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*Naples, September 11.*

**M.** Tanucci, his Majesty's late Advocate-General and Counsellor to the Vice-Roy of Sicily, having, by the King's Committee, been honourably acquitted of the Charges alledged against him, has, by the King's Orders, been restored to his Post of one of the Counsellors of the Royal Chamber, (from which he was for some Time suspended) and that his Arrears, Appointments; and Fees, should be paid to him. On the 7th Instant we had a violent Shower of Rain, followed by Thunder and Lightning, which occasioned great Damage in the Country. On the 8th their Majesties with the Royal Family went to visit the Church of Notre Dame di Pie di Grotta, a usual yearly Devotion; on which Occasion six Regiments of Foot, and four of Horse, were distributed along Chiaia.

*Lisbon, Sept. 11.* The Fleet, which was expected from the Bay of Tous les Saints, is arrived in very good Condition in the Mouth of the Tagus: It consists of 31 Ships, on Board of which there are two Millions and a half of Crusades, as well on Account of the King, as for that of private Persons; besides a very valuable Cargo of Merchandize.

*Rome, Sept. 15.* Last Week Cardinal Portocarrero had a long private Audience of the Pope, to communicate to him the Commissions he was charged with from the Court of Spain. On the 7th Instant Bali Solari, the Maltese Minister, sent back to Malta the Packet Boat, with the Pope's Answer to the Dispatches he had received from the Grand Master. On the 10th the said Minister had a long Audience of the Pope, and a Conference with the Secretary of State. By the last Courier from Turin, Notice came to the Datery of the Decease of the Bishops of Mondovit and Vigevano, both in the Gift of the King of Sardinia. The Promotion of Cardinals, which was expected would be made towards the latter End of this Month, is now said to be put off to Christmas. On the 14th M. Foacier, jun. one of the French Farmers, returned here from Vienna,

after having obtained the Emperor's Consent and Approbation for the Payment of 120,000 Livres to his Associates, in full of all Claims and Demands which they had made in their Administration for nine Years last past, of the Publick Revenues of Tuscany.

*Florence, Sept. 21.* Though Count Richecourt has held daily Conferences with the other Members of the Regency, yet nothing has been put into Execution with Regard to the many new Plans, which it was supposed that Minister had brought from Vienna. The first to take Place was the Military Regulation, by which the Emperor has order'd all the Militia Troops, consisting of three Regiments of Foot, and one of Cuirassiers, to be broke, allowing only to the Colonels and Captains Half-Pay, from the 1st of next Month, which is the Time fixt for this Regulation to take Place. The Lorrain Regiment of Guards is to be no longer upon that Foot, but to be called, for the Future, the First Tuscan Regiment; the Pay of the Officers is not to be reduced so long as they remain in their present Rank, but they are to receive the Overplus as a Pension, which is to cease on their being advanced; so that they, as well as others who shall enter into the Regiment for the Future, are to be on the same Foot as the other Regiment, which is now to be called the Second Tuscan Regiment, of both which the Staff Officers are not to have Companies. The Battalion of Marines, consisting of 500 Men, is to be raised into a Regiment of two Battalions, and is to be called the Third Tuscan Regiment. The Body called the Garde Noble, which originally consisted of 100 Gentlemen, tho' of late the Number has not been kept compleat, is now to be reduced to 40 only. A Regiment of 500 Dragoons is to be raised immediately, that the Emperor, as Great Duke, may be in a Situation, at all Events, to comply with the Engagement which he contracted by acceding to the Treaty of Aranjuez. These are the only Affairs as yet which have been settled since Count Richecourt's Return from Vienna. Many other new Regulations are daily expected with Regard to the Civil Government, as well as Ecclesiastical

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