

ment of Commerce at Trieste become more flourishing. The greatest Part of the Officers and Soldiers belonging to the Regiment of Prey-fing, which was lately disbanded, are already provided for in other Regiments.

Bern, Nov. 20. Towards the End of last Month, a Duel was fought at Lausanne, between Mr. Rowley, a younger Son of Admiral Rowley's, and M. Monrond of that Town; in which Mr. Rowley had the Misfortune to be wounded; whereupon M. Monrond, who gave the Challenge, fled to Lyons; but as Mr. Rowley is since recovered of his Wounds, which were at first thought to be dangerous, and is now preparing to set out for England, it is expected that M. Monrond will soon return from Lyons, in order to take his Tryal for this Offence.

Ratisbon, Nov. 22. We have received Advice from Munich, that Count Konigsfeldt, Great Chamberlain and Minister of State to the Elector of Bavaria, died there the 16th Instant, aged 72. He had filled several considerable Employments, and amongst others, that of Minister Plenipotentiary to the Congress at Soissons.

Hambourg, Nov. 24. The Duke of Mecklenbourg has sent hither M. de Birckholtz, one of his Privy Councillors, in order to represent to the Count de Raab, the Imperial Minister, the Reasons which oblige that Prince to forbid the raising of any more Recruits for the Imperial Troops in Mecklenbourg, lest the other Princes of the Empire should insist on doing the like. By Letters from Copenhagen we learn, that the Small Pox continues to carry off great Numbers of People in that City; and that the Queen of Denmark is again with Child. We have received Advice of the Death of Lieutenant General Bensfeld, Commander of the Danish Troops in Norway.

Berlin, Nov. 24. M. Rozencrantz, late Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Denmark, sets out To-morrow on his Return to Copenhagen, from whence 'tis said he will go with the same Character to the Court of Great Britain. M. Thienen, his Successor, who has been extremely ill of the Small Pox, is in a fair Way of Recovery. The Winter is set in very severe, and there has already fallen a great Quantity of Snow. The Distemper amongst the horned Cattle continuing to rage in this Country, all necessary Precautions are taking to prevent its spreading. Advice has been received from Ebeleben, of the Death of Prince Augustus of Schwartzbourg Sonderhausen, in the 60th Year of his Age.

Hague, Dec. 1. On Saturday Morning died here, after some Months Illness, the Right Honourable the Countess of Hyndford, Lady of the Bed-chamber to her Royal Highness the Princess of Orange. The States General have issued a Placart, in which they say, that having

been informed that the Distemper among the Cattle, after having in a Manner ceased in their Dominions for some Time, had begun again to rage with great Violence; their High Mightinesses were convinced the Renewal of that Distemper was owing to the Introduction of foreign Cattle; for which Reason they prohibit the Importation of any Cattle into the Republick's Territories till after the 1st of April next, on pain of a Fine of 2000 Florins, besides the Confiscation of the Cattle for the Benefit of the Poor; those who shall be unable to pay the Fine, are to be publicly whipped, and banished for Life. The States of Holland likewise came to a Resolution during their last Assembly, to prohibit a-fresh the Importation of all Cattle into their Province, as also to forbid the transporting of Cattle from one Place to another, without proper Certificates of Health from the B^l F, or other Officers of the respective Places. This Resolution has since been made publick, by a Proclamation dated Nov. 21, N. S.

Whitehall, November 24.

The King has been pleased to constitute and appoint John Seabright, Esq; to be Captain; George Cary, Esq; to be Captain Lieutenant; Jennison Shaftoe, Esq; to be Lieutenant; and Monson, Gent. to be Ensign in the First Regiment of Foot Guards.

Leicester House, November 21.

This Day Senhor Joachim Jose Fidalgo de Silveira, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Portugal, had his first private Audience of his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

He had afterwards a private Audience of her Royal Highness the Princess of Wales.

He was introduced to both by Sir Clement Cottrell Dormer, Knt. Master of the Ceremonies.

St. James's, November 23.

This Day the Envoy of Portugal had his first private Audience of his Royal Highness the Duke.

And afterwards his first private Audience of her Royal Highness the Princess Amelia.

To both which he was introduced by the Master of the Ceremonies.

Whitehall, November 24, 1750.

Whereas Mr. — Brookes, Timber Merchant, and Mr. Thomas Fry, China Manufacturer, both of Stratford le Bow in the County of Essex, have received by the Penny-Post, two anonymous Letters, one dated the 7th, and the other the 13th Instant, threatening the said Mr. Brookes to set his Buildings in Flames, if he refused to leave Fifty Pounds at a Place which the Writer specifies in his said Letter; and likewise threatening Mischief to the said Mr. Fry, if he refused to leave Thirty Pounds at a certain Place also specified in the Letter directed to him; His Majesty for the better discovering and bringing the Offenders to Justice, is pleased to pro-mise