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Lisbon, January 24.

THE Dutch Man of War, commanded by Captain Hartfinck, lately arrived from the Coast of Barbary, having performed the Quarantine required of her, is permitted to come into Port. • The King has appointed Don Louis de Mascaranhas to be Viceroy of the Indies, and Count Arcos to be Viceroy of the Brasils. Don Rodrigue de Noronha is named Commissary General of the Kingdom of Algarvé. The following Governments are likewise disposed of, viz. that of Fernambuco is given to Don Joachim-Emanuel Ribeiro Soarez; that of the Mines in the Province of Guyaves in the Brasils, to Count de St. Michel; that of the Island of Madeira, to Don Emanuel de Saldagne de Gama, Gentleman of the Bedchamber to the Infant Don Emanuel; and that of the Island of St. Thomas, to Don Joseph de Sotto Mayor. His Majesty has likewise made a great Promotion of Military Officers, by which Don Joseph-Bernard de Tavora, Don Anthony-Ignace de Sylveira, Don Francis-Xavier de Veyga, Governor of Bragance, Don Michael-Jean Boteillo, Governor of the Province of Minho, and Don Anthony de Melo, were all raised to the Rank of Lieutenants General of the Forces of this Kingdom.

Naples, Feb. 5. They continue to take all proper Measures for keeping up the Naval Force of this Kingdom; and 'tis said a Resolution will soon be taken to augment the same with some new Men of War and Frigats.

Rome, Feb. 9. The Pope having been informed, that the large Gang of Smuglers, who have for some Time past infested the Romagna, have quitted that Province, has given Orders for the recalling the several Detachments of Troops which were sent to disperse them. The heavy Rains which have fallen here for some Days past, have so swelled the Waters of the Tiber, that we are daily in Expectation of that River's overflowing its Banks, and laying a great Part of this City under Water, as it did last Year.

Leghorn, Feb. 10. The Commerce of this City having suffered very much of late by the Number of Barbary Corsairs that are almost continually cruizing in these Seas; the Government, to prevent the like for the future, have ordered the Emperor's two Men of War to sail

from Porto Ferraro to protect the Navigation of all Ships trading to and from this Port. We are informed by our last Advices from Corsica, that the Troubles in that Island are still like to continue, the Malecontents being resolutely determined to treat all Persons as Enemies to their Country, who shall offer the least Proposition for an Accommodation with the Genoese.

Copenhagen, Feb. 12. The King's Departure for the Duchy of Holstein is fixed for the Beginning of June, and the Troops are all ordered to be encamped by the 24th of May. We learn from Gottenbourg, that the Princess Louisa and another of our East India Ships lately equipped for China, are still detained in Port by contrary Winds.

Stockholm, Feb. 14. Their Majesties and the Royal Family are returned here from Ulrichsdahl. Count Tessin hath at Length, on Account of his Age and Infirmities, obtained Leave to resign his Employment of Governor to the Prince Royal, and the Senator Count Stromberg is appointed to succeed him for the present.

Vienna, Feb. 16. The Baron de Reischach, Minister Plenipotentiary from this Court to that of the States General of the United Provinces, is arrived here from the Hague, and has been introduced to their Imperial Majesties, who received him very graciously.

Dresden, Feb. 17. In the Night between the 14th and 15th Instant, a Fire broke out at an Inn in the Suburbs of this City, which was soon reduced to Ashes, with two or three other Houses, and several Persons perished in the Flames.

Bourdeaux, Feb. 18. The Weather has proved so very tempestuous for this Week past, that several Merchant Ships and trading Vessels have been drove on Shore all along this Coast.

Bonn, Feb. 27. In the Night between the 23d and 24th Instant, a Fire broke out in the Convent of the Capuchins in this City, and notwithstanding all possible Relief was given them, the Flames were so violent, that the whole Edifice, and the Church adjoining to it, were entirely reduced to Ashes. The Elector, out of Compassion to their Misfortunes, has ordered them his spacious Palace at Plettenbourg for their present Residence, where they are to be furnished with all Things necessary for their Subsistence.

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