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[*Florence, September 5.*

Count Richecourt is gone to visit the Roads between this Place and Road thither without passing a new Mountains. This is designed to facilitate the Transportation of Goods and Merchandizes into Lombardy, and Germany in particular, and if the Plan can be executed, such Merchandizes will be brought by the River from Leghorn to Signa, a Place some Miles distant from Florence, and from thence cross the Country towards Bologna and Ferrara, without passing through this City. In Consequence of this Scheme, and to render it more perfect, Barks have been appointed at Ponte de Lago Scuro, which are to depart at certain regulated Times for Trieste, where the Court of Vienna has established Post Waggons to carry such Merchandizes to Vienna, by which Means a regular Method of Trading will be opened between that Part of Germany and this State.

From the Camp at Demont, Sept. 9. The King of Sardinia is encamped here with the Piedmontese Troops. The Austrians under General Brown are at Ayfone and Vinadio, about five Miles more advanced. Prince Piccolomini has with him 14 Battalions at Sambuc, about se-

ven Miles farther. The Chain is continued by Posts of Grenadiers in the different Villages as far as Argentieres, where General St. André commands 2500 Men, detached from Prince Piccolomini, and the Territory of France.

Francfort, Sept. 18, N. S. The Elector Palatine will remove this Week from Dufeldorff to Manheim.

Liege, Sept. 19, N. S. Some Letters from Italy mention, that the French seemed to be making Dispositions for retiring out of the County of Nice to the other Side of the Var, whither they had transported their Hospitals and Magazines. Of the ten Battalions which were at Puget, there scarce remain 2000 Men. Fifteen Spanish Battalions, which had repassed the Var, have received Orders to march and occupy the Eminences of Menton.

Head Quarters at Richel, Sept. 25, N. S. We have made a Detachment of twelve Austrian Battalions, and two Regiments of Austrian Cavalry, together with the whole Hessian Corps here, consisting of five Battalions and seven Squadrons, all which will pass over the Maese at Ruremonde the Day after To-morrow, where Marshal Bathiani will join them. The Enemy continue at Bergen-op-Zoom, and have made a Detachment of thirty Battalions to Putten to invest Lillo, after the taking

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