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Rome, June 23.

THE Affairs of the Conclave continue much in the same state we told you in our last, the Cardinals being divided, that they cannot yet come to an Election; The Zealots made this last week a fresh effort for the Promotion of *Barberigo*, and at one of the Scrutinies he had 35 Voices, among which were 8 of *Altieri's* Party; The French seemed one while to favour *Barberigo*, in which their design was only to give the Spaniards a handle, and thereby withdraw their Voices from him, but not taking effect, they have since openly declared against him. *Acciaoli* is now much spoken of, as a Person that is acceptable both to the Spaniards and the French, and well liked by the Zealots in case they cannot prevail for *Barberigo*. The Gallies of *Sicily* are gone with Soldiers to *Final*, a Spanish Garison on the Coast of *Tuscany*.

Turin, June 23. The Duke of *Schonberg* arrived here on the 18th instant, being received with great marks of Honour and Respect. The Governor of *Milan* is likewise come hither, and has given his Royal Highness new assurances of great Supplies. The Garison of *Coni*, which is besieged by the French under the command of the Marquis de *Fouquieres*, makes a very brave defence, and has repulsed the Enemy in several attacks, with the loss of a great many of their men, insomuch that Monsieur *Catinat* found it necessary to send them a Reinforcement. Six thousand Germans are expected here by the end of this month.

Milan, June 27. We are assured, that the Treaty with the Duke of *Mantua* is ratified; and that there are 1000 men already at work to demolish *Gazzolo*. The Imperial and Bavarian Regiments, that are coming to the assistance of the Duke of *Savoy*, advance with all the diligence possible, and the foremost of them are daily expected at *Cone*. Upon the news of the approach of these Succors, Monsieur *Catinat* keeps in his Posts on the *Po*, without attempting the Relief of *Cozal*, as 'twas said he design'd. But the Marquis de *Fouquieres* with part of the Army besieges *Coni*, where he meets with a vigorous Resistance.

Venice, June 29. The Senate have made choice of General *Digenfelt* to command the Land Forces of this State, and he will set out very speedily for the Levant.

Vienna, July 1. On Friday last we received Letters from Sir *William Hussy*, Ambassador from Their Majesties of *Great-Britain* to the *Ottoman* Port, dated the 15th of the last month at *Adrianople*; They give an account of his arrival at *Adrianople* the latter end of *May*, having been received in all the places through which he passed with extraordinary Honours, particularly at *Belgrade* the Seraskier waited upon him to his Bark, a thing unusual in *Turkey*, and scarcely ever before known. On the 29th of *May* the Grand Signior and the Grand Visier arrived at *Adrianople*; The Visier stayed not in the Town but went straight to his Tents, which were pitched at a League and a half distant from it; He did not wait for Sir *William's* Compliment, as is usual, but sent the *Chiaus Bassa* to let him know, that his stay would be but short, and to invite him to an Audience, to which he was conducted with more marks of Respect and distinction than have been formerly shewn to other Ambassadors, the Turks all the way as he went saluting him

with Wishes for the Success of his Mediation: The Visier likewise received the offer of it with great satisfaction, applauding the Generous Friendship of the King of *England*, in interposing to stop the Bloody Effects of this long War, and expressing a great Readiness to conclude a Peace upon reasonable Terms. After this Audience, Sir *William Hussy*, at the Visier's desire, dispatched Count *Lodewick Marciho*, (who went from hence with his Excellency as Secretary of the Embassy) to give this Court an account of his Reception, and what the Grand Visier had said to his Proposals. This Express made the Voyage in 13 days, being attended by a *Chiaus* to *Belgrade*, where the Seraskier, to express the Satisfaction he had in his Errand, presented him with the Sabre he wore by his Side. Since his coming hither several Conferences have been held upon this Subject, and 'tis said, that in 2 or 3 days Prince *Louis* will go to the Army with full Power to Treat and Conclude the Peace. Sir *William Hussy* writes likewise, that the Visier intended to move the next day towards *Sophia*, and that it was likely he should follow him. We hear from *Buda*, that the Turks are all retired beyond the *Save*.

Frankfort, July 8. By Letters from the Palatinate we have advice, that the Confederate Army had passed the *Rhin*. Yesterday arrived here the Elector Palatine, with the Elestoreis and their whole Court, in their Journey towards *Dusseldorp*, being received by the Barghers in Arms, and a discharge of all the Cannon round the Town.

Cologne, July 10. We have an account from *Mantua*, that the French have taken the Castle of *Algher* not far from that City, the Garison of 60 men were slain upon Articles, after they had spent all their Powder, and killed above 100 of the Enemy, and amongst the rest two *Canonis*. The French Army, since the discovery of their Correspondence with the Imperial Commission at *Mentz*, are decamped from *Neder-Ulm*, and are marched to *Creutzmarch*, where the Marschal de *Lorge* has posted himself, having countermanded the 4 Regiments which were sent on the first instant from *Neder-Ulm*, to reinforce the Marquis de *Bluffers* on the *Muse*. A Party of the Garison of *Montroyal* has within this 2 or 3 days burnt several Villages in the Country of *Eyffelt*. The Troops of *Nisibours* marched on the 7th instant from *Juliers* towards *Dueren*.

Paris, July 6. The news of the great disorder things are in at *Constantinople* gives this Court no small disturbance, apprehending the Turks will be obliged to conclude a sudden Peace, or else that the Germans will have an opportunity of making great Progresses this Campaign in *Hungary*. The advices too from *Piedmont* do not please us; They say, that the Besieged in *Coni*, among whom are a great many *Vaudois* and French Protestants under the command of Colonel *Julien*, do very bravely defend themselves, having killed a great many of our men in the attack of a Half Moon, which we took twice, and was as often retaken by the Besieged; and the Letters from the Camp of the 28 past tell us, that they had made a Salley with 2000 men, and had regained all their Outworks with the loss of above 1000 of our Men, and divers Officers. They write from our Army in *Germany*, that the Marschal de *Lorge* had sent a Detachment of 2 Battalions, 2 Regiments of Horse, and one of Dragoons, with 10 Pieces of Cannon, towards the *Muse*.

Brussels, July 11. The King of *England* lyes still with the Confederate Army at *Gembours*, but the Great Can-

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