

There is Advice, That the Distemper which seemed to have very much abated in the Gevadon, had broke out afresh at Marvejols, and made great Havock there, as well as at Mende, Nîmes, Beaucaire, and two other Places in Lower Languedoc are infected, and Avignon continues in a very bad Condition, and 120 or 130 Persons dyed in a Day.

Yesterday the Lords read a second time the Bill to prevent the Infection, agreed to the Report of the Bill for naturalizing the Countess of Leinster. In a Committee went through the Land Tax Bill. And both Houses adjourned to Monday.

From the Evening Post, Nov. 25.

Turin, Nov. 15. The Cardinal de Biffi, with the Marquess de Biffi his Nephew, arrived here two days ago, and lodg'd at the Auberge Royale, a great Inn near the Palace. They did not go to Court, but after one Night's Repose, proceeded next Morning on their Journey. The Prince of Piemont's Marriage is still reported to be in agitation, but talked of with Doubtfulness as to the Person he is to marry; it is said, that in a late Conversation the King had with a certain Foreign Minister, the latter occasionally mentioned two Ladies, who for a considerable Time past have been frequently named to be the Prince's Bride; and last of all he particularly mentioned the Princess of Sultzbach, of whom at present the Report is become universal with respect to this Marriage; his Majesty however was pleas'd to leave this Affair to be still doubted of, saying only, upon the naming of the aforesaid Princess, that he hoped the Prince his Son will be married in a short Time. Mean while 'tis discours'd here, that the Princess of Sultzbach, who is between 16 and 17 Years of Age will be married to the Prince of Piemont.

Rome, Nov. 4. On the 29th of last Month, the Chevalier de St. George went to Velletri, whither Cardinal Acquaviva was gone before to receive him; and after having dined with him, he return'd in the Evening to Albano.

London, Nov. 25.

We hear a Gentleman in Westminster has projected a Scheme for clearing the streets of all indigent persons, and easing all the Parishes of their poor, which will soon be laid before the Parliament.

On Sunday the Rev. Dr. Charles Elstob, one of the Prebendaries of Canterbury, died suddenly in the Cathedral Church there, in the time of Divine Service.

On Tuesday the King's Scholars at Westminster acted the Andrea of Terrence in their Dormitory, before several of the Nobility, with great Applause.

The same Night his Majesty came to the Theatre in Drury Lane, and saw the Comedy called the Country Wife.

Last Week the Man of the Crown Alehouse in Theobald's Row, Red Lyon Square, died of a Mortification in his Arm, occasioned by only cutting one of his Finger Nails to the Quick.

Last Sunday a Gentleman's Footman at Islington shot a Maid Servant accidentally with a pistol, with which he had been imprudently jesting with her, and she died soon after. But before she expired, she desired he might not be prosecuted as her Murderer, for that she was thoroughly satisfied that his Intentions were innocent, and forgave him the fatal consequence.

On Friday Night last a Man that lives with a Farmer at Kilburn was riding home, and upon the Road beyond Paddington, was met by a Man who pulled out a pistol and shot him in the shoulder, and then rode off, without saying or doing any thing more to him.

On Monday they began to roll up the Blanks and Prizes of the York Buildings Lottery, at the Banqueting House at Whitehall.

We hear that the Honourable Colonel Lumley, second Son to the Earl of Scarborough, is appointed his Majesty's Envoy to the Court of Portugal, in the room of Mr. Worsley, who is made Governor of Barbadoes.

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