. His Sardinian Majesty would not leave Montmeillan till the whole Army was cantooned, and he had more than once visited all the Posts himself very exactly, after which he arrived here this Morning. His Majesty entred this City on Horseback, attended by a great Number of the Inhabitants who were gone out to meet him on the Road, and in the midst of the Acclamations of the

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