

their Magazines, Artillery, Ammunition, &c. On the 19th anchor'd in this Port from Cadiz and Ceuta, two Transport Vessels with about 300 Spanish Soldiers. On the 23d Pere Vollera, of the Carmelitan Order, was, by Order of the Government, arrested, on a Charge of holding a treasonable Correspondence.

*Florence, Dec. 27, N. S.* Several Couriers have passed by from Genoa in their Way to Naples, and though it is generally believed and reported, that both these, as well as those that were sent thither in the Beginning of the unhappy Revolt of the Genoese, were dispatched with Sollicitations to that Court to assist them, yet the Letters from Rome and Naples of this Morning, do not make Mention of any new Motion in the Troops of that Kingdom.

*Rome, Dec. 31, N. S.* The Pope, to provide against the Scarcity of Money in this City, has caused an Edict to be published, inflicting rigorous Penalties on any one that shall transport any in Specie out of the Ecclesiastical State, or melt it; and in order to supply the immediate Want of Silver, the Sum of 25000 Crowns, in small Pieces, is now coining at the Mint. Cardinal Acquaviva continues very ill, and with little Hopes of Recovering.

*Leghorn, Jan. 2, N. S.* We learnt Yesterday by a Courier who came from Novi in two Days, that General Botta had been joined by upwards of 7000 Men. Count la Rocque, who commanded the Siege of Savona, has received Orders from the King of Sardinia to join him likewise with 20 Battalions, and about 6000 of the regular Militia, with a large Train of Artillery; and we are assured they are now upon their March. Numbers of People daily arrive here from Genoa, and several of the first Families are hourly expected.

*Florence, Jan. 3, N. S.* It is publicly reported, that the Court of Naples has refused to comply with the Sollicitations of the Genoese to enter into their Affairs, which Opinion is confirmed by seeing that there is no Motion in the Neapolitan Troops. Great Numbers of People from Genoa still continue to arrive at Leghorn, so that the Town is quite crowded. Madam Bignoli, with several others of the principal Genoese Ladies, are expected here soon. And it is said that some of the chief Velvet Weavers, and other Manufacturers, will settle at Pisa, and other Parts of Tuscany, which must produce a great Advantage to this State. Pere Visetti, a Jesuit, who, in the Beginning of the Revolt at Genoa was employed by the People to treat with Marquis Botta, passed by here a few Days ago in his Way to Vienna. On the 19th past, agreeable to Directions from the Court of Vienna, the new Auditor Fiscal summon'd the Marquis Torrigiani, Count Galli, the Bale Girolami and Montalici, and the Knight of Malta, Sera, and intimated to them to abstain from talking so freely with regard to publick Affairs, and more respectfully of Sovereign Princes. The Knight of Malta, Sera, has, by the Regency, been order'd to retire to his Country-house till farther Orders. By the last Advices from Genoa, the Affairs there were in great Confusion, especially since the Reduction of the Fortress of Savona on the 18th past, by the King of Sardinia's

Troops, where they found 120 Pieces of Cannon, and a Garrison of 1400 Men. Count Brown continues his Operations in Provence, having attacked Antibes, and required of the King of Sardinia a Supply of Artillery, who has accordingly sent him 12 Battering Pieces from Savona; Marshal Botta is retired with his Troops to Novi, and General Vogthern is gone from Sarzana to Parma, on his Way to join Marshal Botta, who is collecting together a sufficient Body of Troops from the Garrisons in Lombardy, in order to quell the Revolt of the Genoese.

*Nice, Jan. 6.* The King of Sardinia will probably set out from hence To-morrow or next Day for Turin. By the last Letters from General Brown, he is wholly taken up with preparing for the Siege of Antibes. Though the Bombs, which have been thrown into that Place with some Success, have not been able to reduce it, they have however had such an Effect, that it is not doubted but it will surrender, when once the Batteries on the Shore are mounted, and begin to fire; and whilst the Siege is carrying on, General Brown will be joined by a Reinforcement of Imperial and Piedmontese Troops, which are now actually on their March, and Part of them are arrived here. The advanced Posts of General Brown's Army daily make some Progress, and extend themselves in the Country, and particularly towards the Mountains, where they find Forage and other Subsistence.

*Vienna, Jan. 11, N. S.* Her Imperial Majesty having been pleased to appoint Count Kuffstein, Vice-Chancellor of Austria, to be Stadthalter of this City, in the Room of the late Count Windischgratz; Count Oedt to succeed Count Kuffstein as Vice-Chancellor of Austria; and Count Breuner to succeed Count Oedt as Deputy Stadthalter, they all took the Oaths on the 7th Instant, to qualify themselves for their respective Employments. On the 8th Instant, in the Morning, died, after a severe Illness, Count Sigismund Rudolph Zinzendorff, Grandee of Spain of the first Class, Knight of the Golden Fleece, and Lord Steward of the Empress Queen's Household, in the 77th Year of his Age.

*Vienna, Jan. 14, N. S.* Count Schulemberg sets out the Day after To-morrow for Italy, to take the Command of the Imperial Army there in the room of the Marquis de Botta. Marshal Konigsegg is appointed Grand Master, in the room of the late Count Zinzendorff, and is succeeded in his Post of Grand Master to the Empress Dowager, by Count Konigsegg Erps.

*Hague, Jan. 20, N. S.* The Province of Holland has this Day propos'd to the States General, to make Choice of a proper Person to command the Forces of the Republick under his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland, which is referred to a Committee. Advices received To-day from Paris say, that it is reported there, that M. St. Severin, who was formerly Ambassador at the Court of Sweden, is to succeed M. Puyfieux in the Negotiation at Breda; but other Letters mention M. du Theil. It is likewise written from thence, that their Troops in Provence were upon the Point of marching for-