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Villa Franca Harbour, December 13, O. S.

THE Siege of Antibes is undertaken, and the Carcass Bomb is placed in Gourjan Bay, from whence they have fired Shells with good Success, the Town having been frequently set on Fire in several Parts; and by the Advice we receive from the Army, it is expected that the Town and Castle will soon be obliged to surrender.

Stockholm, Dec. 23, O. S. His Swedish Majesty has appointed the following Persons to be Senators of the Kingdom of Sweden, viz. Colonel Palmestierna, Count Ekeblad, Major General Fabian Wrede, M. Andrews Hopken, one of the Secretaries of the Chancery, Governor Stiernstedt, and Governor Taube. As there was no Precedent of any one having been raised from so low a Place as Secretary of the Chancery, to the Rank of a Senator, his Swedish Majesty was prevailed on to send M. Hopken, a Patent of Marshal of his Court, to qualify him to be proposed as a Candidate for that Post, which is the highest a Subject can rise to in this Nation. On Wednesday last Count Finkenstein, the King of Prussia's Envoy Extraordinary at this Court, had his Audience of Leave of his Swedish Majesty; and the next Day Baron Roth, who succeeds him in the same Character, had his first Audience, in which he presented his Credentials to his Swedish Majesty. Count Finkenstein set out on Saturday last for

Berlin, from whence he is to go to the Court of Petersbourg, as his Prussian Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary.

Nice, Dec. 23. On the 18th Instant at Noon, the Genoese Governor of Savona offered to capitulate, and immediately consented to deliver up the Place, and the Garrison as Prisoners of War. Upon which Articles were drawn up, and signed by both Parties, and the Piedmontese Grenadiers were put in Possession of one of the Gates. Colonel Butler is arrived here, having been dispatched from the Bochetta by Marquis Botta to his Court, in order to concert Measures for recovering of Genoa.

Nice, Dec. 28. By the last Letters from General Brown, the French had abandoned Digne; and General Odonnel had taken the Castle of Ague, and one of less Note; in both which he found about 20 Pieces of Cannon. The French Army continue to retire towards Toulon. The Battalions that drop in from Flanders to Marshal Belleisle's Army, are generally very weak, and in a bad Condition, from what they have suffered in so long a March. The King of Sardinia is perfectly recovered, and it is hoped will be able to set out for Turin about the 7th of next Month. By the Surrender of Savona, the Genoese are obliged to employ their whole Force to keep M. Botta on the other Side of the Bochetta.

Vienna, Jan. 4, N. S. On Sunday the 1st Instant, N. S. the Marquis de Spinola