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Venice, April 23.

**T**HE 17th instant a Convoy set sail with 1000 new raised Men for *Dalmatia*; And another is preparing to transport the Troops to the *Levant*. From whence we hear that the Doge was perfectly recovered of his late Indisposition; and that he had appointed the general Rendezvous of the Forces of this State to be held at *Porto Porro* the beginning of the next month. They write from *Malta*, that the Squadron of that Order would sail about the 26th of this month, to join the Venetian Fleet in the *Levant*.

*Warsaw*, April 8. On the 2d instant the Diet of this Kingdom, which had been assembled above 3 months, broke up in disorder: The usual term of their Meeting is Six Weeks, which had been several times prolonged, and the last term was going to expire, when a new Prolongation being proposed, and a very warm Debate arising upon that and some other Matters, one of the Deputies of *Lithuania* stood up and declared his Dissent and Protest against all the Resolutions that should be taken by them, and so left the Assembly; which did not presently separate, hoping he might be prevailed with to return, but all the Reasonings and Endeavours that were used to that purpose being ineffectual, and the Disputes growing high amongst those that approved of what the said Deputy had done, and others, who were of a contrary Opinion, the Diet was dissolved according to the Laws of this Kingdom: And the King, as is always practised in like Cases, has thereupon appointed the Senate to meet to consider what is fit to be done in this Juncture of Affairs.

*Vienna*, April 24. The Elector of *Bavaria* has, since his arrival here, had several Conferences with the Emperor and his Principal Ministers, about the Affairs of the War, and particularly those that concern the part he himself is to have in it, upon which the final Resolutions being taken, his Electoral Highness will part from hence in few days, to put himself at the head of the Army which he is to Command on the *Upper Rhine*. The Ambassador of *Poland* has not yet had any Conference with the Turkish Envoys, who, at their last Meeting with the Imperial Commissioners, desired, seeing they had no Power to Consent to the Demands of his Imperial Majesty and his Allies, that they might be permitted to return home. The Prince of *Baden* will part from hence the beginning of the next month to Command the Imperial Army in *Hungary*; Where the Duke de *Croy*, and the Counts *Piccolomini*, *Petersam*, and *Aspremont*, are to serve under him. We have an Account from *Belgrade*, that the Count de *Hofkirken* had formed a Camp about 16 Miles from that place, to observe the Enemy; Who were likewise drawing together. That *Teckele* being reinforced with a small Body of Turks and Tartars, was marching towards *Temeswaer*, to conduct thither a Convoy of Provisions, of which that Garrison was in great want. And that the new Serasquier *Arap* had appointed his Troops to rendezvous at *Sophia*. It is confirmed, that *Teghen* Bassa, having been taken as he was going towards *Albania*, was immediately strangled, with 12 of his Party, and their Heads presented to the Grand Signior at *Adriano-pole*.

*Frankfort*, May 4. The Imperial Forces are to rendezvous about the middle of this month at *Ulm*; And those of the Confederates near this place. The Landgrave of *Hesse Cassel* is expected here in few days; They write from *Strasbourg*, that the French Cavalry, quartered in those parts, had Orders to march towards the *Palatinate*.

*Paris*, May 11. The Sieur de *Chasteauneuf de Coftanriere* is named to go Ambassador from hence to the *Port*; And has Orders to depart forthwith. The Equipage of the Prince of *Conti*, which was going towards the *Rhine*, is, it's said, ordered to come back to *Flanders*. The Marechal d'*Humieres* is returned

to *Lille*. We hear from *Rome*, that Queen *Christina* of *Sueden* died there the 19th of the last month; And the Constable of *Colonna* three days before.

*Edinburgh*, May 2. The Estates are Adjourned to the 21th of this month, and have appointed a Committee to take Care of the Publick Peace in the meantime. Yesterday an Express arrived here with an Account, that the Viscount *Dundee*, who had got together between 70 and 80 Horse, having passed the *Spey* into *Murray*, he marched to *Elgin*, and from thence to *Forres*; But being there informed, that *Cluny Mac Pherison* had raised all those of his Name, with all his Friends and Followers, to the number of 500, and that they were to join with as many of the Name of *Grant*, in order to march against him, and being surprized at this unexpected Opposition in that part of the Country where he promised himself great Assurances, he suddenly returned back to *Elgin*, and repassing *Spey*, came by the most obscure By-Ways to *Dorn*, and thence to *Dee* side with about 10 or 12 Horse only; All the rest of his Followers and Accomplishes having deserted him: And we hear this day that he is lurking in some Parts of *Angus*, with one or two Men only; Where, it's hoped, he will be quickly discovered, by those that are in search of him. The Committee have put a Garrison into the Castle of *Ardmillian*, about 20 Miles beyond *Air* in the West, where it was falsely reported some Irish had landed; and have caused the Gentleman, to whom it belongs, upon Suspicion of his having Intelligence with the Irish, to be secured. There are Letters from *Londonderry*, of the 19th inst, which give an Account, that the Protestants there were furnished with Provisions for three or four Months, and resolved to defend the place to the last; Which is confirmed by several Persons lately come from thence: It's said, that Colonel *Lundie*, the late Governor of *Londonderry*, is seized in the West, and imprisoned in *Dumbarton* Castle. The Committee hath ordered all the Nobility and Gentry, within their respective Bounds, to protect the Conform Clergy, and to imprison such Persons as do offer them any Injury.

The Estates, before their Adjournment, made the following Act, in Favour of the Vassals and Creditors of Forefaulted Persons.

**T**HE Estates of this Kingdom being fully resolved to put the Laws to due and speedy Execution, against all Rebellion and Treacherous Subjects, who shall not submit to the present Government of the Estates, under King William and Queen Mary; So they are most willing to Patronize and Incurage all those who are True and Loyal to the same: And it being one of the great Grievances of this Nation, that in the late Times, many Honest and Faithful Subjects have been Ruined and Undone in their Estates and Fortunes; for other Mens Crimes and Rebellions, to which they had no Accession. Therefore the Estates, for the further Incuragement of all good Subjects in their Obedience, and that no Person be punished for the Crime of another, Do Declare and Ordain, That no Vassal or Creditor, Perjo-