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*Marseilles, April 9.*

**T**HE Duke de Mortemar is arrived at Toulon, to command the Ships now fitting there, which may be ready to sail in 15 days, being 8 Men of War, and 4 Fireships; They are to join with 15 Men of War more from West-France. This day arrived here a Bark from Cadix, the Master reports, that there are about 20 Sail of Algerines abroad, three or four whereof carry 50 Guns and upwards; And that they have broke with the Dutch, having taken about the Straights Mouth a Dutch Flyboat, and carried her to Argiers.

*Vienna, March 28.* The last Letters from the Camp before Montatz inform us, that they had finished their Lines of Circumvallation and Batteries, and had begun to attack the place with their Cannon and Bombs, which, especially the latter, had already caused a Consternation among the Besieged; That the Besiegers directed their Attack against the Lower Town, which is fortified with a good Wall, and several Redoubts, with a double Duch, very deep, and full of Water; And hoped, notwithstanding they made their Approaches with much difficulty, to be in few days Masters of it, and till then they would not begin their Attack against the Castle or Upper Town, which stands on a Rock, and is in a manner inaccessible but on the side of the Lower Town; The Besieged had made several Sallies, and the Prisoners that have been taken, say, they are resolved to defend the place to the last extremity. From Zolnoek we have an account, that the Seraskier Achmet Bassi was marched with the Body he had drawn together towards Gynis, and that Lieutenant-General de Meray was gone with 6000 Men to meet and fight him. They write from Carellstadt of the 15th of the last Month, that the Count de Stralsdo, Governor of that place, having sent out Colonel Orschib with 1200 Men, to make an Incurtion into the Enemies Territories, they advanced as far as the Little Town of Tudorow, which they took by Assault, putting, during the heat of it, all the Turks they found in Arms to the Sword; After which, they plundered and burnt the Town, and returned to Carellstadt with a rich Booty, and 200 *Valdques*, who had put themselves into the Emperor's Service. We have likewise advice, that a Party of the Garison of *Pirowitz*, having made an Incurtion towards *Walpo*, the Turks of that place sallied out upon them, but they made good their Retreat, notwithstanding the Enemy were above double their number. The

private Letters from Buda say, that the chief Ingenier, who assisted in the defence of that place in the year 1683, was again expected there, and that the Visier of Buda did all he could to furnish the place with Ammunition and Provisions, fearing another Siege this Summer. The Envoy of *Transylvania* have not yet received the Ratification of the late Treaty they concluded here; And there is reason to believe that Prince *Abafii* has taken new measures since the arrival at his Court of a Chiaus from the Grand Signior, who, we hear, has made him great promises, and has obtained passage for 10000 *Tartars* through his Countrey. The Emperor has lately given the Count de *Peterhaff*, who commands the Hungarians in his Imperial Majesties Service, a considerable Estate in Hungary. The Baron de *Becke* is made Governor of *Philipsburg*, in the place of Count *Maximilian de Staremberg*, who, with the Emperor's leave, is gone into the Service of the Elector Palatin, to command his Forces, and to be President of his Council of War.

*Vienna, March 31.* The Duke of Lorraine is expected here from *Inspruck* in few days, to assist at a great Council of War that will be held in the presence of his Imperial Majesty; and, it's believed, his Highness will be going about the middle of the next Month for Hungary, where, in the mean time, all things are preparing for the opening of the Campaign. The Count *Czark*, the Emperor's Resident at the Court of Poland, arrived here the last week; He has had Audience of the Emperor, and several Conferences with the Ministers, and will, it's said, be very suddenly sent back to Poland. We have advice, that a Detachment from *Siget* and *Canisa* made the 17th instant an Incurtion into the Countrey of *Lembach*, from whence they carried about 60 Prisoners, and some Cattle. The Rebels in *Montatz* make a very desperate defence, being encouraged by the assurances they have from *Teekeley* of a speedy Relief; They have made several Sallies, in which some Men have been killed on both sides; The 19th instant the Besiegers began to batter the Lower Town from three Batteries, and had their loss in their Trenches 22 Men, besides 15 or 16 wounded. The account we gave you in our last of the Incurtion which the Baron d'*Orschib* made into the Turkish Territories is confirmed; with these farther Circumstances; That having plundered and burnt the Town of *Tudorow*, he detached 200 Men to attack the Castle of *Little Cladussa*, which they took with their Swords in their hands, the Turks that defended it, about 45 in number, being most slain; After which, having rejoined their main Body, the Baron advanced to *Great Cladussa*, a large Town, and likewise plundered and burnt it, but having no Cannon with him,