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*Florence, November 1, N. S.*

**B**Y Letters from Rome and Naples we learn, that all the Neapolitan Troops, that embarked at Nice and Villa Franca, were arrived in the Ports of that Kingdom. Orders have been issued at Naples to fit out with all Expedition two Ships of War, which have been laid up for some Time past. From Mantua we are informed, that 800 Recruits were arrived there from the Tirole, and were to be followed by 4300 Croats from Bolzano, and that more Troops, to the Number of 7000 Men, were actually in March to join the Army in the State of Genoa. On the 25th the Regiment of Perlichingen Cavalry arrived at Parma, and was to be followed the 27th by two others, to reinforce the Austrian Army for the designed Expedition against the French Dominions in Provence. By the freshest Accounts from Genoa we hear, that Don Philip arrived on the 18th of October at Antibes, in his Way to Spain.

*Nice, November 4, N. S.* The first Column of the Imperial Troops, under the Command of Marquis Novati, a Lieutenant General, and composed of three Battalions of Giulay's, and two of Wallis's, arrived here on Monday and Tuesday last; and this Morning Mercy's Regiment likewise have joined our Camp on this Side the Var. On Tuesday last, tho' we had but two Pieces of Cannon mounted against the Castle of Montalban, Count La Trinite (who is appointed to command the two Sieges of the Castles of Montalban and Villa Franca) began to fire against the Place about Ten in the Morning, and with so much Success, that he soon dismounted the like Number of Guns, which the Enemy had pointed against his Trenches, and every Shot made such an Impression upon the Walls, that the Spanish Officer, who commanded in the Castle, offered to capitulate about Four in the Afternoon; and before it was dark, gave it up with his Garrison, (consisting of 60 Men and five Officers) Prisoners of War. The same Night our Works were continued towards Villa Franca, and are so far advanced, that Yesterday Morning we had two Mortars ready to fire on the Place, and this Day shall have a Battery of six Pieces of Cannon mounted. It is hoped the Garrison will not be able to hold out above three or four Days. It is expected that the whole Body of the Imperial Infantry will be here about the 14th or 16th Instant, at farthest,

and that their Cavalry will be in the Neighbourhood of Coni, a very few Days after. General Brown is expected here very shortly, and it is hoped our Infantry may pass the Var about the 20th Instant.

*Berlin, Nov. 12.* His Prussian Majesty arrived here on Wednesday last. In the Evening there was a French Play at Court, and the Birth Day of Princess Amelia, was celebrated in the King's Apartments. The next Day his Majesty dined at the Queen Mother's, and afterwards went back to Potsdam, accompanied by Prince Henry and Ferdinand, the Duke of Holstein Beck, and Prince George of Holstein Gottorp. His Majesty is not expected to return hither till the 29th of this Month.

*Berlin, Nov. 15.* A French Courier arrived here on the 13th Instant in the Morning, to M. Valori the French Minister, from Warsaw, and brought News, that on the 6th the Marquis des Issarts, the French Minister there, had demanded the Princess Maria Josepha of Poland in Marriage for the Dauphin. The same Day Baron Mardefelt, the late Minister from this Court to Russia, arrived here from thence, and went directly to his Majesty at Potsdam.

*Copenhagen, Nov. 15.* M. Pushkin, the Russian Minister, has receiv'd his Credentials. The Marquis del Puerto, and his Son, are arrived here from Stockholm; the former goes on to the Hague, and the latter is to remain as Minister of the King of Spain at this Court.

*Hague, Nov. 18, N. S.* We received Yesterday the News from Leeuwarden of her Royal Highness the Princess of Orange's having been safely delivered there of a Princess on Tuesday Morning last.

*Hague, Nov. 22, N. S.* The Pensionary of Holland, with the Earl of Sandwich, returned hither Yesterday in the Evening from Breda. The Meeting of the States of Holland, which was at first fix'd for To-morrow, has been adjourn'd to that Day Sen'night.

*Dublin, October 30.*

This being his Majesty's Birth-day, the great Guns were fired at the Phoenix Park, and answered by Volleys from the Regiments on Duty, which were drawn out upon Oxmantown Green; At Noon there was a numerous Appearance of the Nobility and other Persons of Distinction at the Castle, to compliment their Excellencies the Lords Justices upon this Occasion, before whom a Song was performed; In the