

CHRONICLE.

FOREIGN INTELLIGENCE.

Vienna, Feb. 26.

IT would be greatly to the advantage of Europe, if the peace which we flatter ourselves is concluded between our Court and the Turks, could be the guarantee of the re-establishment of general tranquillity; but the Porte and Russia are too firm in their pretensions, which are diametrically opposite to each other, to leave us any room to expect it. The troops on both sides do not even allow themselves any repose during the winter, as, according to private accounts from Moldavia of the 25th of January, we learn that the Turkish garrison of Brailow, some days before sallied forth on a sudden upon the Russian light troops, which were posted near Galacz, and even on the fleet commanded by General Ribas. This sudden and unexpected attack cost the Russians above 200 Cossacks and soldiers of the light troops, and the fleet itself received some damage. General Soltikow was then at Burlath, where he had taken up his quarters for the winter; but he, on learning the attack and loss which his troops had suffered, immediately repaired to Galacz, and gave orders for a number of regiments which had entered into winter-quarters to quit them again, and to others, which were on their march to enter into them, to halt; and two battalions of grenadiers had already entered into it, and had encamped under huts covered with earth. The light troops and volunteers which retreated a little way to suspend hostilities during the remainder of the season, have also advanced again. After having made these dispositions, General de Suwarow set off for Jassy, to confer in person with Prince Potemkin. The fleet of General Ribas, which was at anchor near Galacz, was on the 24th of Jan. reinforced by 30 vessels from Cherson, which had on board four battalions of Zaporozean Cossacks; so that it is now composed of 100 ships or vessels of different sizes, manned with about 12,000 men, most of whom are Cossacks from Zaporoz, bitter enemies to the Ottomans. The Turkish garrison of Galacz has also been reinforced on its part, and is already so numerous that to procure lodgings for them the Jews and Christians have been obliged to evacuate the place. But these different detachments, and those which have been sent to Brailow, have so weak-

ened the Grand Vizier's army, that in the month of January, he had not above 6000 men in his camp, at Schiumla. On the 22d of January a Pacha of Two Tails arrived at Ruschug, to take the command of the Turkish fleet, and impede, if possible, the progress of the Russians.

Stockholm, Feb. 27. A courier arrived here on the 22d from Petersburg. The Baron d'Ingellstrom, Ambassador from Russia, is expected here soon, and no doubt his presence will accelerate the fixing of the limits in Finland, relative to which nothing is yet determined; this, however, is not looked upon as the only negotiation with which that Minister will be charged, particularly as the activity observed in the warlike preparations seems to indicate that our Court has other views than an inactive neutrality. For some time past measures have been taken to put our forces, both by sea and land, in such a state as to be ready for action upon the shortest notice. Orders have been sent to Carlscrona, to get six sail of the line ready for sea by the first of May, and other orders have been sent to the Colonels of all the regiments to be completely ready to march by the 15th of that month.

Rome, February 13. Mesdames, aunts to his Majesty the King of France, are shortly expected to arrive in this capital, where it is imagined they will fix their residence.

We are assured that his Holiness has acquiesced in the demands of the King of Sardinia, relative to the nomination to the benefices in his Estates in Italy; and that on the return of the King of Naples, the difficulties which have arisen between that Court and ours will be accommodated.

Cagliostro, though guilty of a number of crimes in foreign countries, has not been found guilty of any in this capital. He will however, be banished from the Pope's territories.

Avignon, Feb. 2. We yesterday celebrated the federation proposed to all the commons of the country; most of them assisted on the occasion; Cavailton, l'Ille, Pernés, Vaison, le Thor, Chateau Neuf, d'Avignon, Bedarides, and Sorgues sent deputies, who represented above 81,000 citizens.

Marjilles, Feb. 16. By several Captains who arrived here from the coast of Tunis we learn, that on the night between the